



BRENTWOOD 4TH OF JULY COMMITTEE

3501 Brownsville Road • Pittsburgh, PA 15227

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April 2016

Dear Community Organization:

The Brentwood 4th of July Committee has been busy planning the activities for the annual Independence Day celebration. The annual parade which dates to 1919 will step off on **Monday, July 4th**. This year's parade Grand Marshal will be the Brentwood Volunteer Fire Company which is celebrating its 100th Anniversary.

The Brentwood Fourth of July parade is one of the largest parades in the Western Pennsylvania and the Tri-State area and draws more than 40,000 spectators along Brownsville Road. Spectators have consistently commented how much that they always enjoy seeing the variety of performing organizations.

The Brentwood 4th of July Committee cordially invites your organization to participate in the 2016 parade. **There is no fee charged for community organizations to participate.**

We would be pleased to have your organization join us for the parade on July 4th. You may participate in any one of several ways as follows:

- Participate as Marching or Performing Group
- Design and enter a float
- Enter a car or other vehicle with appropriate signage

To assist us in planning for staging the line-up of the parade, we are requesting information about your group, such as number of performers, type of vehicles or other equipment that you may use in the parade. Please provide this information on the Registration Form. This information will assist us in providing adequate space in the staging area for your unit.

We will no longer have the "former Giant Eagle lot" as a staging area, so we will be making major adjustments to our staging areas which will affect many groups. The parade will continue to start at Brownsville Road and Sankey Avenue with staging areas in many of the neighborhood streets that feed into them. Participants must assemble on July 4th by 8:45 a.m. with the start of the parade at 10:00 a.m. immediately following the conclusion of the 5-K Race. The parade route travels along Brownsville Road to Brentwood Towne Square (approximately 1.6 miles). A week before the parade, you will be notified of the staging area where you will report for the parade line-up.

If you are no longer the contact person, please forward this information to the appropriate individual. If you have questions, please contact Dana Barker at 412-207-2380 or mdbarker23@comcast.net or Stephanie Boehm at 412-977-6479 or sboehm720@hotmail.com.

We look forward to your response and your participation in the Brentwood 4th of July. Thank you for your consideration and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

John W. Frombach, Chair

Enclosures (2) The Brentwood 4th of July Committee is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.



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2016 PARADE REGISTRATION FORM COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION

ORGANIZATION _____

CONTACT PERSON _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE NO. _____ CELL TELEPHONE NO. _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

_____ We will participate in the 2016 Brentwood Parade on **Monday, July 4th**.

Number of individuals from your organization who will participate in the parade: _____

Please describe how your group will participate in the parade (marching or performing group, car, truck, other vehicle, float, etc.):

_____ We regret that we will be unable to participate this year.

Please return this form by **June 1, 2016**, in the enclosed envelope to:

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