

Safety Notes & Additional FAQ

Q: What are the most important safety notes?

- 1. Please stay off the retaining walls located along the parade route.
- 2. Do not stand, lean-on, or prop anything along the wooden fences in the park.
- 3. No drones, No pets, No bicycles.
- 4. Lanterns: Only LED battery are powered lights allowed. No fire, and no flying lanterns.

Q: How long is the parade route? Can I bring my kids?

A: The Lantern Parade is a family-friendly event. The parade route is .7 miles long (downhill). It is a walking parade, so good walking shoes are a must. After the event, there are shuttles to bring you back (uphill) to parking.

Q: Will there be bathrooms?

A: Bathrooms will be available at the start line, Steel Canyon Golf Club, and at the park. Trash cans are also available at the park. Please do you part to keep the park clean and ready for play the next day.

Q: Can I bring my dog?

A: We love our fur-babies, but this is a people parade. For the safety of both pets and people, we ask that you leave your pets at home. Working service dogs are the exception.

Q: Can I bring my bike?

A: There will be a lot of people on the parade route. For safety reasons, no bikes on the parade route.

Q: Can I fly my drone?

A: Drones are not permitted.

Q: Is the parade route wheelchair accessible?

A: Unfortunately, the parade route is not wheelchair accessible. The parade route is approx. 2 miles down & back. During the parade, the route portion of the road will be closed with no shuttle service to the park.

Q: Are medical personnel present?

A: Yes! Members of Sandy Springs Fire and Police will be located throughout the event. In the event of an emergency, please call 911.

Q: Can I set up a table to sell or promote?

A: No outside vendors are permitted.

Q: Is Morgan Falls Overlook Park closed for the parade?

A: The park will close at 4:00pm on Saturday, April 15 for the event. Unauthorized vehicles in the park are subject to be towed.

Q: Are any streets closed?

A: Morgan Falls Road will be closed beginning at the curve, after the entrance to Adair Apartment Homes. Residents who live along Morgan Falls will be able to get into their community until 8:15pm. To help identify that you're a resident, please turn on your flashers.

All traffic will be held until the parade passes the entrance (approx. 8:15-9pm).

Q: What happens if it rains?

A: In the event of inclement weather, we will announce updates on our event page (CitySprings.com/Lantern) & on social media (Facebook.com/CitySprings)

Q: How many people do you think will attend this year's Lantern Parade?

A: We don't know for sure, but we are planning for large numbers. Last year, we were joined by over a thousand new friends!