



YOU ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 2025 SCOTCH PLAINS-FANWOOD MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Dear Friends,

Plans for the 2025 Scotch Plains-Fanwood Memorial Day Parade are now underway. This year's parade will be held on Monday, May 26th. With your help, we hope to continue the tradition of excellent support from all civic groups in our communities.

Memorial Day pays tribute to American military personnel of all wars who made the ultimate sacrifice by giving their lives in service to our country. Your participation will honor these fallen heroes and contribute to the success of the parade.

The theme for this year's parade is **"In Memory of Many, In Honor of All"**. We will recognize the dedication, commitment and sacrifice of all members of our Armed Forces who have defended our nation and continue to protect our country.

The very popular **Memorial Day Parade Float Contest** will be included in this year's parade. If your organization would like to enter a float, please fill out the attached form to indicate your interest in participating in the contest. There will be prizes awarded for the top three floats: **1st Place** \$1,000.00; **2nd Place** \$750.00; **3rd Place** \$500.00. Your float should incorporate the parade theme.

Please complete the attached form and return it as soon as possible so that the Parade Committee can complete its mission -- to have the best parade ever! We look forward to working with you on this important community project honoring our fallen heroes.

Thank you for your participation.



The Scotch Plains-Fanwood Parade Committee



2025 SCOTCH PLAINS-FANWOOD MEMORIAL DAY PARADE APPLICATION

Name of Group: _____ will

participate in the 2025 Scotch Plains-Fanwood Memorial Day Parade.

Our group will be Marching.....YesNo *Please Respond by April 30th*

Our Group will have a Float.....Yes.....No *Please Circle Yes or No*

Our Group will have a Vehicle(s).....Yes.....No *Number of Vehicles* _____

Floats can be no taller than 11 feet above street level. It is recommended that all floats have one spotter on each side.

Group Representative: _____

Mailing Address of Representative: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Please respond by *April 30, 2025* so that we can determine the order of march.

Mail or e-mail to:

Memorial Day Parade Committee

Attn: Bob LaCosta

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*** Important:** With your response, please write below a brief description (100 words maximum) of your group that will be read from the reviewing stand. Thank you.