

September 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Kitchener-Waterloo Oktoberfest is just around the corner! Your son/daughter signed up to participate in this year's parade on **Monday, October 8, 2018** as a clown, flag carrier or sandwich board walker. Not only is this an exciting and unique experience, they will receive seven hours towards their community service! Please be sure your child brings their Community Service sheet, completed with this event, on the day of the parade, as it will be the only time credit can be given.

Students are required to be at Bethany Evangelical Missionary Church, 160 Lancaster St. E, Kitchener N2H 1N2 by **7:00a.m** to allow time to get registered. Students are to wear appropriate clothes and footwear for the weather, which will be worn under the clown costume. Flag Carriers will be provided German Tracht (Lederhosen/Dirndl), and Sandwich Board Carriers will wear their own clothes. Please do not bring valuables, as there will not be a secure place to store them. Cell phones are NOT permitted along the Parade Route. Students are also reminded to have breakfast before they arrive at Bethany Church.

The students will be picked up, by bus, at the end of the parade route and returned to Bethany Evangelical Missionary Church, where a light snack will be provided. If your child has any allergies, please let us know at time of registration.

Please pick your child up between 11:00 and 11:30 at Bethany Evangelical Missionary Church.

If your child has any allergies/sensitivities or if there are any special needs or concerns that need to be known before Parade date (e.g. noise sensitivities, fears, etc.), please let the Parade Production Committee know by email (kim.perry@rogers.com).

If you have any questions, please leave a message with Carol Tucker at the Kitchener-Waterloo Oktoberfest Office at 519-570-4267 ext. 223 and one of us will return your call within 24 hours.

Yours truly,

K-W OKTOBERFEST INC.

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