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Fall Fantasy Parade 2006

West Mifflin, PA — Kennywood is pleased to present the *57th annual Fall Fantasy Parade*.

This year's parade — *Kenny Kangaroo's Favorites on Parade* — gets underway at 8 PM on Tuesday, August 15, and runs for 19 fun-filled evenings, ending on Saturday, September 2.

Along with up to ten bands performing each night — that's almost 150 high school and college bands! — Kenny Kangaroo requested some of his all-time favorite "subjects" to be included as floats. They include *Hansel & Gretel's Candy House*, *the Big Bad Wolf*, *Frog Prince*, plus several others with another connection to Kennywood. There's one for *Garfield & Odie*, *Noah's Ark*, and *Phantom Fright Nights!* And keeping with a long-time tradition, Santa Claus will bring each parade to a close.

Kennywood Team Members don costumes to bring the floats and walking characters to "life". Kennywood's Human Resource Director Joe Barron states, "Our Team Members love to be in the parade. It's fun to see their individual personalities appear through the characters they portray!" This year's walking characters include a variety of super heroes and storybook friends.

Fall Fantasy dates back to 1950, when "Alice in Wonderland on Parade" began this end-of-season tradition. The six night festival made use of floats from Riverview Park in Chicago, Illinois, as well as local marching bands. After two years of transporting floats from Chicago to West Mifflin, Kennywood decided to produce its own floats. Today's master float crafter, Mary Ann Spanagel of Pittsburgh, began as a teenage assistant to artist Frank Ross (her art teacher) in 1961. She took over the reigns in 1979 and has shared her talent with Kennywood Fall Fantasy audiences ever since.

For a listing of performing bands and a coupon for **\$5 OFF** Fall Fantasy's \$14.95 *NightRider* ticket visit www.kennywood.com.

Note: Kennywood opens at 5 PM on Monday, August 28 through Friday, September 1.

The 74th annual Croatian Day is Saturday, September 2. The park is open through Labor Day, plus two **bonus weekends: Saturdays and Sundays, September 9, 10, 16 and 17, 2006.**

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Kenny Kangaroo's Favorites on Parade

1950	Alice in Wonderland	1980	Mother Goose on Parade
1951	Storybook Land	1981	Holidays on Parade
1952	Candy Capers	1982	Magic Melodies on Parade
1953	Circus on Parade	1983	Mother Goose on Parade
1954	Gay Nineties	1984	Circus on Parade
1955	Frontier Days	1985	Saturday Morning Live
1956	Wild West Days	1986	Cartoon Capers on Parade
1957	Mardi Gras	1987	Music Music Music
1958	Arabian Nights	1988	Fairy Tales on Parade
1959	Neptunes Kingdom	1989	Americana on Parade
1960	Holidays on Parade	1990	Golden Oldies on Parade
1961	Winter wonderland	1991	Storyland on Parade
1962	Toyland on Parade	1992	Kiddie Kapers on Parade
1963	Space Age on parade	1993	Mother Goose on Parade
1964	Old West on Parade	1994	Holidays on Parade
1965	Circus on Parade	1995	Wild Wild West on Parade
1966	Mother Goose on parade	1996	Broadway on Parade
1967	Americana on Parade	1997	Incredible Journeys on Parade
1968	Holidays on Parade	1998	100 Years of Fun on Parade
1969	The Best of the Past	1999	Fall Fantasy Celebrates 50 Years
1970	Wizard of Oz	2000	Favorite Things on Parade
1971	Storyland on Parade	2001	Zany Zoo on Parade
1972	Gay Nineties	2002	Holidays on Parade
1973	Winter Wonderland	2003	Fairy Tales on Parade
1974	Great Events	2004	Flights of Fancy on Parade
1975	Americana on Parade	2005	Merrie Menagerie on Parade
1976	Storyland on Parade	2006	Kenny's Favorites on Parade
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