Important Parade Information

- 1. **PARADE STAGING AREA** will be at Big Creek Elementary School (7247 Big Creek Parkway) between 5:00pm-6:15pm. The staging area is for Parade Vehicles Only. We ask that you enter from Big Creek Parkway.
 - Vehicles not in the parade are not permitted to park in the staging area
 - Portable Restroom Facilities will be available at staging area
- 2. **SHUTTLE BUS** will be available. Those individuals participating in the parade are encouraged to park their vehicles at BMMS. Two shuttles will continuously travel from Berea Midpark Middle School to the drop-off area at Big Creek Elementary School between 5:00-6:30pm.
- 3. We also encourage family and friends to drop off all individuals participating in the parade at the drop-off area near the entrance driveway of Big Creek Elementary School.
- 4. **PARADE STEP-OFF** starts promptly at 6:30pm, City Safety Forces will lead the way exiting at the Big Creek Service Drive on to Pearl Road. Traveling north to the intersection on Pearl Road & Bagley Road. Turn left at Bagley Road (traveling West) to Middlebrook Boulevard.
- 5. **PARADE WILL END** at the intersection of Bagley Road and Middlebrook Boulevard. Police Officers will direct all parade vehicles through the traffic light.
- 6. **LAST STOP-** We suggest the following alternative locations to re-connect with family members and friends. *Please note:* The Community Center Parking Lot will be closed and unavailable during the parade. All Parade Units <u>MUST</u> proceed to the end at Bagley & Middlebrook Boulevard.
 - Berea-Midpark Middle School (BMMS)
 Turn right at Middlebrook Boulevard, proceed to the BMMS
 5th Grade wing driveway entrance, just past Sandalhaven Dr.
 - Common Ground Church
 16670 Bagley Road
 Use the parking lot at the corner of Bagley Road and Fry Road
 - Middleburg Heights Library
 16699 Bagley Road
 Use the parking lot at the corner of Bagley Road and Craigmere Dr.
- 7. It is important that all parade units proceed continuously to avoid large gaps from parade step-off to parade ending.
- 8. For the Safety of all parade units and spectators we ask that candy not be thrown from inside a vehicle. Please walk alongside your vehicle and throw candy to the curb. This will help keep kids back and away from the center of the street.

HAVE FUN!