



**FLAGS OF FREEDOM**  
*Parade & Field Show*  
SUN PRAIRIE, WISCONSIN  
Saturday July 1st, 2017

Welcome to the 45th year of summer marching ensembles in Sun Prairie & the annual Flags of Freedom!

This year we are excited to welcome 10 marching ensembles from Wisconsin & beyond in addition to our Sun Prairie Alumni Band "ECHO." Enclosed in this packet we hope you find all information needed to help you have a successful and enjoyable day.

**FLAGS OFFICE** - located at Cardinal Heights Upper Middle School (CHUMS) - *just inside Door #1 at the front*  
School address: 220 Kroncke Dr. Sun Prairie, WI 53590  
Office Manager: Cheryl Graves, 847-340-1657 (Cell)  
Police Phone: 608-837-7336 (non-emergencies), 911 for emergencies

#### **LOCAL MEDICAL FACILITIES**

- SSM Health Dean Sun Prairie Clinic, 10 Tower Dr. , Sun Prairie (608-825-3008), open 8am - noon
- SSM Health Emergency Center, 2840 O'Keefe Ave, Sun Prairie (608-229-8484), open 24-7

#### **HOMEROOM**

Homerooms will be available (upon request) and located at Cardinal Heights Upper Middle School (CHUMS). The gym, locker rooms, restrooms, & showers will be available all day. If you would like to reserve homeroom, please send an email request with times to [ipmelro@sunprairieschools.org](mailto:ipmelro@sunprairieschools.org) by Saturday June 24. When you arrive, please check in at the Flags Office (see above) and we will give you a map of the school and show you where your rooms are.

#### **PARADE**

The parade begins at 2pm. Staging area, bus routes, & student pick-up will be marked on maps included. There will be water available at the end of the parade route. Buses should park in the Washington Mills lot. **PARKING IS NOT ALLOWED ON LINNERUD DR.!** This is the main east-west driving corridor for the city during the parade.

#### **PRACTICE FIELDS**

One lined field is available at CHUMS - located in back, inside the track. There will be a sign-up at the Flags Office (see above) to reserve this field (2 hour increments, with all rehearsals concluding no later than 6pm). **Please only use this field after first signing up at the Flags Office.** The competition field is NOT available for practice.

#### **FIELD SHOW**

- Warm-Up areas before the field show will be located on the south side of CHUMS
- Please be positioned at the top of the hill by the performance field no later than 10 minutes before your performance
- Drum Majors should be at the east end zone of the competition field for awards immediately following the ECHO
- Critique will be in the upper level of the press box immediately following SOSOP's performance. Snacks, desserts, & beverages will be provided for staff & judges.

**PARADE** - staging around Westside Elementary School on Ruby Ln.

*Step-Off time is indicated below*

2:00 - Sun Prairie

2:07 - Lighthouse Brigade Junior

2:14 - Columbus Saints

2:21 - Rock River Concord

2:28 - Shadow

2:35 - Lutheran Vanguard

2:42 - ECHO

**FIELD SHOW** - Ashley Field @ Cardinal Heights Upper Middle School on Kroncke Dr.

*Performance times are indicated below*

7:00 - Opening Ceremonies

7:05 - Racine Scouts

7:22 - Columbus Saints

7:39 - Rock River Concord

7:56 - Green Beret

8:13 - Break

8:28 - Lutheran Vanguard

8:45 - Lighthouse Brigade

9:02 - Shadow (EXH)

9:19 - SOS (EXH)

9:36 - "ECHO" - Sound of Sun Prairie Alumni Band (EXH)

9:45 - Awards

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Sound of Sun Prairie Business Manager, Ian Melrose. See you soon!

Ian Melrose - SOS Business Manager & Flags Contest Host

[ipmelro@sunprairieschools.org](mailto:ipmelro@sunprairieschools.org)

608-318-8134 (work - limited hours), 608-772-6639 (cell - anytime)

# Bus & Vehicle Parking Map, 2017



# Show Site Map, 2017



## Reminders & Requests:

### WARM-UP

Please be aware that sound may carry to stadium. Wind & Percussion warm-up areas should remain in back of building as shown.

