## Annual Greek Independence Day Parade

On **Sunday, March 25**<sup>th</sup>, **2018**, the Greek American community will be celebrating Greek Independence Day in downtown Philadelphia with a parade down the Benjamin Franklin Parkway. Odyssey Charter School will be providing bus transportation and snacks to and from the event for parents and students interested in attending the parade. This year, OCS has been given the honor of marching first in the parade procession and being the official school to sing the Greek national anthem at the end of the parade! Please note: attendees are not simply observers of the



parade, but actually participate in the walk and will be rewarded for attendance with a dress down day the following Monday, March 26<sup>th</sup>.

Buses will leave promptly at **12 noon** from the **lower school** on **Sunday, March 25**<sup>th</sup>.

In order to secure a seat on the bus, please fill out the following survey monkey by Monday, 19th:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LHHL6QF

Please be advised that all **students attending the parade must be supervised** at all times by an adult both during the parade and on buses.

Further information about the parade schedule, duration, and route can be found at https://hellenicfed.org/greek-independence-celebration/

Thank you and Happy Greek Independence Day!