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LET FREEDOM RING — Friday is Independence Day, and Custer will once again be the place to be as the city and chamber band together to celebrate our nation's birthday. Custer will be home to a bevy of activities over the course of the three-day weekend, including a Patriots' Parade, Kids' Parade, a B-1 Bomber flyover, flag ceremonies, children's fair and an arts and crafts fair. July 4 will conclude with fireworks launched from Pageant Hill. [Submitted Photo]

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Property located at 451 Main Street, Hill City SD

REAL ESTATE: To settle the Estate of Lewis Compton Jr., the following Real Estate and Personal Property will be sold at Online Public Auction. Property consists of an older 1040 sq. ft. one level home, with a partial basement, built in 1921. The home features a large corner lot, located on Hill City's Main Street, directly across the Street from Hill City Schools, as well as 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, kitchen and a spacious living/dining area. Also includes a small garage in the spacious back yard.



Terms & Conditions: Selling to the highest bidder, subject only to final approval by the Estate Court. 15% irrevocable earnest money Auction Day, with the balance due within 30 days. Title Insurance and Personal Representative Deed furnished, property taxes prorated to closing date. Selling "As-Is, without warranty of any kind," inspect before you buy! Auctioneer represents Seller.

Auctioneers Note: If you are looking for investment property in the Hill City area, look no further. Whether for commercial or residential use, the Main Street location couldn't be better. With some upgrading, the home could be used for any number of applications. Take time to inspect the offering, have arrangements secured and be prepared to BID ONLINE! Watch www.bradeenauction.com for photos, details, complete terms and conditions, showing dates, contact Bradeen Auctions or your local Realtor for showing. Broker Participation invited, call early for details.

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PERSONAL PROPERTY: Online bidding closes Tuesday July 15. Also Selling complete line of personal property including firearms: N95 Steyr, FNA Brescia, Yugoslavian M48A Mauser, Mosin Nagant, Arisaka Type 99, black powder rifles and more. Also, antiques and collectables, much glassware, grandfather & wall clocks, household and shop power tools, 1996 GMC Jimmy 4dr., needs work, power tools, lawn & shop items, and many more items.

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STIP PUBLIC MEETINGS

S.D. Dept. of Transportation has developed a Tentative 2026-2029 Four-Year Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The Tentative STIP includes all the state sponsored transportation projects for this time period.

Prior to final approval of the STIP by the Transportation Commission, public meetings will be conducted on the following dates to receive public comment on the tentative program.

July 15, 2025 • 2:00 PM (CDT) | July 17, 2025 • 7:00 PM (CDT)

Meetings will be virtual this year covering the entire state.

For more information and how to participate virtually, please visit <https://dot.sd.gov/projects-studies/planning/tentative-statewide-transportation-improvement-program-stip>

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4Th of July EVENTS

FRIDAY JULY 4TH

- 9 am to 5 pm** - Old Time Country Fair
- 10:10 am** - B1 Flyover followed by Kid's Parade and Patriots' Parade
- 10:30 am to 2 pm** - Patriot Hot Dog Stand on 6th St (hosted by Legion Auxiliary)
- 10:30 am to 3 pm** - Patriots Alley on 6th Street
- 11 am** - Flag Ceremonies at Veterans Memorial Park
- 11 am to 4 pm** - Children's Fair at Way Park
- 6 pm to 10 pm** - Veterans Tribute Street Dance - featuring Midnight Sun
- Dark (aprox 9:30 pm)** - Custer 4th of July Firework Display at Pagent Hill

SATURDAY JULY 5TH

- 9 am to 5 pm** - Old Time Country Fair
- 11 am to 4 pm** - Children's Fair at Way Park