### PARKING

Please see detailed Bus & Vehicle Map for band parking, spectator parking, & handicap parking. It's going to be tight - please abide.

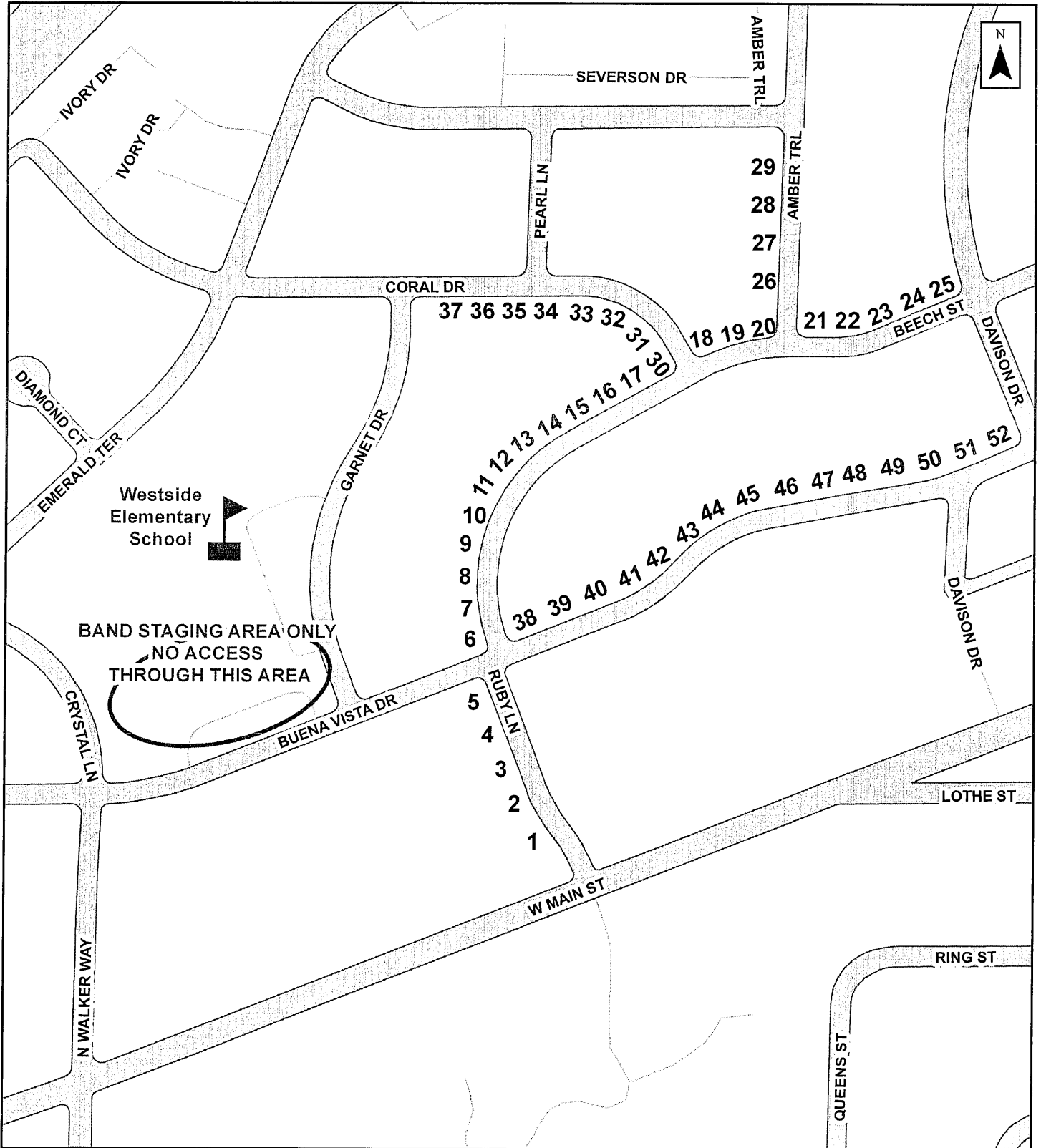
### PRACTICE FIELD

Reminder to please reserve a time at the Flags Office, in 2 hour increments, ending at 6pm.

