



Celebrating 250 Years of America

2026 DESOTO CHILDREN'S PARADE & ELC PARTY IN THE PARK

Friday, April 3rd 10:00AM
Palmetto's 10th Street/Sutton Park

We are turning the pages of our future! Floats or group performances should showcase a child's interpretation of American history, culture, and values.

The first 10 parade entries will receive a \$500 stipend to help with float supplies and building materials!

TO REGISTER VISIT:

desotohq.com/children's-parade
Register by March 27th

FEATURING:

Community Agencies
FREE Parent Resources
Games for Kids
The ELC Book Bus
Face Painting
Arts & Crafts & MORE!



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