

Wilber Fire & Rescue/First Aid - 401 S. Main St.

are indicated on the map with a corresponding

1. Bandstand & Information/Registration Booth

4. Saline County Extension Offic (Quilt Show) -

These businesses and locations of interest

Wilber Pool - 500 S. Wilson St.

Corner of 3rd St. & Wilson St.

306 W. 3rd St.

415 S. Main St.

store) - 521 S. Main St.

2. Czech Cultural Center - 110 W. 3rd St.

3. Wilber Czech Craft Shop - 216 W. 3rd St.

5. American Legion Downtown Building -

6. Food Mesto (grocery store) - 319 W. 3rd St.

7. Shop Qwik (gas station/convenience store) -

8. Casey's General Store (gas station/convenience

These businesses and locations of interest are indicated on the map with a star:

American Legion Louis-Milan Post 101 Building (in the Legion Memorial Park) - 310 W. Legion Memorial Dr.

Dvoracek Memorial Library - 419 W. 3rd St First Evangelical Lutheran Church

Legion Memorial Park - South on School St

204 S. School St. Hotel Wilber - 203 S. Wilson St. Kuncl Funeral Home - 607 W. 3rd St Outdoor Theater - 510 S. Wilson St.

Post Offic - 224 W. 3rd St. Saline County Court House - 215 S. Court St. Sheriff's Offic - 911 S. Main St. St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church - 501 N. Wilson Si T.J. Sokol Hall - 317 S. Wilson St.

United Methodist Church - 215 W. 4th St Wilber Care Center - 611 N. Main St. Wilber-Clatonia Public Schools - 900 S. Franklin St. 9. Farmers Cooperative (gas station) - 216 E. 3rd St. Wilber Czech Museum - 102 W. 3rd St.

the Legion Memorial Park, north to 3rd St., east to Main St. and back south to 8th St.)

Port-A-Potties - Indicated by Bath Room Icons and are located at the following locations:

· 211 S. Wilson St.

from 2nd St. to 5th St.)

- 224 W. 3rd St. (Harris St.) 316 S. Wilson St.
- 6th & Main St.
- 219 W. 3rd St.

Food & Vendor Courts - Indicated in Light Red (on 3rd St. from School St. to Main St. and on Wilson St.

419 W. 3rd St., Dvoracek Memorial Library - for the Children's Parade Friday evening, then moved to Parade Route - Indicated by Black Arrows (starts are Legion Memorial Park by the Volleyball Court

> · 6th & School St. Parking Lot at Wilber-Clatonia Public Schools.

Handicap Parking – Indicated by Handicapped Icons and located at the following locations:

· Parking lot on the east side of S. Main St., between 3rd St. and 4th St.

· Parking lot of the Dvoracek Memorial Library,

DINING & ENTERTAINMENT

1895 Hotel Wilber - 2nd & Wilson St., (402) 821-2020

Friday, Saturday & Sunday 11 a.m.-2 p.m. & 4 p.m.-7 p.m. Roast duck, pork & Polish sausage dinners served with dumplings, kraut, rye bread, kolače, soft drinks. Air conditioned & wheelchair accessible. The shaded beer garden & Czech Cellar are open nightly. Featuring beer, Czech beer, mixed drinks, etc.

Polka bands at Hotel Wilber during festival will be:

- Friday, August 4, 8 p.m.-12 a.m. Barry Boyce Band, Omaha, NE
- Saturday, August 5, 4-8 p.m. Malek's Fishermen Band, Garner, IA • Saturday, August 5, 8 p.m.-12 a.m. - Barry Boyce Band, Omaha, NE
- Sunday, August 6, 4-8 p.m. Angie Kriz Band, Papillion, NE

First Evangelical Lutheran Church - 204 S. School St.

Saturday & Sunday: 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday: 4-7 p.m. Duck & country style pork dinners, wiener lunch plates. Dinners include kraut, dumplings, apple rings, rve bread, dessert & drink, Air conditioned, handicapped accessible.

St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church - 501 N. Wilson St.

Kolače Pre-order Sales ONLY - Preorders end at 1,000 dozen kolače or by July 26, 2023, whichever comes first. To preorder kolače, call 402-821-2049 or 402-821-7309. Preorder pick up from 5 p.m.-9 p.m. on August 3 and 9 a.m.-12 noon on August 4 at St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church. Any remaining kolače will be sold at these times.

