

94th REXBURG AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE – 2023 ENTRY FORM (Please Note Changes)

REXBURG THEME: “Heroes of Freedom”

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 the Intersection of 2nd N. and 4th E. & ends at the Roundabout, disembark on 3rd West
Tuesday, July 4, 2023

Commercial Entries: \$60 for Chamber members - \$120 for non-members. General Interest non-commercial: \$25.
Signup and Fees due before June 1st, after June 1st add \$50.00.
We will not accept any applications after June 15th.

NO JUDGING

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING SAFETY RULES

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 Thursday, June 30th to receive your assigned position at Madison Jr. Hlgh. **Line-up begins at 8:30am and you must be in your place in line by 9:30am.**
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.
NO WALKING VENDORS
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, Bling, Favors, or passing out flyers is allowed but must be thrown or handed out by people associated with the entry and walking at the edge of the street. Throwing candy from the float or car is prohibited. Keeping the children out of the street and parade path is of utmost importance! If there is photo evidence of a violation \$100 fee will be charged to your entry.**
9. **Weaving on street:** For your safety and the safety of the public, **moving vehicles of any kind 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, 2023** (a week before the parade)
13. **All entries must be able to line up in the parking lot at the Jr. High in their designated place. No one will be allowed to be in the parade unless they are lined up.**
14. Special rules may apply to your entry. If so, you will be contacted after your application submission.

For questions or concerns call the Rexburg Area Chamber of Commerce at 208-356-5700

VIOLATION OF THE SAFETY RULES COULD RESULT IN “REMOVAL FROM THE PARADE”

I UNDERSTAND THESE SAFETY RULES AND AGREE TO ADHERE TO THEM.

 I understand these rules, Signature of authorized person

Name or Sponsor: _____

Phone: _____ Address: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____ Address: _____

Credit Card Information _____ CVV/CVC: _____ Expires _____

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 describe the physical depiction of your entry for staging committee in 2-3 sentences.

Please write a 2-3-sentence description of your entry to be used by the parade announcers.

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

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, 2023. 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 Tuesday, July 4, 2023.

 Signature of authorized person

 Printed signature of authorized person

 Date