



The Excelsior – Lake Minnetonka Chamber of Commerce proudly produces and hosts the only public 4th of July fireworks event on Lake Minnetonka! Our community will celebrate our Nation’s favorite holiday in the tried and true way, with a day full of activity! Beginning early in the morning, until well past dark, we welcome you to be a part of the 2016 4th of July experience on the shores of Lake Minnetonka, at the Commons Park in downtown Excelsior. Bring your family and friends to enjoy a 4th of July that kicks off with a Firecracker and ends with a BANG!

These events combined have been estimated to reach an audience of over 200,000 people.

Schedule of Events

7:30 AM	Firecracker 1 mile run begins at Excelsior Elementary
7:40 AM	Firecracker 5K and 10K begins at Excelsior Elementary and ends at the Commons Park
9:00-10:30 AM	Sand Sculpture Contest
9:30-noon	Popsicle Social
11:00 AM	Water Street Kids’ Parade
11:30 AM-1:00 PM	Kids’ Fishing Contest
4:00 PM	Brothers and Others Band
5:30 PM	FireFly Forest Band
7:30 PM	Ornery Bastards Band
9:15 PM	Salute to our Veterans and Presentation of the Colors
9:55 PM	The National Anthem
Dusk	Fireworks Display over Lake Minnetonka

These special celebrations are made possible by the support of our Lake Minnetonka Community. Without sponsorships, this event will not happen. We rely on financial support to help us cover the annual 4th of July event budget of over \$100,000. In addition to financial support, this event relies on over 87 volunteers to make this happen.

You have given graciously to this community event in the past, and this year due to increased safety costs from the Excelsior Fire District and South Lake Minnetonka Police Department, the Chamber is requesting an increased donation of 25% to help cover all the costs incurred during this free public event.

Thank you!

The 2016 Excelsior-Lake Minnetonka Chamber Board of Directors

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