

The Arbutus Recreation and Parks Council

(We are a 501 c3 Organization) **Arbutus July 4th Parade Committee**

Dear Friends,

The Arbutus Fourth of July Committee is once again planning for a great celebration! Last year, a lot of people turned out for a Great Parade and we received a lot of positive feedback. We are always looking to make it a smooth and positive experience for our community so feel free to contact us with your suggestions or if you would like to volunteer.

The parade takes several months and many volunteers to coordinate but it also depends on the kind contributions from our community members. In addition to permits, insurance and other expenses, having a parade is expensive! It's not widely known that many of the parade groups actually charge a fee for their participation. In order to have a robust parade for all to enjoy, we do hand select the finest groups available. Our community and businesses have always contributed generously, and we once again seek your support!

The committee is humbly seeking your financial support by contributing whatever amount that your financial position permits. Private donations are the cornerstone of our success. Your donations are tax deductible and greatly appreciated! Please consider donating and help to preserve our 4th of July Tradition!

Your tax deductible donation may be made out and sent to:

The Arbutus Recreation Council C/O The Arbutus 4th of July Committee 1938 Bell Ave. Halethorpe, MD 21227

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