



BARREN INC.

Barren County Chamber of Commerce

Your Partner for Business Growth

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2024 Christmas Parade

Date

December 7th, 2024 @ 6:00 PM (Central Time)
(Rain, Sleet or Snow)

Theme

Rock N' Roll Christmas

Grand Marshall

The Glasgow Garden Club

General Information

Please complete the application form and email to Erin Hiles at erin@barreninc.com

Please review the rules and regulations for the parade. This application, along with a \$25 entry fee FOR EACH VEHICLE must be received by Thursday, October 31st, 2024. After Friday, October 31st, an entry fee of \$50 will be charged.

There must be an application filled out for each entry you are putting in parade.

Absolutely no applications will be accepted after Friday, November 22nd at 4:00 pm.



PARADE APPLICATION

Name of Entry: _____ Company Name: _____

Contact Person Name & Title: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Payment Information: Check Credit Card

Name on Card: _____

Billing Address: _____

Credit Card #: _____ Expiration Date: _____ CVV: _____

Signature: _____

DIVISION & VEHICLE DETAILS

Please select your division (Check one)

- Large Business-Over 50 employees
- Small Business-Under 50 employees
- Scouts
- School or School Group
- Fire Trucks
- Club or Organization
- Church or Church Affiliated Group
- Family or Individual
- City, County, Government Office (not eligible for judging)

Our entry can be best described as follows (Check all that applies): Please tell us if you are bringing truck and trailer. Avg. Length of Car = 15 ft. Avg. Length of Truck = 20 ft.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Wheeled Trailer Pulled By _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Vehicle (not eligible for judging) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Wheeled Trailer Pulled By _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Walking (not eligible for judging) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-Truck/Trailer | <input type="checkbox"/> Utility Vehicle (not eligible for judging) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flat Bed Truck | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Describe) _____ |

Overall length of the entry? _____ Ft. Do you want your float judged? Yes___ No___

The 2024 Christmas Parade Rules and Regulations are included in this application for your reference and review. By signing below, you agree that you have read all of the 2024 Christmas Parade Rules and agree that all participants involved with your parade entry will abide them.



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MEDIA INFORMATION

All units must fully complete the media information

Have you entered past parades? _____ If so, how many years of parade participation? _____

Have you won awards in past parades? _____ If so, please list

Our parade is broadcast live on television, taped for delayed viewing, and broadcast by at least 2 radio stations. Therefore, we request that detailed information is furnished to us, so we can provide all media with quality information. Barren Inc. is not responsible for any entry that is not mentioned by radio or television.

Give a 35-40 word description of entry for media commentary, be specific. If there is anything special about your float that you would like mentioned, please list below. (Please note if you exceed 40 words we will cut off the description at the 41 word mark)

By signing below, you agree to release the media information provided above to local media broadcasts.

(Signature of person in charge of entry)

JUDGING & AWARDS

All entries will be judged if you choose to. Entries will be judged in each of the seven categories listed on the entry application.

The criteria for judging these entries are as follows:

First impression and creativity 0-25 points

Reflection of Parade Theme 0-25 points

Lighting 0-25 points

General overall appearance 0-25 points

Total points possible 0-100 points

Winners in each category shall receive the following:

- First Place-Banner & Ribbon to Display on Float
- Runner Up-Banner

In addition, a "GRAND MARSHAL AWARD" winner will be selected from the first place winners in each of the seven categories. The winner of the "GRAND MARSHAL AWARD" will receive a trophy.



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RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Candy can be handed out along the route; however, you are NOT permitted to toss it into the crowd.
2. **ONLY the 1st 150 UNITS WILL BE ADMITTED INTO THE PARADE** – There will be a limit of 2 units per company or individual. **YOU MUST SPECIFY IF YOU ARE BRINGING A TRUCK AND TRAILER! WE HAVE TO KNOW THE LENGTH OF THE TRAILER.** If you say truck and come with truck and trailer you will be turned away.
3. The headlights of all units must be turned OFF during the parade. If the lighting for your unit is wired into the headlight circuit or if your headlights cannot be turned off, the headlights of the unit must be covered.
4. All units using portable generators shall have a working fire extinguisher and an ample supply of fuel aboard before entering the staging area. No fueling shall be allowed along the parade route.
5. No smoking shall be allowed in or on any unit from the time the unit arrives at the staging area until it reaches the end of the parade route.
7. Horn blowing shall be reserved for members of the bands in the parade. Please, no horn or sirens!
8. All units MUST be decorated for Christmas except for dignitary units, military units, and bands, which shall be exempt from this rule.
9. Each entry MUST be decorated and MUST have Christmas lighting. If your entry does not have decorations or lighting, you will not be allowed to participate in the parade.
10. All music or singing must be songs of the theme or Christmas season.
12. No livestock on foot are allowed in the parade.
13. No motorcycles, dirt bikes, mini-bikes, ATVs, or lawnmowers are allowed in the parade. You may display these vehicles on floats, but they may not be driven in the parade.
14. **Only ONE unit per application per entry fee. Additional units that arrive on the day of the parade will be turned away.**
15. **NO LIVE SANTAS ON ANY FLOAT** except the Chamber of Commerce Santa float.
16. Please refrain from making, processing, or preparing food on the route. Pre-packaged items are ok to hand out.

****If any of the above rules are broken, you may not be allowed to participate in future parades. ****

By signing below, you state that you have read, understand, and agree to abide by the above rules and regulations of the Christmas parade.

Name (Please Print) _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____