

National Trail Local School District

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Good Evening NT Families:

A few updates as we move into Friday!

COMMUNITY CAR PARADE

National Trail Staff will be holding a Car Parade through our various communities to help spread
a little cheer to our students and families.

Parade Start: 5:30 in New Paris, 5:45p in Eldorado and 6:05 in West Manchester - ALL TIMES are APPROXIMATE

Date: Monday, April 20, 2020 (Weather Pending)

Parade Route: New Paris, Eldorado and West Manchester (Parade Route is attached)

Why: We miss our NT students and families and want to be able to connect outside of the virtual world!

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION:

- PLEASE STAY IN HOME OR ON FRONT LAWN TO WATCH PARADE
- PLEASE DO NOT CONGREGATE ON THE SIDEWALK WITH ANYONE OUTSIDE OF YOUR RESIDENCE/FAMILY
- CONTINUE TO PRACTICE SAFE SOCIAL DISTANCING
- DO NOT WALK UP TO CARS OR GO INTO THE STREET. STAFF WILL SIMPLY WAVE AND SEND SMILES AND HUGS FROM A DISTANCE. PARADE CARS WILL NOT STOP TO TALK.
- MASKS SHOULD BE WORN
- PEOPLE SHOULD NOT PHYSICALLY VISIT OTHER'S HOMES TO VIEW THE PARADE, UNLESS THEY ARE THERE TO PROVIDE HELP AS OUTLINED IN THE STAY AT HOME ORDER.
- **Some of you may ask**: What if the parade isn't coming by my house? Drive and park to a location where the parade will go and STAY IN YOUR CAR to watch.

WASHINGTON DC - Class of 2024

 Based on the information received regarding the status of the COVID-19 Pandemic, the National Trail Local School District in conjunction with K&K Tours decided it is necessary to reschedule the Class of 2024 Washington D.C. Trip. After looking at all possible options, the week of November 15-19 appears to interfere the least with our students' very busy academic, extra-curricular, athletic and social calendars. Additionally, students traveling to Washington D.C. would have Friday, November 20th, off from school as well. The Class of 2025 will still plan on taking their Washington DC trip in May of 2021.

FAQ - COVID19

• In order to help answer questions, NT put together the attached FAQ document. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me by phone (937-437-3333 x1101) or by email bfischer@nationaltrail.us

GRADES

• Per the OneCall Text that was sent out today.... It's EXTREMELY important for students to COMPLETE ALL NTI work in a timely fashion. Teacher's are grading all assignments and the return of this work will help staff plan future lessons/learning for this year and the 20-21 school year. Parents, if you need any assistance, please reach out to your teachers or building principals. We are here to make this situation as easy as we can while still addressing academic needs for the future success of our students.

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ONE CALLS

• If you are not receiving One Call Texts, please contact me ASAP so we can verify the issue. We are opting for texts via phone calls to ensure we communicate the information in written form.

If you have any questions, please reach out to me!

Thanks,

Robert (Bob) Fischer