

DALEY DEBUTANTES BATON AND DRUM CORPS NEWSLETTER ~ JULY 27, 2011

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HELFAER FIELD- MILLER PARK PERFORMANCES: SATURDAY, JULY 30TH

Meet at 1:15p.m. – Perform at 1:45p.m. and perform again between several other softball games until 4:45p.m. The corps will then march from Helfaer Field to the clock tower at Miller Park at 5:30p.m.

STATE FAIR PARADE: SATURDAY, AUGUST 13TH-AT 3:00 P.M.

Meet at 2:00 p.m. inside State Fair Park at the Tommy Thompson Youth Center, 640 S. 84th St. That is near Gate 5 which is located at 84th & Schlinger Ave. The building is air-conditioned and we can leave items there during the parade. The parade takes about ½ hour and is about ½ mile long. Each corps member and parent who marches will receive a ticket for free admission. The parade will be held regardless of weather so bring a raincoat in case of drizzle. If your child is a Daley Doll one parent will receive an adult ticket as the Dolls enter for free. **We will have tickets available at the Corps Picnic.** If you can't attend the Corps Picnic, call Sherry, Marcy or Patti after July 28th so we can arrange how you will get your August 13th State Fair tickets. We will need banner and flag carriers for the parade and they will also receive a free admission ticket. We suggest you consider parking your car at a Park & Ride and take the bus to State Fair Park. This is a great parade and a fun event for everyone with huge crowds.

IRISH FEST PARADES: FRIDAY, AUGUST 19th -at 6:45pm and SAT. AUGUST 20th -at 4:30pm

These parades are held at the Summerfest Grounds (Meier Festival Park). **We meet before each parade at THE NORTH END OF THE GROUNDS** where the parade starts. It ends at the same spot. Children twelve and under are always free. **One parent will receive a free ticket for each participant for each day.** We are not given parking passes so please arrange carpools. We will reimburse you \$5.00 for parking if you don't have time to take a bus or shuttle. If you take a bus, we will reimburse your bus fare. Allow a long time to park on Saturday as it is usually the busiest day of Irish Fest. Please call another corps member if you need a ride or call Marcy at (414) 481-3081 by Aug. 17th so we have time to arrange rides. Be sure to wear your green Deb shirts!!

FRIDAY- AT 6:45 P.M. ~ Meet at 6:00 p.m. at the north end of the grounds. Enter at the Volunteer Gate which is Service Gate 6 between the Main Gate and the South Gate at 5:45 p.m. if you need a participant ticket. **SATURDAY- AT 4:30 P.M.** ~ Meet at 3:45 p.m. at the north end of the grounds. Enter at the Volunteer Gate which is Service Gate 6 between the Main Gate and the South Gate at 3:30 p.m. if you need a ticket. It is very important to have everyone attend this parade in addition to the Friday parade.

ALL MEMBERS & PARENTS: The chairman of the parades has asked us to provide at least six adults to carry the tall Irish banners in both parades. You will receive a free ticket for admission. Since we are an Irish themed corps we ask you to do your best to be at both of the Irish Fest parades and help as a participant.

**** Eric Blaufuss's Irish band, Shinnigans, will perform at Irish Fest on Sun., 2:00, at the Pub Garden Stage.**

ST. FRANCIS DAYS PARADE: SATURDAY, SEPT. 3rd - AT 11:00 A.M.

Meet at 10:30 a.m. promptly since the parade starts at 11:00. We will meet at the corner of E. Howard Ave. and S. Kinnickinnic Ave. That is approximately 1 ¼ miles south of Oklahoma Ave. The parade ends at St. Francis High School where a festival is held. **This is our last parade of the season.**

GREAT PICTURE & STORY in the July 21 Milwaukee Journal and the front page of the July 24 Milw. Post!

WE THANK all of the terrific corps parents who volunteer so often.

THANK YOU TO MRS. LISA CONDON for the wonderful corps directory.

MEMBERS – Please see the directors if you have not yet received your directory. Notify Sherry of any errors.

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