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Village of Hales Corners

5635 South New Berlin Road

Hales Corners, WI 53130

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Hello Hales Corners Parade Participant,

We are contacting you today about participating in the 2025 Hales Corners 4th of July community parade. The parade starts at 4:00 PM on Thursday, July 4th, 2025 on W Forest Home Ave near Hales Corners Fire Department. All parade participant units must have their parade application approved by the 4th of July Committee. If your group has a contract that requires a signature, the contract must also be reviewed and approved by the Village Board.

IMPORTANT 2025 UPDATES:

1. This year's theme is "Red, White, and Bloom" to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Hawthorn Garden Club. Everyone is invited to incorporate flowers, flower leis, Hawaiian shirts, etc. if practical to go with the theme.
2. W Forest Home Ave road construction will not impact our staging area or the parade route; however, nearby road projects may cause delays if you have a tight turnaround. Please confirm your route to avoid construction related delays.
3. This year's parade route will again end at the three-way intersection of S New Berlin Rd, S 116th St, and W Godsell Ave. Any units with a large bus or large trailer will be directed at the end to turn onto W Godsell Ave to load at Hales Corners Elementary School's loading zone. All other units will be asked to continue down W New Berlin Rd toward Village Hall. We will forward further instructions with your unit number mid-June.

Please return all parade applications and contracts requiring a signature to HC4thOfJuly@gmail.com by May 30th.

☐ Yes, our group is interested in participating.

☐ No, we are not interested in participating.

Name of group _____

Contact Name _____

Address _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone number: () _____ E-mail _____

Will your group use instruments or amplified sound? (Yes) _____ (No) _____

If yes, please describe the instruments or amplified sound: _____

Cost of your group (If no cost please mark as N/A) \$ _____

Please briefly describe your group for the parade announcer:

Submission of this form does not guarantee participation in the parade. Only once your group receives an email confirming your group's unit number will you be guaranteed a spot in the parade. Final parade order will be determined in mid-June. We will send unit numbers and final staging information to the contact provided on or about June 20th.

Questions? Contact parade organizer Ian Thomson call/txt 608.346.0474 or email HC4thOfJuly@gmail.com