

# Celebrate Independence Day in Park City

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Park City Fourth of July celebration on Main Street

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Cool mountain temperatures, live concerts, a community parade and one of America's most celebrated rodeos are only a few reasons to spend the Fourth of July in Park City, Utah this summer. A few others include mountain biking, horseback riding, wakeboarding and spectacular fireworks. Use this guide to plan an Independence Day adventure in Park City.

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## What to Do

July 3: Start the festivities early at the neighboring town of Oakley for an authentic, professional rodeo with all the bull riding, barrel racing and bronco bucking you can handle. [The Oakley Rodeo](#), sanctioned by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association, has even been televised by ESPN. After a dinner of local Oakley BBQ, head to Canyons Resort for the traditional Independence Day community concert. Free and open to the public, the outdoor event starts at 7:30 p.m. with dancing and ends at 9:30 p.m. with an impressive fireworks display.



### [Park City Fourth of July Parade, Celebration and Fireworks](#)

July 4: Start your Independence Day with a pancake breakfast at City Park before heading to Main Street for the traditional Fourth of July parade. Catch more than 70 floats, antique cars, horses and wagons, professional skiers and marching bands. Live music, kids' foot races, rugby games, volleyball matches, food and drink vendors and a beer garden follow at City Park. Fireworks at Park City Mountain Resort end the eventful day.

July 5-6: Stay the weekend in Park City to explore hiking and biking trails, stand-up paddle boarding, fly fishing, alpine slides, zip line rides or even hot air ballooning. All three of Park City's mountain resorts offer family activities, on-mountain dining options and scenic lift rides.

## Where to Stay

[Town Pointe](#): These 3-bedroom condos are within walking distance of City Park and Main Street for easy access to all the Fourth of July action. Accommodations include a hot tub, full kitchen and private parking. Rates start at \$117 per bedroom per night plus taxes and fees.

[Silver Star at Park City](#): Ideal for families and groups of friends traveling together, this community of 2- to 5-bedroom condos at Park City Mountain Resort is located a mile from Main Street and

offers a heated swimming pool and fire pits. Rates start at \$120 per bedroom per night plus taxes and fees.

**Newpark Hotel**: The Newpark Hotel is a short drive from Main Street Park City and an easy walk to dining and family activities. Rates start at \$148 per night plus taxes and fees.

### **Where to Eat**

Breakfast: Pancakes in City Park are a must for the Fourth of July, but for the weekend try **The Eating Establishment**, one of Park City's oldest restaurants. "The Double E" offers All-American comfort food, serving breakfast all day long.

Lunch: **The Back Door Deli**. The best sandwiches on Main Street are easy "to go" food when you're out exploring.

Dinner: **Zoom**. With gourmet fare and kid-friendly options, Robert Redford's Main Street restaurant is a summer must-visit. Ask to sit outside for added ambience.

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