



## Syttende Mai - 17th of May

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P.O. Box 31  
WESTBY, WI 54667

### Hilsen fra Westby!

**“Greetings from Westby!”** Once again we invite you to the **2010 Westby Syttende Mai on May 14, 15 & 16**. This year Westby will be celebrating its 42<sup>nd</sup> year of Syttende Mai. We hope that you will be able to join us in celebrating our festival by being in our **Big Parade on Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 p.m.** Parade line-up begins at 9:00 a.m., no entry allowed in line up after 12:30 p.m.

This year we are offering a cash advance to visiting Marching Bands to help with their transportation expenses. Bands will receive the following cash advance based on their location inside or on the colored rings, (refer to map on reverse): Red ring = \$100.00 / Green ring = \$200.00 / Blue ring = \$300.00 / Outside blue ring = \$400.00

**Please note:** This year our budget allows for the bands that attended last year plus a few additional new ones. Bands that attended the previous year have first preference over bands that did not attend, and will be based on the order in which they are received. If you did not attend last year and would like to attend this year, please fill out the enclosed form and if the budget allows, we may be able to pay out compensation for your travel expenses. New bands will be informed if compensation can be given, once the entry is received.

**Please note:** For safety reasons, we **DO NOT** allow entries to throw candy to the crowd; however, we do allow people walking along side the floats to pass out candy. If candy is thrown, you may be asked not to attend next year. We also **DO NOT** allow entries the day of the parade or grouping up with another entry. The Syttende Mai parade committee reserves the right to decline any entry into the parade.

**Parade line up** will be around the Westby Elementary and Middle School.

Entries numbered 1 to 15 and 36 to 78 please enter off of Hwy. 14/61 at the Coon Prairie Church (Maple Street).

Entries numbered 16 to 35 and 79 to 92 please enter off of Hwy. 14/61 at the Erlandson Chiropractic Clinic (South St.).

Entries numbered 93 on up, enter off of Hwy. 14/61 at the Harris Bank (West State Street), left on Prairie St.

Equestrian/Hitch units, are asked to enter off of Hwy. 14/61 at the Harris Bank (West State Street), left on Willow Lane or the next street to get into position at the Westby Bus Garage.

**Approximately one week before the parade**, you will receive information with details including which street to enter and the placement of your entry.

If you need additional information, please contact Christopher Anderson at (608) 634-3723 or (608) 632-0386 cell.

Please complete the enclosed entrance form and send by the **entry deadline of May 7<sup>th</sup>**.

**\*Note:** Sending the requested to the Syttende Mai P.O. Box could delay the processing of your entry, so please send to:

Mange takk! “Many thanks”  
Christopher Anderson, Parade Committee Chair

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