



SAVE THE DATE!

Krewe of Kindergarten Mardi Gras Parade
Friday, March 1, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.



Dear Kindergarten Families,

We are excited to celebrate with you and your kindergarten student at our school's annual Krewe of Kindergarten Mardi Gras parade! Please read the following information carefully to ensure a successful event. *Laissez les bon temps rouler!*

Floats

- ❖ Each child is responsible for providing his or her own float. **All floats must be wagons.** Wagons should be decorated with a Louisiana, Mardi Gras, or Valentine's theme. Please label the back of the float with your child's name and homeroom. Students are allowed to pair up if two families would like to work together.
- ❖ Each child must have at least one parent/guardian to assist him or her. Please let us know ahead of time if this is a problem. 8th grade students will pull the wagons so that a parent or family member may help their child with the throws.
- ❖ **Floats should be dropped off the morning of the parade between 8:00 – 9:30 a.m.** Floats will not be accepted during carpool or morning extended day. Please bring your child's float to the gym and follow the signs to drop it in the appropriate place according to homeroom.

Parade Details

- ❖ **Arrive at 1:00pm** and park in the church parking lot. Meet your child in the gym where you dropped off the float. The parade will start in the gym, go throughout the Upper School side of campus, and exit in the church parking lot.

Throws

- ❖ Each child is responsible for providing his or her own throws. If you have extra you wish to donate, please drop them by school by Feb 28.
- ❖ Throws may be beads, doubloons, small stuffed animals, or small soft or plastic toys/trinkets. No candy, please.

Dress Code

- ❖ Kindergarten students may wear jeans and a shirt that is Mardi Gras themed or purple, green, or gold. Mardi Gras accessories may be brought to be worn during the parade.

Checking Out

- ❖ Sign-out sheets will be with the homeroom teachers in the gym if you wish to check out your child immediately following the parade. Please sign out your child before the parade begins.
- ❖ Siblings must be checked out through the appropriate office.
- ❖ Once the parade has finished, you may leave with your child and his/her float. No floats should be left at school.