

**69TH ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S PARADE
HOLYOKE, MASSACHUSETTS
SUNDAY MARCH 20, 2022**

GRAND MARSHAL: Atty. John J. Driscoll

PARADE PRESIDENT: MARC E. JOYCE

CHIEF-OF-STAFF: KATHLEEN M. KRISAK

Deputy Chiefs of Staff: Jane Chevalier, Jennifer Morrison

Police-Traffic Coordinator: Holyoke Police Dept.

Fire Department Coordinator: Holyoke Fire Department

Emergency Medical: Holyoke Medical Center

Mass. State Police Coordinator: Lt. John Healy

PARADE ROUTE - 2.65 MILES

North on Northampton Street to Beech Street; East on Beech Street to Appleton Street;
Southeast on Appleton Street to High Street; North on High Street to Hampden Street.

ASSEMBLY AREA

K-Mart Plaza Parking Lot - Northampton Street (U.S. Route 5) and Whiting Farms Road,
Divisions: "A" thru "J" Division "K" - Shriners Unit on RT 5 Northampton Street Northbound Side.
Assembly information can be found at Command Post.

A S S E M B L Y T I M E S

Arrival Times for Divisions:

Arrival Gates:

8:45 AM Division C-D-F	C-F-H-E-J South Gate KF Chicken
8:45 AM Division A- B	A-B on Street going N in SB lane
9:30 AM Division E-I-G	D-I-G North Gate-D'Angelos
10:15 AM Division H-J	
12 Noon for K only, K-On RT 5, Northbound Side	
All Floats to Lower Lot	

STREET CLOSURE/FIRST CALL	10:30 A.M.
TOWN CRIER & PROGRAM SALES:	11:10 A.M.
STARTING TIME FROM K-MART LOT	11:20 P.M.
T.V. TIME:	12:00 P.M.
PARADE ON AIR:	12:08 P.M.

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FLOATS

FORM IN LOWER LOT

FLOAT CHAIRMAN: Bill Quesnel
FLOAT COORDINATORS: Paul Soja & Duncan Mackiewicz

MUSIC

MUSICAL UNITS LINE UP IN DIVISIONS "A" THROUGH "J" AS ASSIGNED

MUSIC CO-CHAIRMAN: Dave Haslam, Kimberly Izquierdo
COORDINATOR MUSIC JUDGES: Tom Tisdell
MARKETING COMMITTEE: Kelly McGiverin, Sheila Moreau, James Leahy
PARADE COMMUNICATIONS: Tower Communications
COMMUNICATIONS COORDINATORS: Jim Wildman, Joe Morrison
PARADE CONTROL: Parade Committee Members at Franklin Street Cross over. We will also have monitors with bands along the parade route.
REVIEWING AREA: City Hall - Parade Committee and Mayor's Reviewing Stand
TELEVISION AREA COORDINATORS: Tim Burns, Ken Collins, Dave Griffin, Jim Wildman, Barry Farrell
Holyoke High School – Beech Street
Springfield TV 22 – Parade Hosts: Rich Tettermer & Taylor Knight and Hayley Dunn
FIRST-AID STATIONS: K-Mart Plaza - Holyoke Medical Center

SOCIAL MEDIA: Parade Website: <http://www.holyokestpatricksparade.com>
Twitter @holyokeparade
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/HolyokeParade>
Parade Hashtag: #Parade413

DIVISION AA
HOLYOKE ST. PATRICK'S PARADE COMMITTEE

- Curran Vehicles (Bill Dinn)
- Holyoke Auxiliary Police Car
- Parade Program Books – Van
- 1930 AA Fire Truck

DIVISION A
HOLYOKE ST. PATRICK'S PARADE COMMITTEE

- Division Sponsor Sign
- Holyoke Auxiliary Color Guard

1. 215TH ARMY BAND -MINUTEMAN BRASS BAND – FALL RIVER , MA

- Holyoke Police Chief Dave Pratt
- Holyoke Police Department Marching Unit

(A) RETIRED HOLYOKE POLICE ON DOUBLE DECKER BUS

- Massachusetts State Police Vehicles

2. HOLYOKE CALEDONIAN PIPE BAND - HOLYOKE, MA

- Grand Marshal Sign
- Grand Marshal – Atty. John J. Driscoll & Eileen Driscoll and Family
- Past Grand Marshals (Cars)
- St. Patrick's Parade Chaplin – Fr. Michael J. Twohig
- J.F.K. National Award Winner Sign
- J.F.K. National Award Winner – David W. Glidden & Michelle Glidden and Family

