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**Granite City Park District
Independence Day Celebration**

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**Young Patriots Creative Writing Competition Sponsored by the
Patriots in the Park Committee**

Students: Kindergarten – Eighth Grade

**The theme this year is:
“FREE TO DREAM”**

As Americans we are encouraged to dream. And in America we are free to pursue those dreams. Growing up we have been encouraged to set goals that would help us make our dreams a reality. Many have discovered that through hard work and the ability to overcome failure our dreams become reality.

Writing Prompt: Write an essay that conveys your dreams. Describe your dream jobs and how you plan to attain them. Conclude your essay by describing people in your life who have encouraged and influenced you to reach for your dreams.

On April 17, 2020 we will pick your Essays up at
your School Principals Office by 9:00 am
or you may take them to the Park Office by 5:00.

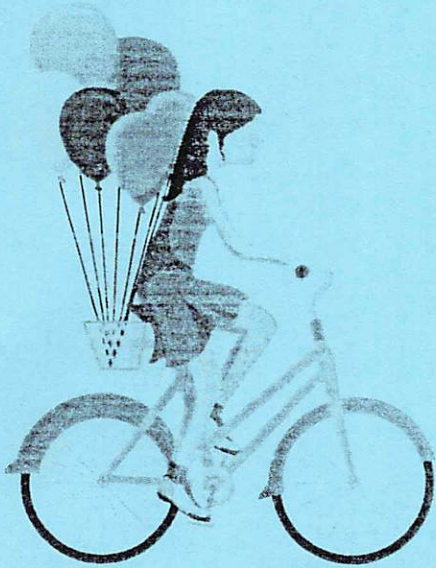
ENTRY GUIDELINES

K THRU 2ND – 1 PARAGRAPH
***3RD GRADE - 3 TO 5 PARAGRAPHS ***
4TH THRU 8TH – 5 TO 6 PARAGRAPHS

First place winners will receive a cash prize of \$25.00.
Each essay that has the teacher's name on it will be placed in
a drawing for a cash donation of \$100 to the class.

**PLEASE BE SURE TO PUT YOUR NAME, SCHOOL, GRADE,
HOME PHONE #, ADDRESS AND
YOUR TEACHER'S NAME ON YOUR ESSAY**

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Patriots In The Park Bike Parade

Friday, July 3rd 6pm

Centennial Pavilion, Wilson Park

Everyone Welcome

If it has wheels and no motor you are in.

Decorate Your Wheels and join the fun

one mile ride inside park !!!!



**Hosted by the Granite City Park District
and Unity Baptist Church**