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Highland to celebrate July 4th with children's parade and barbecue

Food, fun, games to become annual holiday event

DENVER, June 30, 2008— Highland neighbors will have a new Independence Day event to add to their schedules starting Friday, July 4. Paul Tamburello of The Tamburello Team, and Yael Nyholm, architectural consultant with Delet, LLC, are organizing the *free* First Annual Children's Parade and Barbecue, where kids and adults alike can decorate their bikes, trikes, strollers, skateboards, scooters, skates, Segways, and themselves to take part in a fun-filled parade and picnic.

Starting at 10:00 a.m., participants will meet in front of the United Way parking lot on Boulder St. (across the street from Sportique Scooter Shop). The parade route is along Boulder St. between 32nd and 16th Street. Everyone is welcome to participate, and wheeled entries must be decorated, the more creatively the better.

The parade sponsors will provide free hot dogs and hamburgers, lemonade, and music in Hirshorn park following the parade. Guests are invited to bring snacks to share and a blanket to sit on as they enjoy the festivities in the park. Fourth of July costumes are encouraged!

Volunteers are welcome. Please call 303-991-6204 or e-mail at highland4thjulyparade@gmail.com

Schedule of events

Friday, July 4

Highland children's parade

9:00a.m.

Meet in front of the United Way parking lot on Boulder St. (across the street from Sportique Scooter Shop)

Parade Divisions:

- Children: bikes, trikes, strollers, skateboards (must be decorated to enter)
- Adults: scooters, Segways, roller-blades, cruiser bikes (must be decorated to enter)

10:00a.m.

Start Time.

10:45am-1:30p.m.

Gather in Hirshorn Park for a free hot dog and hamburger BBQ.

12:30-1:00p.m.

Traditional July 4 games: three-legged race, water balloon toss, wheel barrel race, and potato sack race.

1:00p.m. Award ceremony for the game winners and best-decorated ride.

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