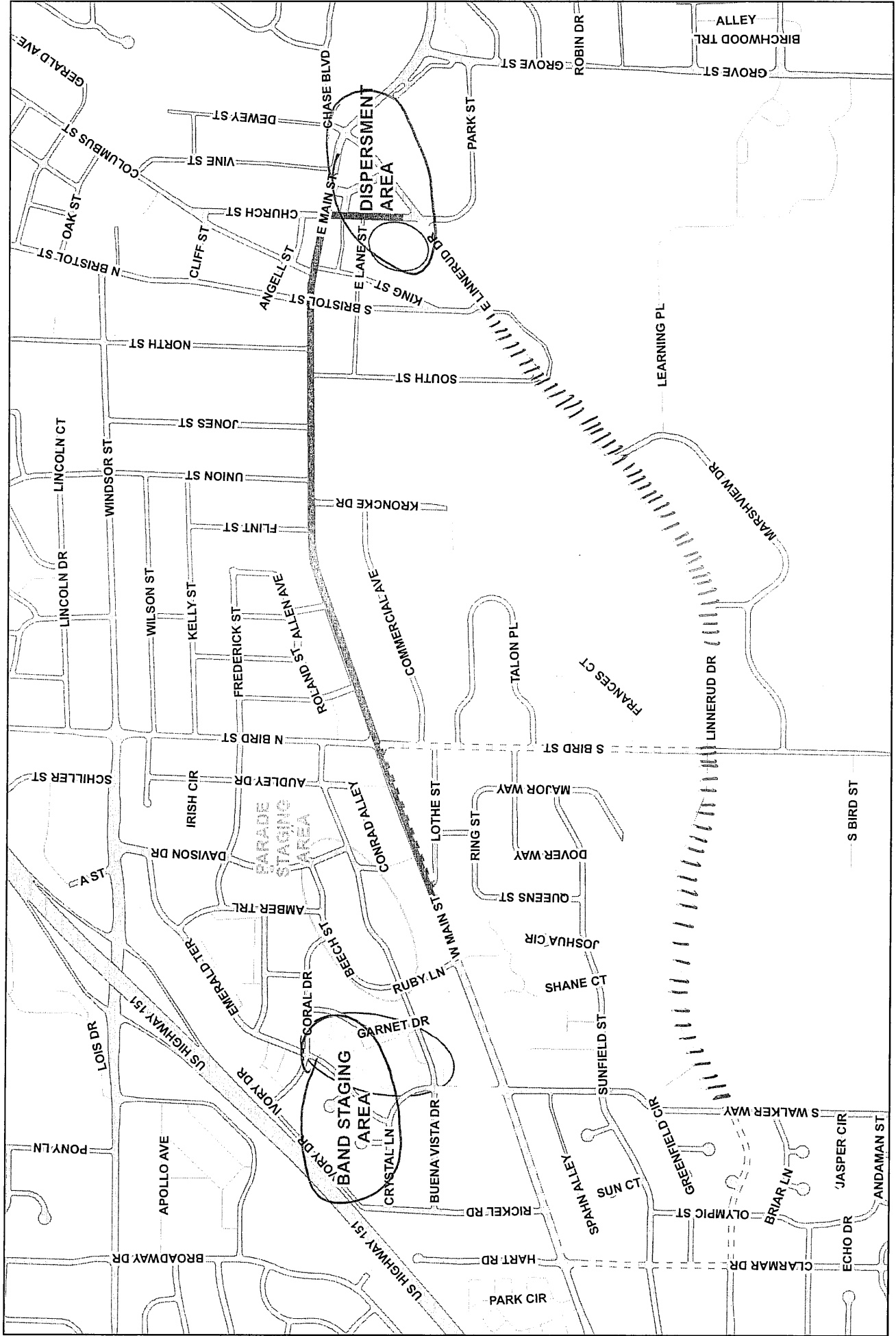
### FIELD SHOW ENTRANCE

"Top of the Hill" - if you are not familiar with this field show entry & exit location, it is recommended to view the this area upon your group's arrival.

# Flags of Freedom Unit Staging Area



# Sun Prairie Flags of Freedom Parade



Bus Drivers: Please follow Bus Route for band pick-up and keep Linnerud Dr and Market St open for unit dispersment.

# Dispersment Area

