

Denton Juneteenth Parade Marshalls

Description

Juneteenth Parade Marshalls carry signs or banners in front of each unit, maintaining distance between units, and keeping the parade moving at a consistent pace.

- Company 1) College students representing one or more student organizations. This group carries banners introducing the parade honorees, e.g., Grand Marshall, Ms./Mr. Juneteenth, Ms./Mr. Community Service, etc.
- Company 2) Denton ISD 8th grade students. This group carries signs introducing all units except honorees, including units with their own banners.

Participant Selection Process

- 1) UNT, TWU and NCTC students. Each institution selects their representatives.
- 2) The Manager of this program is responsible for selecting the participants. All 8th graders at all Denton ISD schools are eligible for consideration, but must meet the following requirements:
 - a) No disciplinary penalty during the current school year.
 - b) Posted no grade lower than C during the current school year.
 - c) One teacher recommendation required.
 - d) Parental approval required.

The Denton Juneteenth Parade is a JEDI event (Just, Equitable, Diverse and Inclusiveness.) Students with disabilities may participate with assistance, but the student must carry the sign.

Uniforms

- 1) Participants each college must wear matching college paraphernalia. Example: All NCTC representatives must wear identical NCTC shirts.
- 2) Participants will wear J.U.'s "Happiness Promoter" t-shirts, black or white shorts, and tennis.

Schedule

Group 1	Nov. 1 April 1	Colleges may begin selection of their representatives. List of participants must be provided to JU's Marshall Manager.
Group 2	Jan 3 Feb 28 March 31 June 4 June 18	Begin participant recruitment Application deadline Selections announced Training luncheon (required). Shirts distributed. Parents welcome. Instructions / participation certificates issued / group photo. Parade Day. All marshalls must check-in by 9:30 AM (Denton Civic Center parking lot.)

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