

Dutchtown High School Air Force JROTC Department



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Dear Parents: 12 January 2015

Your child wishes to march in the Henry County Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parade on Monday, 19 January 2015. Students should arrive at the front of the Henry County Schools' Performing Arts Center's parking lot, which is adjacent to Henry County High School and sign in with me (I will be standing in the drive entrance nearest the building) by 9 am on Monday, 20 January and have transportation arrive the same location at approximately 10:45 am to return home.

All participating students will receive 100 points in the uniform inspection **and** service categories (note: students who do not wear the proper uniform and/or are not groomed to uniform standards may not be allowed to march and WILL receive reduced points or 0 points, depending on the severity of the discrepancy); will be exempt from wearing the uniform on Tuesday, 20 January (but wear the JROTC black polo shirt and khakis for inspection on Tuesday); **plus** three hours credit for the community service participation requirements.

Students must wear their Air Force JROTC uniform with tie/tie tab and windbreaker, and must meet uniform grooming standard requirements. Students must be prepared to "march" for the length of the parade (from Henry County Performing Arts Center (adjacent to Henry County High School), down past the Henry County Court House, up the and around the McDonough Square, and back to the Performing Arts Center. Students will not be allowed to march with purses or book bags, so students should not have these items with them.

We will designate one student to serve as the formation commander, four to five students to serve as our Color Guard, and two students to serve as our banner carriers.

Our commitment to the parade organizers are serious commitments. Please make sure your child is available to participate and that he/she will have transportation to and from the Performing Arts Center at the designated times on the 19th. (I will arrive at the Performing Arts Center by 8:45). Those who commit to the parade but do not participate in the parade will get a "0" in the service category (for failure to show) and must wear the uniform on 20 January, or they will also get a "0" in the uniform inspection category for that inspection day.

Please sign the permission section below and have your child return it to Major Beavers by 4pm on Thursday, 15 Jan.

Sincerely,

Major Sarah A. Beavers, USAF, Retired Department Chair & Senior Aerospace Science Instructor

--- PLEASE CUT HERE ---Henry County Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Parade Monday, 19 January

My child, ________, JROTC _______ period, has my permission to march in **the Henry County Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Parade on Monday, 19 January 2015.** My child will arrive at the front of the Henry County Schools' Performing Arts Center's parking lot, which is adjacent to Henry County High School, and check in with me by 9am on Monday, 19 January and have transportation arrive the same location at approximately 10:45 am to return home.

My child and I understand that he/she must wear the JROTC uniform: tie/tab and windbreaker combination, and will receive appropriate inspection point deductions if he/she is not dressed and groomed appropriately; may not get to march if dressed in the wrong uniform combination or is not groomed appropriately; will receive a "0" in the service grading category if he/she fails to show for the parade/does not march with JROTC in the parade; is required to wear the JROTC uniform on Tuesday, 20 January if he/she does not show for or fails to march in the parade with DHS JROTC, or get a "0" for the 20 January uniform inspection; and will receive a "0" in the service category if he/she fails to show after committing to do so. **This form is due Major Beavers by 4pm on Thursday, 15 January**.

Parent Signature Contact Phone Number for Monday, 20 January 2014