

# Mardi Gras Info for Parents

- The Mardi Gras parade is on **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July**
- It starts and finishes at **Simeon Recreation Ground**, Ryde, PO33 1JZ
- Please enter and exit Simeon Recreation Ground via the pedestrian entrance off Simeon Street.
- **Drop off** TBC with your child's teacher or responsible adult- **from 1.30pm**
- Once onsite your child will be shown to their school or groups base where they can get ready, putting costumes on etc. Please do not leave your child unsupervised.
- **Everyone ready to go by 2.35pm. The parade leaves at 3pm**
- The parade should take approximately 1.5hrs
- **Children can be picked up from 4.30-5pm**



## Please Remember:

Put sunscreen on your child before they arrive. Make sure your child has comfortable shoes suitable for walking and dancing. Have a refillable water bottle for your child. Unless advised differently wearing a base clothing of black, shorts and t-shirt etc, is recommended so that the costumes stand out well.

*There will be wheelchair accessible toilets provided at Simeon Recreation Ground, 1<sup>st</sup> aid, an ice cream and doughnuts van. If anyone has access needs or requires a disabled parking permit please contact [abigail@newcarnival.co.uk](mailto:abigail@newcarnival.co.uk).*

*If you would like to join in with your child on the parade, you are welcome but will need to be wearing plain black or white base clothing and part of a costume or hold a flag- this is provided.*





For more details or **to donate** (we are a not for profit community interest company, CIC)

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Thank you!