3. TIAN GUO MARCHING BAND – GREATER NEW YORK

- Parade President – Marc E. Joyce and Cindy Joyce and Family
- Rohan Award Winner – Brynn Gillis & Family
- O'Connell Award Winner – Brian Donoghue & Family
- Gallivan Award Winner – John R. Beaulieu and Family
- Valet Park Vehicle

**(B) HOLYOKE ST. PATRICK'S PARADE COMMITTEE
GRAND COLLEEN FLOAT MOIRA CATHERINE MCDERMOTT HER COURT
"ROCKY ROAD TO DUBLIN"**

4. MATTATUCK DRUM BAND – WATERBURY, CT

- Ambassador Award Winner- Honorable Martin J. Walsh & Family
- Congressman Richard E. Neal
- Minister for Education, Government of Ireland- Norma Foley, TD
- Consul General of Ireland to New England – Dr. Laoise Moore
- Citizenship Award – Eileen Curran & Family

5. ST. PETER'S DRUM CORP – TORRINGTON, CT

- Bishop William D. Byrne of Springfield
- 4th Degree Knights of Columbus Color Corps
- Fairview Assembly – 2670- Chicopee
- 3rd Degree Knights of Columbus Marching Unit

B-1 2 STILT WALKERS

D I V I S I O N B
C I T Y O F H O L Y O K E

- Holyoke Division Sponsor Sign
- Holyoke High School Cheerleaders

6. HOLYOKE HIGH SCHOOL BAND – HOLYOKE, MA

- Holyoke High School North Students
- Holyoke Mayor Joshua A. Garcia and Family
- Holyoke City Council
- Holyoke School Committee

(C)

AMAZON

- Holyoke Fire Department Color Guard Unit
- Holyoke Fire Chief Jeffery Przekopowski
- Holyoke Fire Department Marching

7. BROOKLYN UNITED DRUMLINE – Brooklyn, NY

- Federal Dignitaries
- State Representatives – Patricia Duffy
- State Senators
- District Attorney Anthony Gulluni
- National Association of Letter Carriers – Branch 46
- Hampden County Sheriff Nick Cocchi & Marching Unit

DIVISION B (Continued)
City of Holyoke

(D) VETERAN'S DRAGON BOAT USA- HOLYOKE ROWS

8. WORCESTER KILTIE – WORCESTER, MA

- Holyoke/Chicopee Head Start Marching Unit
- Holyoke Community Charter School
- Holyoke Health Center 50th Anniversary Marching Unit
- Holyoke Health Center Dental Van
- Ms. Massachusetts Senior America 2019- Irene Szloskek Lemieux
Ms. Massachusetts Senior America 2021 – Suzan April
- Miss Western Massachusetts 2022- Caroline Holladay
- Miss Western Massachusetts Outstanding Teen 2022 – Laila Hosnander
- Miss Pioneer Valley 2022- Baily Tatro

9. AQUA STRING BAND – PHILADELPHIA, PA

- Peoples Bank Box Truck
- Girl Scouts of Central and Western Massachusetts
- Blessed Sacrament School
- Mater Dolorosa School
- Holyoke Outreach Marching Unit
- Mount Marie Rehabilitation and Health Center

(E) ALL ARE WELCOME IT'S OUR 50TH YEAR - JERICHO

- Jericho Marching Unit

(F) HOLYOKE GAS & ELECTRIC UTILITY VEHICLE

DIVISION B (Continued)

City of Holyoke

10. STONY CREEK FIFE AND DRUM – BRANFORD, CT

- Holyoke Medical Center and Valley Health Systems Marching Units
- Valet Park Mini Van
- Mount Tom Lodge of Masons
- Cassin Academy of Irish Dance
- AOH 2020 Man of the Year – Matt O'Connor
- LAOH 2020 Women of the Year – Kelly O'Connor
- AOH Marching Unit
- AOH 2020 Christian Charity Award – Sister Joan Magnani SSJ

