

HALLOWEEN 2014



Waverly will host our annual costume parade, followed by class parties, on Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. *If your child will not be participating in these events due to your personal beliefs, please inform your child's teacher and we will provide an alternative activity in the afternoon.* Students taking part in the parade should be guided in the selection of their costumes and masks so that they are not violent in nature. We also ask that you ensure that your child's mask does not impede his/her ability to see, since we will be parading. Finally, for security purposes, we ask that adults refrain from wearing masks to the festivities.

**Our festivities will begin at approximately 2:45**. We will begin with our traditional parade. With high hopes that the weather will cooperate, our students will begin their parade through the teams, and then continue through the front doors to the front driveway. Areas will be marked for our parents to position themselves to see the students in their costumes. We welcome your attendance at the parade. In the event of rain, we will parade through the classrooms and into the cafeteria and gym. Spectators will be directed to marked viewing areas. The parties will begin at the conclusion of the parade.

Following the parade, room parents and volunteers contacted to assist with parties are invited to sign in and join the students in their classrooms. All other visitors must depart at this time to ensure adequate access to our school for buses as they enter. Our students will dismiss at the usual time. Please inform your child's homeroom teacher if his/her dismissal procedure will vary from his/her usual procedure.

Party items are provided by our PTA. In accordance with county mandated guidelines from the Institute of Medicine, we will provide healthy snacks. We thank our PTA for generously providing pre-packaged apple slices, water, and a party favor for each of our students.

Please sign and return the slip below indicating your preferences for the day. Thank you.

Child's Name:	Grade:

\_\_\_\_\_My child does not participate in the afternoon Halloween activities.

\_\_\_\_\_I have read the information about food items for the party. My child MAY eat apple slices at the party.

\_\_\_\_My child MAY NOT eat apple slices. *I will be providing the following healthy item in its place:* 

Parent's Signature:	Date:
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All students must return this slip to his/her homeroom teacher.