

Golden Days Grande Parade
Saturday, July 23, 2022
General guidelines and information

Sign up and waiver information.

A roster of all participants is required by the chamber. If you haven't already, please [sign up here](#).

- UAF [liability waivers](#) are needed for ALL participants. [Parental consent](#) is required by the chamber for ALL participants under 18. Please send completed liability and parental consent forms to uaf-univ-relations@alaska.edu.
- Please also consider filling out a photo/model [release](#) form in advance. The information goes directly to our database so there's no further action needed.

About the parade.

- Please plan to arrive at the Carlson Center's north parking lot between 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. — giving yourself enough time to catch the shuttle from Ryan Middle School. There is NO PARKING at the Carlson Center.
- There are portable toilets at the parade line-up. Floats will begin moving at the front of the line around 9:45 a.m.— time your break accordingly.
- The [parade route](#) is 2.1 miles long and will take about 2 hours from start to finish.
- The parade ends at the Co-op Market. There, you'll be able to catch the shuttle back to your car at Ryan.
- UAF will provide signs to participants. Please do not bring hand-made signs. Participants who bring their own signs will be asked to switch them out with the signs provided.
- Bring your water bottle, umbrella and rain jacket.
- The weather forecast is calling for isolated showers before 10 a.m. Mostly cloudy with a high near 64. Chance of precipitation is 20%.

Safety information

It's important to know that all parades carry inherent safety risks, but our actions can help make it safer for everyone.

- No participant should get on or off of a MOVING float. Walkers must remain walking and riders must remain on floats or in vehicles once the parade begins.
- Do not throw items into the crowd. Please walk over and hand items to parade watchers. We'll be giving away stickers this year.
- Do not encourage spectators to enter the parade route. Watch out for kids and pets.
- Vehicles should keep a speed of 2-3 mph along the parade route.
- Walkers and drivers should avoid creating gaps for safety reasons. We want to keep our parade entry together. Distance between parade entries should be kept at 30 feet.

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- There will be parade marshals along the route. Follow their directions.
- Floats with passengers will turn into the Co-op Market parking lot and passengers will get off the floats there. The float will then exit RIGHT onto Gaffney. All other parade traffic will be routed onto Airport Way with a RIGHT ONLY turn.
- All riders/participants MUST exit the float prior to the float turning onto Airport Way.
- More information on the parade is available at <http://www.fairbankschamber.org/grand-parade>
- Be safe and have fun!

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