(G) LAOH – IN MEMORY OF PAST MEMBERS

CABALLOS DE PASO - GAITED HORSES

JR SWEEPING SERVICES, LLC

DIVISION C

Military

11. CHESTER FIFE & DRUM CORP. – CHESTER, CT

- Holyoke Soldier's Home
- Disabled American Veterans #41 & #68
- The Salvation Army Disaster Service Van
- 82nd Airborne Division Association
- American Legion #275 Motorcycle Riders

12. GREAT AMERICAN MARCHING BAND – NEW ENGLAND

HALLAMORE CLYDESDALE HORSES – HOLBROOK, MA

JR SWEEPING SERVICES, LLC

D I V I S I O N D
A G A W A M

- Division Sponsor Sign
- Agawam Parade Marshal – Laurie O’Connell
- Agawam Ann Sullivan Award Recipient – Kay Benson
- Agawam Citizenship Award Recipient – Anthony Boido

**(I) AGAWAM COLLEEN EMMA THOMSON AND HER COURT
“CASTLE AT THE MOUTH OF THE RATTY”**

- Agawam Parade Committee Members
- Agawam Town Banner
- Agawam Mayor – William P. Sapelli
- Agawam City Council
- Agawam School Committee

13. AGAWAM HIGH SCHOOL BAND - AGAWAM, MA

- Agawam High Cheerleaders
- Agawam Fire Department – Chief Sirois
- Agawam Police Department – Chief Eric Gillis

14. FUSION CORE - MORRIS COUNTY, NJ

(I-1) HULA HOOPER AND WING DANCER

- Massachusetts State Lottery 50th Anniversary

D I V I S I O N E

C H I C O P E E

- Division Sponsor Banner
- Chicopee Banner
- Chicopee Marshal – James Kelly
- Past Parade Marshals

(J) KELLY'S POT OF GOLD

- Polish National Credit Union Marching Unit

15. CHICOPEE COMP SCHOOL BAND – CHICOPEE, MA

- Chicopee Comp Cheerleaders
- Chicopee Parade Committee President – Haley Jarvis
- Jack Woods Award Winner – Eddie Kenfield
- Atkinson Award Winner- Joel Rodowicz
- Bill Meara Award Winner – Joshua Malone & Sara Gilpatrick
- Chicopee Parade Committee Members

(K) CHICOPEE COLLEEN ASHLEY TERRON AND HER COURT “HAPPY DAYS”

- Chicopee Mayor – John Vieau
- Chicopee City Council and Elected Officials
- Chicopee Police Department – Deputy Chief Jeff Gawron
- Chicopee Police Department Marching Unit

16. CHICOPEE HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING PACERS BAND - CHICOPEE, MA

- Chicopee High School Cheerleaders
- WWLP-22 News & The CW Springfield
- Chicopee Fire Department – Chief Daniel Stamborski
- Chicopee Fire Department Marching Unit

- Chicopee Fire 1929 Fire Truck and Hose Wagon

DIVISION E (Continued)

Chicopee

17. MARQUIS OF GRANBY – GRANBY, CT

- Moose Family Center #1849 Officers Marching Unit
- Moose Family Center Marching Unit
- Boy Scout Troop 1849
- Boy Scout Troop 183
- Chicopee Braves Football & Cheerleaders
- Paulo Freire Charter School Marching Unit

18. NARRAGANSETT REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL - BALDWINVILLE, MA

(K-1) JUGGLER AND WING DANCER

DIVISION F
EASTHAMPTON
SOUTH HADLEY/GRANBY

- Division Sponsor Sign – bankESB
- Easthampton Parade Marshal – Joan Callini and Nancy Lapointe
- Easthampton Past Marshals
- Easthampton Shamrock Award – Glendale Grill
- Easthampton Gallagher/Walker Award Winner – Coreen Foote
- Greater Easthampton Parade Committee

