

Wednesday, July 19, 2017

PRESS RELEASE – for immediate release

From: The Wichita-Sedgwick County Historical Museum, 204 S. Main

RE: MUSEUM EVENT & Exhibit:

The Wichita Birthday Party - Happy 147th!

Saturday, July 22nd 2017 from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

At: The Wichita-Sedgwick County Historical Museum - 204 S. Main

The Wichita-Sedgwick County Historical Museum is celebrating two special birthdays on Saturday, July 22nd -- the 147th anniversary of the founding of Wichita, and the 127th anniversary of Wichita's Original City Hall, now home to the Historical Museum.

Wichita was officially born July 21, 1870. Twenty years later, a grand ceremony was held on July 4, 1890 to celebrate the laying of the City Hall cornerstone.

Learn of Wichita's remarkable history in exhibits on all four floors of the Museum's exhibits and enjoy special tours, crafts, activities and refreshments. Admission is free to those individuals and small groups bringing a birthday card! Birthday cake served in Heritage Square (while it lasts!)

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Submitted by Eric Cale, Museum Director, contact: ecale@wichitahistory.org

Venue: Wichita-Sedgwick County Historical Museum, 204 S. Main, Wichita, KS 67202 ,

Contact: 316-265-9314, wichitahistory.org

Museum Hours: Tuesday – Friday 11:00 am to 4:00 pm; Saturday & Sunday 1:00 to 5:00 pm.

Regular Admission Charge: Adults \$ 5.00, Children 12 years and under \$ 2.00; under 6 free

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