

Dashing through Downtown Parade of Lights

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- All Parade Entries are to maintain a distance of no closer than 25ft to the entry in front of them.
- No stopping will be allowed unless the parade is stopped as a unit. No entry shall be allowed to stop to allow photos, to perform or to drop off parade participants. All entries must keep the same pace and distance as the entry in front of them.
- Drivers of registered vehicles must be at least 18 years of age.
- All vehicles must remain in the traffic lanes of the roadway.
- Children under the age of 12 are not allowed to ride on the floats unless accompanied by an adult.
- Trailers are required to have solid floors and functioning tail lights. Trailers shall have sides high enough that children cannot fall over. Trailers must be securely attached to the vehicle hauling them.
- No one will be allowed to ride inside the back of the pickup truck unless seated on the bed bottom or safely secured. At no time shall anyone be seated on the sides or tailgate of a pickup or have arms/legs hanging over the side.
- All motorized vehicles (3 wheelers, 4 wheelers, golf carts, motorcycles, mopeds, lawn mowers, jeeps, dune buggies, mini cars, etc.) must be operated by an adult.
- Walkers must be in band formation (established rows and columns). A minimum of (1) adult per (10) children must accompany the unit during the entire parade route. Walkers are required to provide some sort of holiday lighting.
- Nothing may be thrown from the floats. If you are giving out candy or any other handouts, you must walk them to the crowd and hand them out. You cannot throw anything on the ground.
- NO LIVE SANTAS ALLOWED ON ANY OF THE FLOATS.
- **We request that all entries be decorated with a minimum of one strand of 100 lights. Holiday music is permitted on parade entry.**

Additional Information

Line up may begin at noon on Friday, Dec 3rd at the Post Office, curving around Kingshighway then down Lake Street. All floats need to be in line by 6:15pm. Route will be: Beginning at the Post Office on North Street traveling west, turning south onto Stoddard, east onto Center, North onto Kingshighway, west onto Front St and ending at the corner of Front St and Stoddard St.

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Parade Float Application

Name of Business/Group/Organization/Individual: _____

Contact Person for Float: _____ Phone Number: _____

Float Approximate length: _____ft.

Type of Float (trailer, golf cart, moped, truck, car, lawn mower, etc) _____

Number of people participating in/with the float: _____ Adults _____ Under 18

Type and Tag Number being used to haul the float: _____

I have received a copy of the Dashing through Downtown Parade of Lights requirements, guidelines, rules and regulations governing participation in the Parade. I understand that by not abiding by the above rules and regulations that I may be forfeiting my float from being judged in the Parade of Lights Contest.

Date: _____

Signed: _____

Name: _____