19. HOT TAMALES - CAMBRIDGE

- Easthampton Police Color Guard
- Easthampton Police
- Easthampton Mayor – Nicole LaChapelle
- State Representative – Dan Carey
- Chief Bob Alberti and the Easthampton Police Department
- Chief Christopher Norris and Easthampton Fire Department
- Easthampton City Officials and City Council
- Easthampton School Committee

(L) “THE CEILI COTTAGE”

- Duffy School of Irish Dancer
- **South Hadley Division Sponsor Sign - Beers & Story Funeral Home**
- South Hadley St. Patrick’s Parade Committee Banner
- South Hadley Parade Marshal – Kathryn F. Gallivan and Family
- South Hadley Select Board

**(M) SOUTH HADLEY FLOAT
“FLAGS OF HONOR”**

- South Hadley Fire District # 1 Fire Chief Robert Authier
- South Hadley Fire Districts # 2 Acting Fire Chief Todd Calkins
- Granby Fire Association Department & Antique Fire Truck

(M-1) 2 WING DANCERS

- Hampshire Tow Truck

DIVISION G
NORTHAMPTON/AMHERST

- Division Sponsor Banner
- Northampton Banner
- Veterans Council of Northampton
- Northampton Parade Marshal – Tully J. McColgan
- Past Marshals
- James Brennan Award Recipient – Thomas J. Dunphy
- Joan Tobin Citizenship – Rohin Singh Northampton High School
- William F. O'Connor Shanachie Award Winner – Nora Mulvehill Hampshire Regional High School
- James Diggin Award Winners – Dillion Moggio Northampton High School
- Northampton Mayor – Gina-Louise Sciarra
- Northampton City Councilors

21. CONNECTICUT HURRICANES – SEYMOUR, CT

- Northampton St. Patrick's Association Banner
- St. Patrick – Bill Metzger
- Northampton St. Patrick's Association Members
- Northampton Police Department - Vintage car
- Department of Conservation "Smokey Bear"
- Look Park Jeep

22. EXPANDABLE BRASS BAND – WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS

- Hampshire Sheriff's Office Marching Unit
- Smith Vocational Criminal Justice Students and Teachers

DIVISION H SPRINGFIELD

- Division Sponsor Sign
- Springfield Banner

23. MINNECHAUG REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL – WILBRAHAM, MA

- Springfield Parade Marshal – Sean Cahillane
- John & Agnes Burke Award – Kerri F. Sullivan
- Paul G. Caron Award – Maura Troy Cournoyer
- Mary B. Troy Appreciation Award – Stephan Allen
- Springfield St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee Banner & Marching Unit

(N) SPRINGFIELD COLLEEN COLLEN CURLEY AND HER COURT “RAINBOW AFTER THE STORM”

- Central High School Air Force Junior ROTC
- WMASS News
- Boomer Springfield Thunderbirds Mascot

24. SPRINGFIELD KILTIE BAND - SPRINGFIELD, MA

- John Boyle O'Reilly Club “Irish Person of the Year – Patty Devine
- John Boyle O'Reilly Club Volunteer of the Year – Stephen McGirr
- John Boyle O'Reilly Past Presidents
- John Boyle O'Reilly Club Membership-President Gloria Fernandez
- Claddagh School of Dance-Irish Step Dancers
- Black Rose School of Dance

(O) JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY CLUB FLOAT - IRISH PUB & MUSIC

DIVISION H.... (Continued)

Springfield

- Springfield City Council
- Springfield School Committee
- Springfield State Representatives & State Senators
- Springfield Police Superintendent Cheryl Clapprood
- Springfield Police Department Honor Guard
- Springfield Mayor Domenic J. Sarno
- Springfield Police Marching Unit
- Springfield Fire Commissioner – B.J. Calvi
- Springfield Fire Department Marching Unit
- Springfield Lodge of Elks # 61 - 2022 Irish Elk of Year Diane Fitzgerald
- Springfield Lodge of Elks # 61 Officers

