

Program in City Center 17th of may

Reveilles from 07:00

Kristiansand and Grim Skolemusikkorps:

Radisson Blu Caledonien Hotel, Østre Strand gate, Markens gate, Kongens gate, Holbergs gate, Tordenskjoldsgate skole

Ynglingeforeningens Musikkorps:

Enrum to Grimtunet.

Tveit Union Musikkorps:

Tordenskjolds gate – Elvegata – Skippergata – Holbergs gate – Dronningens gate – Festningsgata – Kongens gate – Markens gate until Rådhusgata

07:30 Laying down wreaths at Kristiansand Kirkegård [cemetery].

08:50 Market Square: The school parade lines up.

09:00 Welcome speech by the Head of the 17th of May committee, Abdullahi M. Alason. All the school bands play, and everyone sings one verse of the national anthem of Norway, "Ja, vi elsker". Speech of the day, by Tiril Mari Kristine Skjølingstad-Svenning and Olai Gummedal from Lovisenlund school. Rabakoret sings Ends with everyone singing one verse of «Norge I rødt, hvitt og blått». Randesund school band plays to the out march of the parade.

10:30 Market Square: Concert with Spillopus, Lady Klukk, Quantum Oellarus Op & Frem og Guttekoret Bondebrølet.

11:00 Kristiansand Cathedral: Celebratory service by Aud Sunde Smemo, Elsebeth Lütcherath and Marianne Sødal Misje.

11:15 Tresse: Laying down wreath at Camilla Collett statue.

12:00 Salute from the saluting battery on Odderøya by Christianssand Artillerie Salute.

12:00 At the stairway to Handelens Hus: Concert with Kristiansand Handelsstands Sangforening. Conductor: Johan Varen Ugland.

12:15 Wergelandsparken: Laying down wreath at Henrik Wergeland statue.

12:20 Preschool parade, for children under school age together with adults. Line up in Skipper gata by Intersport. Route: Skippergata – Markens gate –Kongens gate – Festningsgata -Tresse. The band Spadser & Blæse Ensembelet plays.

12:30 Nodeviga: Laying down wreath at the maritime monument.

12:45 Wergelandsparken: Laying down wreath at Jørgen Løvland statue.

13:00 Christiansholm Fortress: Sing- along with Kristiansands Haandverker Sangforening. Conductor: Oda Marita Netteland Norevik.

13:00 Laying down wreath at the 22 of July monument.

13:15 Ravnedalen: Concert at Café Generalen. Kristiansand Janitsjar. Conductor: Rune Hansen.

13:30 Wergelandsparken/Market Square: Speech by High School Graduate President.

14:00 Ravnedalen: Laying down wreath at General Oscar Wergeland statue.

14:00 Kilden Performing Arts Centre: Gala concert with Kristiansand Symphony Orchestra.

14:00 Mini concert at the fishing pier by "Blæsen Spadser & Blæse ensembelet"

14:00 Market Square: Sing- along session by "Sammen for byen". Ansgar Gospel Choir.

14:30: Tresse: Laying down wreath at the Veteran monument.

14:30 Kristiansand Cathedral: Organ concert. Performed by cantor Elsebeth Lütcherath. Free entrance.

15:00 Market Square: Drill performance by Tveit Union Musikkorps.

15:45 The civic parade lines up at the Market Square.

16:00 Welcome speech by the Head of the 17th of May committee, Abdullahi M. Alason. Everyone sings one verse of the national anthem of Norway, "Ja, vi elsker dette landet". Speech of the day by Mayor Mathias Bernander. Ends with everyone singing one verse of "Gud signe vårt dyre fedreland". All the bands play.

The vehicles must continue straight ahead along Kongens gate when the parade is finished!

22:30 Tapto parade.

From the top of Markens gate: Tveit Union Musikkorps.

22:50 Firework in Tresse

23:00 Constitution Day ends with happy jazz tones performed by Rabbersvigen Jazzforsamling.