Czech Hymns Mass - Saturday 4 p.m./Sunday 10 a.m. Sunday Breakfast 7:15-11:15 a.m.

United Methodist Church - 215 W. 4th St.

Friday & Saturday 4:30-6:30 p.m., Saturday & Sunday 11 a.m.-2 p.m. "Czech Buffet" includes wood-fired pork, jaternice, sauerkraut, dumplings & Czech desse ts. Liver Dumpling Soup. Air conditioned, friendly hospitality, handicapped accessible

American Legion Post 101 - Legendary Legion Burger Stand, downtown - Opens Thursday at 6 p.m. and Friday; 4 p.m. Saturday & Sunday at 10 a.m. Serving hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hot dogs, Polish dogs, kraut, ice cold drinks & ice cream treats. Golf Cart Passes

Flag Raising at the Post Offic - Saturday & Sunday at 1 p.m.

Legion Bingo, downtown - All ages can play for only a quarter a card! Open Thursday 7-10 p.m., Friday 8-11 p.m., Saturday 6-11 p.m. & Sunday 6-8 p.m.

Legion Park Building, Legion Park.

Live Entertainment & Cold Drinks Kent Siebe on Saturday from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Air conditioned, handicapped accessible & parking.

Legion Park Camping, Legion Memorial Park - RV, trailer & tent camping. Electric hookups & dump station on-site. Showers & restrooms are on the west side of the Post building. Visit reserveamerica.com for camping spots.

T.J. Sokols - Open Friday at 4 p.m.-Midnight, Saturday & Sunday 9 a.m.-Midnight, Pork and Polish sausage dinners with all the trimmings. Hot dog, hamburger, cheeseburger luncheon plates, kolače & beverages. Dances: Friday-Sunday, 7-11 p.m. Music Sat. & Sun 11:30 a.m. Air conditioned, handicapped accessible. Miss Czech-Slovak U.S. Queen Reception, Sunday 9 p.m. Wilber-Clatonia FFA Chapter Food Barn - Serving west of the bandstand. Specializing in pork & pork reubens.

Wil-Bol Lanes - Friday, 5-7 p.m.: Saturday & Sunday, 11-1 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. Pork Dinners. kraut, dumplings, hot dogs, burgers, kolače, strudel & beverages. Beer Garden.

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Pre-Festival Celebration • THURSDAY, AUGUST 3 Legion Bingo - All ages, 25¢ per card... 7:30-11:30 p.m. Hotel Wilber The Chelewski Brothers 7:30-11:30 p.m. .. Free Dance Featuring the Wilber Czech Dancers at Hotel Wilber at 7:30 p.m.

Special appearance by Wilber-Clatonia Alumni Band

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4 Vendors Open for Business...

1 p.m.

1-3 p.m.

1-9 p.m.

2-5 p.m.

Noon

1 p.m.

12:15 p.m.

Czech Bingo.

Costume / Accordion Exhibit...

Art Show ...

..Downtown

4-5 p.m.

4-6 p.m.

4-6 p.m.

4-8 p.m.

Concert: Milligan Brass Band,

Costume / Accordion Exhibit

Angle Kriz Band, Papillion.

Barry Boyce Band .