**(P) SPRINGFIELD LODGE OF ELKS #61 FLOAT
 “SALUTE TO SACRIFICE”**

DIVISION I
WEST SPRINGFIELD

- Division Sponsor Sign
- West Springfield Banner

Sponsor: Laurel Pure

25. WEST SPRINGFIELD HIGH SCHOOL BAND – WEST SPRINGFIELD, MA

- West Springfield Town Marshal – Fire Chief William Flaherty
- West Springfield Fire Department Marching Unit
- Ray DiStefano Citizenship Award – CARE Coalition
- Olde Mittineague Award – Kelley & Katzer Real Estate
- Jinx Powers Award Winner – Christopher Thompson
- West Springfield St. Patrick’s Committee

**(Q) WEST SPRINGFIELD COLLEEN KATHLEEN BELIVEAU & HER COURT
“IT TAKES A VILLAGE”**

- West Springfield 2020 Senior Colleen – Shelby Mason
- State Rep. Michael Finn
- West Springfield Mayor Will Reichelt
- West Springfield Town Council and School Committee
- West Springfield High School 2021 State Championship Soccer
- Jack Jonah Foundation
- Irish Cultural Center and Springfield Rugby Club

26. FRALINGER STRING BAND – PHILADELPHIA, PA

- West Springfield Police Department Marching Unit – Chief Paul Connor

27. CYCLING MURRAYS – CAMBRIDGE, MA

DIVISION J
WESTFIELD

- Westfield Division Sponsor Sign

28. BUSHWACKERS – PRINCETON, NJ

- American Legion Post #124 Color Guard
- Westfield Parade Marshal – Patrick “Packie” Smith
- Thomas M. Kane Irish Man of the Year – Mark Hanrahan
- Westfield Mayor – Mike McCabe
- Westfield City Officials
- State Senator John Velis

29. WESTFIELD HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND – WESTFIELD, MA

- State Representative – Kelly Pease
- Billy Buzzee St. Pat on the Back-Award Winner – Jim Hogan
- Sons of Erin Marching Unit - President James Laverty
- Westfield Gas and Electric Sign
- Dorothy Griffin Irish Women of the Year – Beth Burns
- Sons of Erin Women’s Auxiliary Marching Unit – President Beth Burns

(R) SONS OF ERIN COLLEEN BRIGID MORIARTY AND HER COURT
“TAKE NOTHING BUT MEMORIES, LEAVE NOTHING BUT FOOTPRINTS”

30. WAREHOUSE POINT FIFE AND DRUM – ENFIELD, CT

- Westfield Police Department- Captains Larry Valliere
- Westfield Fire Department – Deputy Fire Chiefs Andrew Hart & Patrick Kane
- St. Mary’s Parish School

(S) THE WINDOWS-THE STORY OF OUR FAITH & FOUNDATION

- Our Lady of Blessed Sacrament
- Blandford Officials
- Granville Police Department- Chief Rick Rindels (2 Vehicles)

- Huntington Fire Department

31. WORCESTER SOUNDS – Worcester, MA

DIVISION K

MELHA SHRINERS

- * L.O.S.N.A.
- * Rainbow Girls
- * Parade Marshal – Marcos Babilonia
- * Melha Banner - Color Guard - Legion of Honor
- * Illustrious Potentate – Jeff Hastings
- * Divan
- * Chief Rabban
- * Asst. Rabban
- * Past Potentates

MELHA TEMPLE MILITARY BAND - SPRINGFIELD, MA

- * Legion Van
- * Trustees
- * Administrators
- * Aides and Ambassadors
- * Directors- Float
- * Directors Van- Mel Balloon on Trailer
- * Past Masters
- * Mini Scooters
- * Shrine Club: K-9, Burns Brigade, Berkshire Shrine Club

CLOWNS FLOAT

DIVISION K..... (Continued)

Melha Shiners'

- * Rider's Mini- Choppers
- * Flyers- Trailer

HIGHLANDERS- BAND

- * Vintage Autos

DAZZLE BALLOON FLOAT

MELHA TEMPLE ORIENTAL BAND - SPRINGFIELD, MA

- * Mariners
- * Melha Riders
Hadji: Dune Buggy, Mustang, Mini-Bikes, Big Rig's Plus, Rattlers,
Model T's Monster Trucks, Go Carts, Dune Buggy.
- * Jeeps
- * Trykes

MELHA TEMPLE DRUM CORPS

MELHA BUS

*****END OF THE PARADE*****