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4th of July

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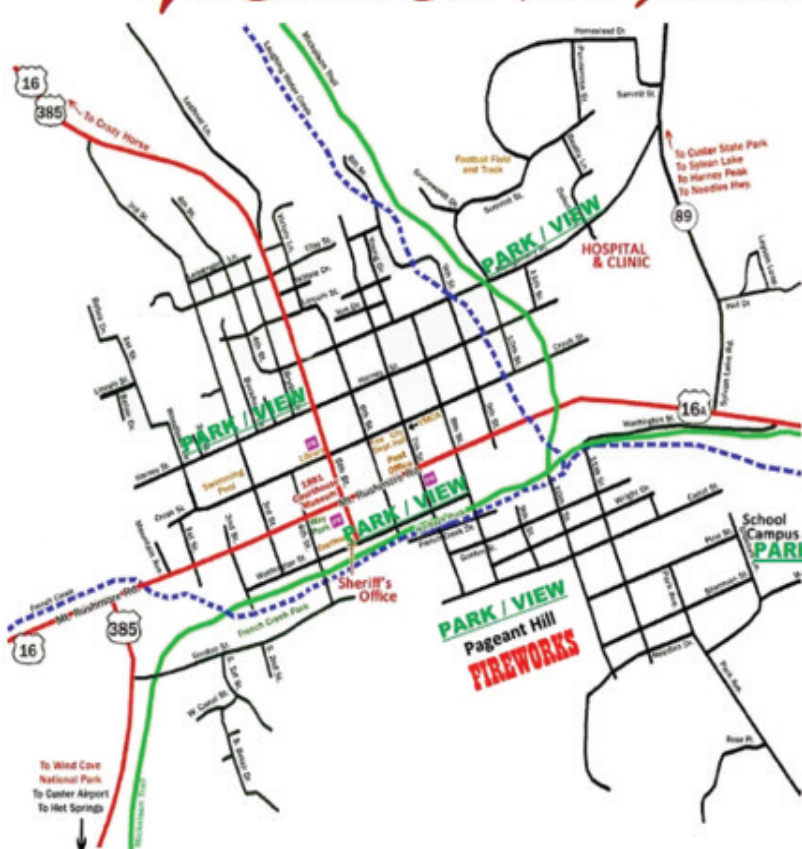
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FIREWORKS are shot from Pageant Hill at dusk (approximately 9:00?)

PARK / VIEW

- > Pageant Hill "Blast Zone"
- > School Campus – park & view or park & walk
- > Washington Street by Custer Chamber, volleyball courts, Sk8 Park and basketball courts
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Wednesday 7-2

Morning Prayer
St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
Custer, SD
7 AM

Men's Breakfast
Bible Study
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
7:30 AM

Merchant Meeting
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
8 AM

Driver's License Exams
Custer County Courthouse
Annex Pine Room
Custer, SD
8 AM to 5 PM

Ladies Prayer
Warrior Group
St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
Parish Center
Custer, SD
9:30 AM

Seniors Bridge Card Games
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
10 AM - 3 PM

HC Seniors Lunch Bunch
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

LWC Youth Group @
Sheridan Lake
Sheridan Lake
Hill City, SD
5-9 PM

Tobey Doeden Visit
Custer VFW
Hermosa, SD
6 PM

Bingo
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
6:30 PM

Pringle AA Group
Pringle Community Center
Pringle, SD
7 PM

Thursday 7-3

LHs: OR & Morning Prayer
St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
Custer, SD
7 AM

Measles, Mumps and
Rubella Vaccination Clinic
Custer County
Courthouse Annex
Custer, SD
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Seniors Fitness Class
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM

Seniors Mahjong
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
10 AM - 12 PM

Friday 7-4

INDEPENDENCE DAY

Holy Communion Service
St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
Custer, SD
7 AM

Summer Rec Program
Keystone Community
Center
Keystone, SD
9 AM - Noon

Old Time Country Fair
1881 Courthouse Museum
Custer, SD
9 AM - 5 PM

Storytime
Hill City Public Library
Kids Annex

HEART OF THE HILLS FOURTH

The City of Hill City will host July 4 activities Friday, including a parade at 10 a.m. and a pie and ice cream social. See this page for a complete list of all the Independence Day activities happening Friday. [Submitted Photo]

Friends of Bill W. AA Group
Bethesda Lutheran Church
Hot Springs, SD
6 PM

Guitar Hero Tournament
Game On!
Custer, SD
6 PM

Friends of Bill W. AA Group
Bethesda Lutheran Church
Hot Springs, SD
6 PM

Musical Bingo
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
6 PM

Civil Air Patrol
Custer County Airport
Custer, SD
6:30 PM

BW Buzz Band *LIVE*
Prairie Dog Taproom
Hill City, SD
7 PM

Custer AA Group
Custer Alano Club
Custer, SD
7 PM

Flag Ceremonies
Veterans Memorial
Custer, SD
11 AM

Children's Fair
Way Park
Custer, SD
11 AM - 4 PM

Old Fashioned
Ice Cream Social
1881 Courthouse Museum
Carriage House
Custer, SD
1 PM
\$5

Author Talk With
Connie McKinney
1881 Courthouse Museum
Custer, SD
1-3 PM

Fourth of July Cornhole
Tournament
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
2-4 PM

Hill City's Fourth of July
Celebration + Parade
Hill City, SD
10 AM - Parade
2-4 PM - Pie + Ice Cream
Social

Branson Anderson *LIVE*
Prairie Dog Taproom
Hill City, SD
7 PM

Brandon Sprague
Blues Band *LIVE*
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
7-11 PM

