# Kindergarten Graduation Parade

Yes. That's right, we're planning to have a kindergarten graduation parade to celebrate the completion of your child's kindergarten year. Actually, we are planning to have ten (10) parades over a two-day period. One parade for each kindergarten class. We are definitely going to need everyone's cooperation to successfully pull this off!

### PARADE GUIDELINES

Parents, we are asking you to decorate a car to drive in the parade. Decorations should celebrate your child. Feel free to be creative! Children should be dressed in panther spirit colors (read & blue) and wear their graduation cap and tassel. Each child will ride in the front passenger side of the car during the parade. Below are assigned dates and times for each class's parade along with the route. We anticipate that this will be a joyous event that will give you and your family a wonderful memory.

## PARADE TIMES

## Thursday, May 21st

- Kelly Sicks's Class: Start lining up at 8:30 am. Parade begins a 9:00 am
- Natalie Britt's Class: Start lining up at 9:30 am. Parade begins a 10:00 am
- Ashley Davis's Class: Start lining up at 10:30 am. Parade begins a 11:00 am
- Lacey Jeffrey's Class: Start lining up at 1:30 pm. Parade begins a 2:00 pm
- Amy Smith's Class: Start lining up at 2:30 pm. Parade begins a 3:00 pm

#### Friday, May 22nd

- Amanda Thurman's Class: Start lining up at 8:30 am. Parade begins a 9:00 am
- Brandi Stewart's Class: Start lining up at 9:30 am. Parade begins a 10:00 am
- Jennifer Foster's Class: Start lining up at 10:30 am. Parade begins a 11:00 am
- Madison Foster's Class: Start lining up at 1:30 pm. Parade begins a 2:00 pm
- Leslie Gearing's Class: Start lining up at 2:30 pm. Parade begins a 3:00 pm

#### PARADE ROUTE

- Line up in the front parking lot
- Start by traveling south on Vivian Merritt St.
- Turn right onto Smurr Ave.
- Turn right onto Ingram St.
- Go north on Ingram St.
- Arrive at the rear entrance to the campus by the softball field
- Turn right onto campus.

The parade of cars will travel though the parking lot toward the 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade car pickup area. There, each car will briefly park to allow the child to be greeted by school administration and his/her teacher and receive their certificate. Afterward cars will exit toward Vivian Merritt.

Spectators are encouraged to stand along Ingram St. to cheer for our little panthers.

Lastly, please know that we will be following safety guidelines that include wearing face masks and gloves as well as social distancing when possible.