

# **It's Greenbrier's Annual Halloween Parade Time Again! October 31, 2018**



Below are answers to frequently asked questions about Greenbrier's annual Halloween celebration.

## **When should my child wear his/her costume to school? (Wearing a costume is optional)**

Morning Kindergarten and Early Childhood students should wear their costumes to school. All other students wear their costumes after lunch. For first through fifth grade, please do not apply makeup to your child's face before sending them to school in the morning.

## **When is the morning Early Childhood and Kindergarten parade?**

Morning Early Childhood and Kindergarten parades begin at **9:30 a.m.** They will start their parade by exiting door 8, walk to the blacktop and then parade across the blacktop to the front doors of the school.

## **Can my child go home for lunch to change into a costume?**

Yes. We will be sending home a permission slip that should be returned to school by October 24<sup>th</sup> so that we know the children leaving school that day. Parents **will not** need to sign their student out in the office this day.

**12:10 pm Lunch dismissal** will be the same as after school, car line in the back and walkers will leave out the front. Please make sure your child knows what to do.

**1:10 pm** All students should return to school and use **FRONT** door **ONLY**.

## **When is the lunch period?**

The lunch/recess period is from 12:10 p.m. – 1:10 p.m. Zip lunch only, no not lunch, will be the only lunch offered on Halloween: Cereal/Yogurt, Pizza Kit, or Turkey & Cheese Deli.

## **If my child stays at school for lunch can they change into a costume at school?**

Yes. Following lunch and a recess break, the students will change into their costumes. Please **label** any bags that hold costumes to avoid confusion.

## What is the parade route?

Morning Parade Route: At 9:30am, the students will exit door 8, walk to the blacktop and parade to the front doors of the school. Parents are welcome to line up on the blacktop to watch the parade. Following the parade, students will return to their classrooms for Halloween activities.

Afternoon Parade Route - At 1:30pm, the parade, led by Mrs. Bingaman and the front office, will leave the blacktop on the north side of Greenbrier and continue in front of the school, along Verde to Roanoke. We will proceed on Roanoke towards the Greenbrier School playground, over the black top and back to the front doors of the school. Following the parade, the students will return to their classrooms for special fun activities planned by teachers and PTA room representatives.

## What if it rains on that day?

If it rains we will parade indoors. We will invite parents into the Commons and Gym to view the indoor parade.

We make every attempt to maintain an appropriate learning environment during morning instruction. Your cooperation will assist us in making October 31st a day for both learning *and* celebrating. We'll see you at the parade!

