

Please join us for the Albert Schweitzer Elementary <u>HALLOWEEN PARADE</u> Tuesday, October 31st at 2:00 pm

Parents are invited to view the parade, take photos, and wave! Parents are asked to <u>park in the far</u> <u>lot at Carl Sandburg</u>. Please do <u>NOT</u> park in spots in front of Carl Sandburg or along Harmony Road. The parade will take place at 2:00 pm at the loop in front of Carl Sandburg. Students will exit Schweitzer and walk around the Sandburg loop twice before re-entering the building. Parents

are invited to stand in the grass on the Harmony Road side where the sidewalk is and on the Sandburg sidewalk where the buses pull up on the other side of the loop. We look forward to seeing you for the event! There will be activities available in the library for any students that do not celebrate Halloween. In the event of rain, the afternoon parade will take place in the building for students and staff only.

With the ever-increasing daily theme of aggression and violence in our society, the Schweitzer staff would like to suggest that parents carefully monitor the costume choices worn by students this day. We would request that costume accessories which could be construed as weapons not be part of your child's costume choice. Save make-up, masks, and elaborate accessories for Halloween night.

In an effort to maintain a safe and secure atmosphere during our Halloween celebration, we ask that students do not go home to get ready for the parade and are not dismissed early directly following the parade. Also, no costumes may be worn to school on the bus.

Some classrooms will be having classroom parties following the parade. If you plan on volunteering to help with a classroom party, you <u>MUST</u> have clearances and be on the list provided by the homeroom teacher to be a part of the celebration. Be sure to visit our district website for more information about obtaining volunteer clearances: https://www.neshaminy.org/domain/2376

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