

## **RED OAK FOUNDERS DAY**

**Red Oak Founders Day** will be **September 7th and 8th**. The theme is “Step Back in Time”. The two day event will begin with dancing in the street at Main Street Plaza on Friday, with Wade Hatton and the Texas Hat Band taking the stage at **7 p.m.**, sponsored by Fred’s of Red Oak Steakhouse. The event will include food and drink vendors. You are encouraged to bring your personal lawn chairs.

Saturday’s events will begin at **10:00 a.m.** with the annual Founders Day parade. The parade will begin at Main Street Plaza, travel down Main Street to Red Oak Road, then turns on to Live Oak, leading to the Founders Day festival at Red Oak City Park. The festival begins immediately following the parade.

Booths are available for rental at \$50 per space, \$60 with electricity. The deadline for booth rental is Friday, August 31st.

There will be bounce houses for the kids, a Tiny Tot Train, and a slide in the shape of a tiger. For the adults, Red Oak Chiropractic and Therapy offers on-site massages. Several food vendors have already signed up for booth space and will offer a variety of items - roasted ears of corn, barbecue and turkey legs by the Pink Pig, funnel cake, ice cream, snow cones, Joey’s burritos and more.

Other events include an all-day volleyball tournament and a dunking booth by the Red Oak High School Band Boosters. There will be antique automobiles on display as well as cheerleading and dance performances, a dog training demonstration by Canine Counselors and a martial arts demonstration. The Girls Scouts will be doing a fashion show of uniforms.

To rent a booth, schedule a performance, sign up for the volleyball tournament or parade or for more information on Founders Day, contact the Red Oak Area Chamber of Commerce at (972) 617-0906.