

Veteran's Day Parade

Monday, November 12th

Please arrive at the CK Burns School by **9:10am.**

Rides should be waiting after the parade at the Northeast Credit Union (*formerly known as Ocean Communities Credit Union*) at **10:50am.**

The official line up time is 9:30am, the parade starts at 10am with an opening ceremony. The parade will step off as soon as the ceremony concludes.

The parade route goes from to Eastman Park in Saco (in front of the First Parish Church) down Main St. in Saco, to Memorial Park in Biddeford (corner of Pool and Alfred- next to police station, post office and Alex's Pizza). ***Please have a ride waiting for you at the Northeast Credit Union (corner of Pool and Alfred) as we will be ending there.***

Please wear your uniform (SMS Music shirts, black pants, black shoes, black socks). ***You must have your SMS Music Shirt AND black pants, black socks and black shoes*** (no skirts or high-heeled shoes!). You may wear sunglasses, but no hats, please. Be sure to wear sunscreen if the weather warrants it. As a reminder, it is a good idea to leave your instrument cases in your cars as you will not be able to carry them from the beginning to the end of the parade.

*****Mrs. Wise will let students know on Friday if the weather forecast warrants us to plan to wear our jackets. If we are wearing the jackets, the students can wear sweatshirts, sweaters, coats, etc. to keep them warm and we will cover it up with the jackets (unlined windbreakers) that we will hand out at the start of the parade, and collect at the end. Black pants, socks and shoes will still be expected, but their Band Shirts won't be necessary.***

All percussion and the bari saxophone will be transported to and from the parade. If there is a parent with a truck willing to help haul equipment to and from the parade, please call Mrs. Wise at 282-4181, or email nwise@sacoschools.org.

If it is raining, you will receive a text via our Reminder101 text alert system by 8:00am. If you have not registered for the text alert, please do so ASAP (go to www.sacomiddleschoolband.weebly.com for information). If you do not receive a text by 8:00am, report to CK Burns School by 9:10am.

We will need parents to help with water bottles, etc. during the parade as well as a few wagon pullers. Please let me know if any parents are willing and able to march with us in the parade. The more the merrier!! Also, donations of cases of water would be VERY appreciated. You can call Mrs. Wise at 282-4181 or email nwise@sacoschools.org. Thank you!