

**88<sup>th</sup> REXBURG AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE – 2017  
ENTRY FORM**

**THEME: “America’s Red, White & Blue“**

**Grand Marshal for 2017 is: Kimber & Dorothy Ann Ricks**

In a continual effort to increase the quality and energy of the Independence Day parade, certain standards are in place to ensure patriotic and /or entertaining entries.

**PARADE TIME 10:00 A.M. Starts at Smith Park & ends at the Round-A-Bout and disembark on 3<sup>rd</sup> West  
Tuesday, JULY 4, 2017**

**Commercial Entries: \$50 for Chamber members - \$100 if a non-member – General Interest non-commercial: \$25**

**General Procedures and Safety Rules:**

1. **Decision of Committee:** The Independence Day parade committee reserves the right to accept or reject any entry, which fails to achieve stated goals. If you do not hear from the parade committee, you may assume your entry has been accepted.
2. **Parade assignment:** Call the Chamber Monday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> to receive your assigned position near Smith Park.
3. **Floats:** shall not exceed 14 feet in height in order to clear any obstacles such as wires, trees, etc. along the parade route.
4. **Vehicles:** Miscellaneous “stand alone” vehicles will be allowed if they are a “special interest” vehicle of some kind, such as antique or classic car.
5. **Riders:** On any float or entry are not to jump on and off the entry during the parade.
6. **Out walkers:** Clowns and other costumed out walkers are highly encouraged to add energy and originality to the parade as they engage the crowd. **VENDORS walking the route or stationery need a Porter Park Booth application.**
7. **Campaigning:** Individuals campaigning for the up-coming election are welcome to participate as commercial entry (fee applies). Those involved are encouraged to actively mingle with the crowd at Porter Park following the parade.
8. **Throwing of Candy and Favors:** If you are going to throw candy and/or favors during the parade, you **must** provide two people, one on each side of the vehicle or float, to keep children back behind the bike lane. The items must be thrown all the way into the bike lane and not in the roadway. This will prevent children from running into the road to pick up candy and/or favors. We must avoid putting them in danger of being hit by a vehicle including a truck, car, horse, bicycle, float or ATV.
9. **Weaving on street:** For your safety and the safety of the public, moving vehicles are not to move from side to side more than 100 feet (i.e. 4-wheelers, bicycles, etc.).
10. **Clean Up:** Please be considerate and clean up any discarded refuse caused by your entry.
11. **Indemnification:** All participants assume all risks associated with participating in the parade and agree to indemnify the Rexburg Area Chamber of Commerce for any damage, injury, or claims occurring due to participants’ participation.
12. **No refunds FOR ENTRIES after Tuesday, June 27, 2017** (a week before the parade)

For questions or concerns call the Rexburg Area Chamber of Commerce at 356-5700

**VIOLATION OF THE SAFETY RULES COULD RESULT IN REMOVAL FROM THE PARADE  
I UNDERSTAND THESE SAFETY RULES AND AGREE TO ADHERE TO THEM.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of authorized person

Name or Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Entries wishing to have their entry judged should be lined up by 8:00am. Entries will be judged while in line.

**PRIZE MONEY AWARDED TO TOP ENTRIES !!**

Type of Entry:      Drill Team \_\_\_\_\_      Float \_\_\_\_\_      Royalty \_\_\_\_\_  
                          Band \_\_\_\_\_      Novelty \_\_\_\_\_      Antique \_\_\_\_\_  
                          Posse \_\_\_\_\_      Clown \_\_\_\_\_      Political \_\_\_\_\_  
                          Horse(s) \_\_\_\_\_      Bicycle \_\_\_\_\_      Other \_\_\_\_\_

Length of entry \_\_\_\_\_ # of people in entry \_\_\_\_\_ # of vehicles in entry \_\_\_\_\_

Please write a 2-3-sentence description of your entry so the D.J. can announce you.

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Will your float / group have a speaker system, music, loud generator, etc? If yes, please specify.

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Special request: \_\_\_\_\_

We, \_\_\_\_\_ have agreed to participate in the annual Independence Day  
(Name of organization or group)

Parade to be held in Rexburg, Idaho and scheduled for Tuesday, July 4, 2017. We will comply with all parade regulations. We / I have read, understand and will comply with the General Procedures and Standards listed on this application.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of authorized person

Your EMAIL Address \_\_\_\_\_

I am aware of the risks and hazards associated in preparation and participation in the Independence Day Parade. I hereby release and waive the Rexburg Area Chamber of Commerce from any claim of any kind arising out of this participation in and / or any other activity associated with the Independence Day Parade which is being held in Rexburg, Idaho on Tuesday, July 4, 2017.

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Signature of authorized person