Fireworks Display
Pageant Hill
Custer, SD
9:30 PM

Most Holy Rosary For Life
St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
Custer, SD
7:30 AM

Summer Adventure Series-
Center Lake
Center Lake
Hill City, SD
9 AM

Star Spangled Craft Fair
Hill City Senior Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM- 4 PM

Old Time Country Fair
1881 Courthouse Museum
Custer, SD
9 AM - 5 PM

Custer AA Group
Custer Alano Club
Custer, SD
10 AM

Friends of Bill W. AA Group
Bethesda Lutheran Church
Hot Springs, SD
10 AM

Kids Games
1881 Courthouse Museum
Custer, SD
11 AM

Children's Fair
Way Park
Custer, SD
11 AM - 4 PM

Author Talk With
Linda Hasselstrom
1881 Courthouse Museum
Custer, SD
1-3 PM

Allen & Jill Kirkham *LIVE*
1881 Courthouse Museum
Courtroom or Back Porch
Custer, SD
3-4 PM

Magic: The Gathering |
Commander Night
Sprockets Fun Foundry
Keystone, SD
4-8 PM

Greg Johnson & Friends *LIVE*
Heartland RV
Park Event Center
Hermosa, SD
6-8 PM

Brent Morris *LIVE*
Chute Rooster
Hill City, SD
6-9 PM

Maggie Baugh *LIVE*
Prairie Dog Taproom
Hill City, SD
7 PM

Women's 12-Step Recovery
Custer Alano Club
Custer, SD
10:15 AM

Every Thought
Captive Study
Lighthouse Assembly of
God Church
Hill City, SD
9 AM

AA Meeting
Keystone Senior Center
Keystone, SD
6 PM

Heartland Bingo
Heartland RV
Park Event Center
Hermosa, SD
6-8 PM

Seniors Yoga
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9:30 AM

Chick Chat and Crafts
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
4-6 PM

Custer City Council
Custer City Hall
Custer, SD
5:30 PM

Women's Bible Study
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
6 PM

Buffalo Gap Town Board
Buffalo Gap
Community Center
Buffalo Gap, SD
6 PM

Seniors Fitness Class
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM

Summer Rec Program
Keystone Community
Center
Keystone, SD
9 AM - 12 PM

Women's Bible Study
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
10 AM

Feeding South Dakota
Truck
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
1 PM

Zonta
Custer County Library
Custer, SD
1 PM

Seniors Hand & Foot
Card Games
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
1-4:30 PM

Seniors Knitting &
Crocheting Group
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
1-3 PM

Custer City Planning
Commission
Custer City Hall
Custer, SD
5 PM

Custer Meet & Eat
Custer Community Church
Custer, SD
5-7 PM

Celebrate Recovery
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
5:45 PM

Bingo Night
Gold Pan Saloon
Custer, SD
6:30 PM

Friends of Bill W. AA Group
Bethesda Lutheran Church
Hot Springs, SD
6 PM

Hot Springs Amateur
Radio Club
South Annex Building
709 Jensen Hwy.
Hot Springs, SD
6:30 PM

Custer AA Group
Custer Alano Club
Custer, SD
7 PM

Pringle Town Board
Pringle Community Center
Pringle, SD
7 PM

Elk Mountain School
District Board of Education
Elk Mountain School
Dewey, SD
7 PM

Custer Area Economic
Development Corp.
Black Hills Energy
Custer, SD
7 AM

Men's Breakfast
Bible Study
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
7:30 AM

Custer County Commission
Custer County Courthouse
Custer, SD
8 AM

Driver's License Exams
Custer County Courthouse
Annex Pine Room
Custer, SD
8 AM to 5 PM

Seniors Bridge Card Games
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
10 AM - 3 PM

Bingo
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
6:30-8:30 PM

Pringle AA Group
Pringle Community Center
Pringle, SD
7 PM

Seniors Fitness Class
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM

BSF Prayer
Meeting/Children's
Program
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
9-10:30 AM

Friends of Bill W. AA Group
Bethesda Lutheran Church
Hot Springs, SD
6 PM

Civil Air Patrol
Custer County Airport
Custer, SD
6:30 PM

ADD/ADHD Support Group
Monument Health Custer
Hospital Conference Room
Custer, SD
6:30 PM

Live Music at
Sprockets: Featuring
Don Anderson *LIVE*
Sprockets Fun Foundry
Hill City, SD
6:30-8:30 PM

Custer AA Group
Custer Alano Club
Custer, SD
7 PM

Brian Turner's
Rockabilly Deluxe *LIVE*
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
7-10 PM

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