.. Czech Cultural Center

..Czech Cultural Center

.. Kuncl Funeral Home

Czech Cultural Center

Bandstand

. Post Offic

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	3-4 p.m.	Czech Sing-a-long	Czech Cultural Center			
	4 p.m.	Memories of Christine Janda by June Kucera	Czech Cultural Center			
	5-6:30 p.m.	Accordion Jamboree	Outdoor Theater			
	5-8 p.m.	Red Raven Orchestra				
	5-11 p.m.	Gary Moore Amusements	3rd & Harris Street			
	6:15 p.m.	Wilber Alumni Dancers	Bandstand			
	6:30 p.m.	Community Awards	Bandstand			
	7 p.m.	Children's Parade	Main Street			
	7-11 p.m.	Dan Bruha Band				
	8-9:30 p.m.	Wilber Czech Dancers	Outdoor Theater			
	8:00 p.m.	Little Tuggers Tractor Pull				
	·	Registration at 7:45 p.m., 8:15 pull time	•			
	8-11 p.m.	Legion Bingo - All ages. 25¢ per card	3rd & Wilson			
	8 p.m.	Gold Star Martial Arts				
	8-12 p.m.	Custom 20 Band	.Beer Garden, Wil-Bol Lanes			
	8 p.mClose	Barry Boyce Band, Omaha, NE				
	9-12 p.m.	Leo Lonnie Trio				
	9:30 p.m.	Tales of the Czechs, Historical Production	Outdoor Theater			
		SATURDAY, AUGUST				
	7:30 a.m.	Duck & Dumpling Run				
	8 a.m.	Sand Volleyball Tournament (Saturday only)	Legion Park			
	9 a.m9 p.m.	Art Show				
	9-1 p.m.	Costume / Accordion Exhibit	Kuncl Funeral Home			
	9:30-12:30 p.m.	Czech Festival Show & Shine	In Front of Dvoracek Library			
		For info call 402-821-7280				
	10 a.m.	Czech Heritage Demonstration, Czech Travelo	gue,			
		Virginia Fay	Czech Cultural Center			
	10-11:30 a.m.	Accordion Jamboree	T.J. Sokol			
	10 a.m5 p.m.	Quilt Show	Extension Offic			
	11:15 a.m.	Wilber Czech Dancers	Bandstand			
	11:30 a.m.	Czechland Trio	T.J. Sokol Hall			
	Noon-11 p.m.	Gary Moore Amusements	3rd & Harris Street			

Czech Heritage Demonstration, Czech Spice Cookies.

American Legion Post No. 101 & Wilber-Clatonia H.S. Band

Kris Linder

Flag-Raising Ceremony.

Introductions-Czech Oueens..

ENTERTAINMENT

2 p.m.	PARADECelebrating 150 Years of Czech Heritage	4:30 p.m. Program	Outdoor Theater
3:15 p.m.	Program Outdoor Theater	Introductions by Nebraska Czec	hs of Wilber President Teri Shestak;
	oductions by Nebraska Czechs of Wilber President Teri Shestak;	Mayor Roger Chrans and special gues	sts throughout the afternoon and evening.
	ger Chrans and special guests throughout the afternoon and evening.	4:45-5:45 p.m. Wilber Jr. & Sr. Czech Da	ncers/BesedaOutdoor Theater
3:30-5 p.m.	Talent Contest Outdoor Theater		Bandstand
4-5 p.m.	Concert Milligan Brass BandSokol Hall	5:45-6:15 p.m. Music by Sue & Friends	Outdoor Theater
4-7 p.m.	Costume / Accordion Exhibit Kuncl Funeral Home	6 p.m. Wilber Chamber of Comi	merce DrawingBandstand
4-8 p.m.	Malek's Fishermen Band, Garner, IA Hotel Wilber	6-8 p.m. Legion Bingo	3rd & Wilson
4 p.m.	17th Annual Bohemian Tractor Pull		oor Theater, Music by Maureen Halama & Friends
4 p.m.	Stein Holding ContestFox Hole	7-11 p.m. Kenny Shuda Band	T.J. Sokol
5 p.m.	W-C Alumni Band ConcertSokol Hall	7 p.m. Miss Czech-Slovak U.S. P	ageantOutdoor Theater
5-5:15 p.m.	Talent by Wilber Czech Queen, Prince & Princess Outdoor Theater	9 p.m. Miss Czech-Slovak U.S	Queen ReceptionT.J. Sokol
5-8 p.m.	Brad Husak ComboFox Hole		
5:15-6:15 p.m.	Wilber Sr. & Jr. Czech Dancers/Beseda Outdoor Theater	Wilber Czech	
6-11 p.m.	Legion Bingo - All ages. 25¢ per card3rd & Wilson		Church Services
7-11 p.m.	Band: Mark VyhlidalT.J. Sokol Hall	Museum	
7 p.m.	Miss Czech-Slovak U.S. Pageant Outdoor Theater	9 a.m6 p.m.	Czech Hymns Mass
7-11 p.m.	Teen Dance - by CurbFood Mesto Lot, 3rd & School	"Poetic History of Wilber,"	
8 p.mClose	Barry Boyce Band, Omaha, NE Hotel Wilber	Czech dictionaries, "Tales of	Saturday 4 p.m.
8 p.m12 a.m.	Live Entertainment - Ken SiebeLegion Park Building	the Czechs," cookbooks and	Sunday 10 a.m.
8 p.m12 a.m.	City Limit BandBeer Garden, Wil-Bol Lanes	other books, rag rugs accordion	Sunday 10 a.m.
9 p.m.	Tales of the Czechs, Historical Production Outdoor Theater	and costume displays!	501 N. Wilson St.
9-12 pm.	Leo Lonnie TrioFox Hole	and obstante displayer	
	SUNDAY, AUGUST 6	DUODACEK	Community Service
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7:15-11:15 a.m.	Breakfast	MEMORIAL	Sunday 8:15 a.m.
8:15 a.m.	Community Worship		Outdoor Theater
9 a.m1 p.m.	Costume / Accordion ExhibitKuncl Funeral Home	LIBRARY	
9 a.m5 p.m.	Art Show	Visit the outdoor Czech &	
10 a.m4 p.m. 10-11:30 a.m.	Motorcycle ShowFood Mesto	English Story Book Walk	Celebrating 38 Years
10-11:30 a.m.	Accordion Jamboree		Celebrating 38 Years
10 a.III.	Czech Heritage Demonstration, Chlebich-Czech Open Faced Sandwiches, Rachel and Carolyn TaylorCzech Cultural Center		T 77771 (O1 +
10 a.m5 p.m.	Quilt ShowExtension Office		Wilber/Clatonia
11:15 a.m.	Wilber Czech DancersBandstand	GOLF CARTS, ATVs	Alumni Band
11:15 a.m.		-	
Noon	Czechland TrioTJ Sokol Hall Czech Heritage Demonstration, Accordian Basics,	and UTVs	Schedule
NUUII	Pat CarpenterCzech Cultural Center	• Required \$10.00 ten day permit	- WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2 -
Noon- 3 p.m.	Lenny "Trey" Blecha TrioFox Hole		7 p.m. Polkas in the Park
		& proof of liability insurance	Legion Park
12:15 p.m. Noon-5 p.m.	Introductions-Czech Queens Bandstand Gary Moore Amusements3rd & Harris Street	All vehicle laws apply	- THURSDAY, AUG. 3 -
1 p.m.	Flag-Raising CeremonyPost Office	11 /	- INUNOVAI, AUG. 3 -
± p.111.	American Legion Post No. 101 & Wilber-Clatonia H.S. Band	 Operated only between sunrise 	8:30 p.m. Hotel Beer Garden
2 p.m.	PARADECelebrating 150 Years of Czech Heritage	& sunset	- FRIDAY, AUG. 4 -
- μ.ιιι.	I ANADE D	0	8:30 p.m. Bandstand

