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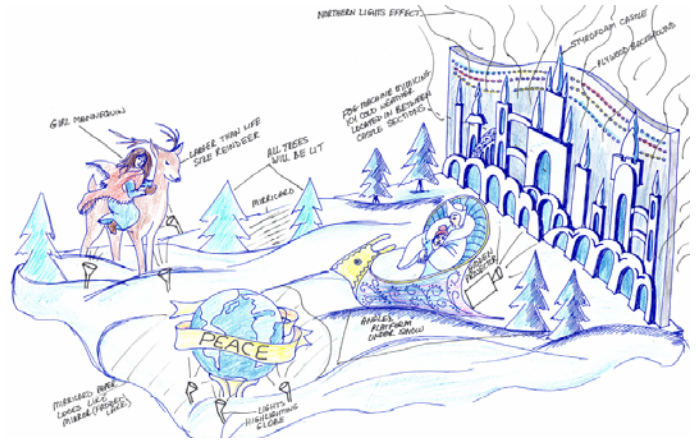


Santa Claus Parade
Saturday, November 15, 2008, 4:45 – 8:00 PM

It is with great excitement and enthusiasm that MPUE announces that the English-Ukrainian Bilingual Program will be a participant in the Santa Claus Parade as a winner of the Community Creation Contest.

To promote this special float and our program we would like children and parents to participate in the parade. Due to the length and time of the parade we are requesting children to be accompanied by an adult at all times. All participants would walk along the route of the parade and hand out items to the on-lookers as well as sing along with the carols being played on the float. In order to prepare for this event, we request that you complete the bottom portion of this form by Wednesday, October 29th and send it back to your child's homeroom teacher.

The float is based on the sketch shown in this letter and based on the fairytale 'The Snow Queen' by Hans Christian Anderson with minor modifications to include Ukrainian elements and our own creative spin. This story is very popular and well known in Ukraine and around the world.



Our float will be accompanied by pre-recorded Ukrainian Christmas Carols sung by local school children as part of the music, as well as students from the English-Ukrainian Bilingual Program with some dressed as angels walking alongside the float.

If you have any questions, please send an email to mpueinc@mpue.ca. Thank you for your attention to this request.

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Santa Claus Parade Participation Form

Please send completed information back to your school by Wednesday, October 29th, 2008. Parents or child supervisors will be responsible for their children during and after the parade.

Name of Student(s) School Home Room Teacher

Parent/Guardian(s) Name Email / Phone

My child(ren) will attend the event My child(ren) are unable to attend the event

My child(ren) are allowed to be videotaped and photographed

I, (name of parent/guardian) will participate in the parade.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date