

2006 General Meeting Schedule

March 9th—First General Meeting

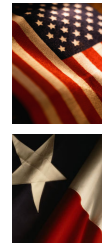
April 27th—Parade Fair

May 18th—Grand Marshals & T-shirts.

June 15th— Hand Out Parade Packets

July 4th—Parade Day!

All meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. in the Meeting Room Downstairs at George W. Hawkes Central Library: 101 East Abram Arlington, TX 76010 817-459-6900



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Tuesday, July 4th

March 2006 Newsletter



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A Letter from the President of the 4th of July Association...

It's that time of year again! My name is Geni Waldrop and I am so honored to be President of the Arlington 4th of July Parade Association. I began volunteering for the parade four years ago as historian. Since 2004 I have been Applications Chairman.

We have a wonderful group of volunteers who work hard all year to ensure a successful parade. We couldn't do it without them.

The theme for the 2006 parade is America, The Dream Lives On. We dedicate this year's parade to the sponsors of the 4th of July Parade. The parade would not be a success without their sponsorship and dedication.



Please join us March 9, 2006 at 7PM in the George Hawkes Library for our first General Meeting.

See y'all at the Parade!

Geni Waldrop, President

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2006 Theme & Dedication

The Theme of the 2006 Parade is: **The American Dream Lives On.**

The Parade is dedicated to the **Arlington 4th of July Parade Sponsors:** Accent Awards, AE Petsche Co., AISD, Arbori, City of Arlington, Comcast, Duncan Disposal, Geico, General Motors, KLIF, Rooms to Go, Six Flags Over Texas, Star-Telegram, UTA, West-lake Ace Hardware.

New Members

The Association would like to welcome our latest board members & volunteers:

~ Don Fallavollita

~ Matt Holtman

National Anthem Campaign

The Parade Association will be supporting the National Anthem Campaign again at this year's parade. Did you know that two out of three Americans don't know the words nor the historical events that inspired our National Anthem? Did you know that the "official standards" of the anthem was for "The Star Spangled Banner" to be sung together? It has now become the custom for our anthem to be performed by soloist at special events.

Do you know and understand the significance of our anthem's history and how our national anthem came to be?

We want to remind all Americans to treasure our national riches and to celebrate our unity and our values in song.

Look for more details in the next few months on how we will be supporting the Campaign at the 2006 parade.

On-Line Registration

FINALLY! This year we will be accepting On-Line Registration for entry to the 2006 Parade. Beginning March 4th, go to www.arlington4th.com to fill out an on-line application. We will still accept paper applications too. They will be available on our site and at the General Meeting.

New Parade Participants

The March 9th, General Meeting will be mandatory for all **new parade participants**. Come to the George W. Hawkes Library at 7pm to get all the important information regarding the parade & procedures



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