

ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER: THURSDAY, JUNE 24

See you tomorrow! This important fundraiser will be held at St. Aloysius, 92nd & Greenfield Ave., in the air-conditioned Gonzaga Hall. Enter from the playground. The dinner runs from 4:30-7:30pm.

FOR ALL PARADES:

ALL MEMBERS: Parades are held regardless of weather. The corps owns raincoats, but if it's drizzling when you leave home, wear your own raincoat in case we don't have your exact size.

ALL MEMBERS & PARENTS: Thousands of parade spectators will watch our corps perform in the July and August parades, many of which are COMPETITIONS with judging for awards. Please do your best to be at the parades as the communities need musical performance groups like ours to make their parades entertaining. We ask parents to be at the end of each parade to pick up their corps member as soon as our unit is through marching. Do not wait until the parade is over before locating your family member. We ask you not to walk in the street with the Debs unless you are using spray bottles for our members. Please ask an instructor before you run into the street so you are not in view as the judges are giving scores for our corps. Judges sometimes walk along with the units.

PRACTICES – ALL CORPS MEMBERS

WED. June 30, July 7 & 14 (St. Aloysius, 93rd & Greenfield)

Directions: St. Aloysius ~ enter the gym near the tot lot. The school is called Mary Queen of Saints.

Junior Corps & Daley Dolls meet from 6:30-7:00 p.m. with a brief business meeting to follow.

Senior Corps practice begins at 7:00 p.m. with a brief business meeting to follow.

NOTE: girls are to wear shorts or stretch pants and must wear tennis shoes for baton practice. Sandals are never allowed to be worn for practice.

TEAM PRACTICES & AYOP CORPS PRACTICES: AYOP stands for America's Youth On Parade.

Saturday practices are July 10, 1-4 p.m. at St. Charles Borromeo school, 3100 W. Parnell Ave. Take 894 to the 27th St. exit, then go south to Grange Ave. (about 6 blocks). Turn right (west) for 1 block. Turn left for 2 blocks and park on the playground ~ **and July 17th, 9:00a.m.-3:00p.m.** at St. Thomas More High School, 2601 E. Morgan Ave. Take Howard Ave. east to Kinnickinnic, then north 6 blocks to entrance.

Monday practices - June 28, July 12&19 at 6:30p.m. at St. Mary's-Elm Grove. Team practice at 5:30 p.m.

Directions: St. Mary's – Elm Grove: From US45 take the Watertown Plank Rd. exit west 2 miles (from Hwy. 100 go west 1.4 miles) to St. Mary's. Make a sharp right turn at Old Church Triangle onto Crescent Dr. Turn left into school parking lot at 2nd driveway. If coming from the west, Watertown Plank Rd. is just north of Bluemound Rd. off of Moorland/Pilgrim Pkwy. Proceed 2 miles east to St. Mary's and turn left onto Crescent.

Junior and Senior Twirling Teams: Extra team practice for AYOP will be held on Tuesday, July 13, from 6:00 p.m.-7:45 p.m., at Beulah Brinton Community Center, located at Bay St. & Potter St. in Bay View.

HUMBOLDT PARK SUMMER CONCERT: Twirlers, musicians & color guard members will perform on Tuesday, June 29, from 6:00-6:30 PM. The Humboldt Park band shell is located in Bay View on Pine Ave., 1 block north of Oklahoma Ave. and just east of Howell Ave. Please meet at 5:30 p.m. sharp in uniform! Encourage family, friends & neighbors to attend. Bring your own lawn chair or blanket.

WEST ALLIS INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE: FRIDAY, JULY 2ND-AT 7:00 P.M.

Meet at 6:00 P.M. at 77th & W. Greenfield Ave. The parade proceeds east and ends on W. 70th St. just south of Greenfield Ave. where post-parade activities will occur. This is a COMPETITION parade. The reviewing stand is at 75th & Greenfield Ave. **This parade, on July 4, 1955, was our corps' first performance – 55 years ago!!** Please cheer for the corps – especially at the reviewing stand!

MENOMONEE FALLS INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE: SATURDAY, JULY 3RD-AT 7:00 P.M.

Meet at 6:00 P.M. Enter the parade lineup by taking Appleton Ave. past North Hills Country Club & St. Anthony's Church. Turn right on Lilly Rd. which is clearly marked. Go to Menomonee Ave. Turn left (west) on Menomonee Ave. to Manhattan Dr. (across from the church). We are unit #27. You can't get to the lineup area from Appleton Ave. at Pilgrim Rd. The parade travels on Appleton Ave. to Stadium Dr. and ends at Menomonee Falls High School. Great fireworks follow the parade!

GREENFIELD INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE: SUNDAY, JULY 4TH-AT 12:00 NOON

Meet at 11:30 A.M. at 68th & Layton Ave. This short parade ends at 51st & Layton Ave. (Konkel Park). The UW marching band will march in the parade and then perform their great 5th quarter show at the park.

WAUWATOSA INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE: MONDAY, JULY 5TH-AT 9:00 A.M.

Meet at 8:30 A.M. promptly as we are Unit # 37 at the beginning of this COMPETITION parade. Meet at Mayfair Shopping Center one block east of Mayfair Rd. (Hwy. 100). You may not drive your car into the assembly area, but must park near the west side of Boston Store. The parade travels east on North Ave. to 80th St. (1.7 miles). The TV cameras & judging area will be in the Sendiks parking lot – cheer for the corps at that area!!

WISCONSIN STATE CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST: SUNDAY, JULY 11TH at

MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL, 9700 W. Grantosa Dr.

The contest starts at 8:00 a.m. & our corps will compete before 8:30 a.m. SENIOR CORPS MEMBERS are to report at 7:00 a.m. All Senior Corps members will have their picture taken after the corps competes. Team competition will follow.

Directions: Take West Capitol Dr. to 100th St. Turn north for several blocks. At the stop sign there will be an angle street to the east. That is Grantosa Dr. Turn right for three blocks. We suggest that you park in back of the school.

STATE FAIR PARADE: SUNDAY, AUGUST 8– AT 3:00 P.M. Be sure to add this date to your summer schedule. Details will follow. You must sign up at practice to receive your free admission passes!

CORPS DUES: We ask that all dues be paid by the end of June. For more information, refer to the 2010 Dues Schedule.

SENIOR CORPS MEMBERS: We ask all of you to please pay your annual \$10 uniform rental fee in July. This fee helps to offset the high cost of the uniforms which the corps purchases.

ALL CORPS MEMBERS: It is your responsibility to check with Lisa Condon or Cathy Bohte to ensure that all of your information for the Corps Directory is accurate. The directory will be printed in July.

ADULT & YOUTH BANNER CARRIERS: are needed for all parades. Over the years our corps has received many honor flags that we like to display in our parades, so please volunteer to carry them. We ask adults to wear black pants & black shoes. Children can wear black or white shorts or long pants & black or white shoes. We will provide black jackets or green shirts so that our unit looks coordinated.