

HAL'S ST. PADDY'S PARADE ANNOUNCES PLANS FOR THE 37TH ANNUAL CELEBRATION

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JACKSON, Miss. - Hal's St. Paddy's Parade will announce the plans for this year's celebration on November 19th at 10:00 AM at Hal & Mal's. Everyone is invited to attend.

The historic celebration has annually featured a children's area and parade, a fun run, and a pet parade which will draw more families and visitors to the event and, ultimately, raise more dollars to support Batson Children's Hospital – Mississippi's only pediatric hospital. The parade, one of the nation's largest and more unusual St Paddy's celebrations, is planned for Saturday, March 28, in downtown

“This year's theme is ‘2020: Here's Looking RUDE, Kid,’” stated founder Malcolm White, while announcing Jackson native Trace Alston, will be the Grand Marshal with his renown unit of Rude Men and award-winning parade creations.

We are proud to have Her Royal Highness, Jill Conner Browne, and her bawdy court of Sweet Potato Queens to returning again in 2020.

Children's health care at the University of Mississippi Medical Center has been the beneficiary of the parade since the early 1980s. White continues, “We are proud to feature Batson's Hospital for Children as our partner and to share the good news of the remarkable work they do in Mississippi. What could be more rewarding than celebrating Jackson and supporting Batson's while wearing a funny costume and marching down Capitol street in broad daylight?”