.Sokol Hall

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WILBER 150th Birthday of Wilber

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7-11 p.m.	Kenny Shuda Band	T.J. Sol
7 p.m.	Miss Czech-Slovak U.S. Pageant	Outdoor Thea
9 p.m.	Miss Czech-Slovak U.S Queen Reception	
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rating 38 Years

ilber/Clatonia Alumni Band Schedule

- Operator must be 17 or older, with valid class 0 driver's license
- 20 mph or less speed limit
- Equipped with bicycle safety fla
- None can be operated on any state hwy within the City, except to cross the hwy

p.m. Hotel Beer Garden FRIDAY, AUG. 4 -8:30 p.m. Bandstand Downtown - SATURDAY, AUG. 5 -2 p.m. Parade 5 p.m. Concert.

...... T.J. Sokol Hall - SUNDAY, AUG. 6 -

10:15 a.m. Wilber Care Center 2 p.m. Parade



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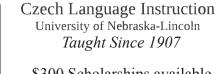
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further Czech culture and heritage through her artwork and much of it can be seen in Wilber and the state

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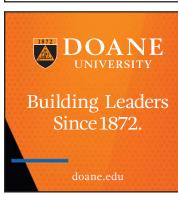
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Register at http://wchsfbla.wix.com/duckanddumplingrun

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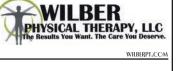
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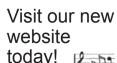
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Welcome to Wilber and **Enjoy the Celebration!**

dancing, museum, costumes, refreshments. pageant and all the rest, your tax deductible donation to this non-profit organization is very much appreciated. Leave your donation at the

P.O. Box 652 Wilber, NE 68465

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