



Kennywood News Release

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Kennywood welcomes, for the 27th year in a row, Majorette Day!

West Mifflin, PA— Nearly 1000 youngsters from the tri-state area are expected to participate in the 27th annual Majorette Day at Kennywood, on Tuesday, August 9, 2005.

Highlighting the festivities is the 2 PM parade when 25 drill teams march around the Kennywood midways. The groups, ranging in age from preschoolers to young adults, parade around the park in colorful outfits with drums, high flying batons, and flags.

Prior to the annual Majorette Day, Kennywood hosted the Tri-State baton Twirling Tournament. It had a history of 30 years and was complete with competition and the crowning of a “Queen”. The event changed from being a competition to a parade to permit a wider range of drill teams to participate. So, actually batons have twirled and participants have enjoyed a special day at Kennywood for over fifty-five years!

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