

# ***2021 Parade Rules & Guidelines***

## ***Parade Date: Saturday, December 11 at 5:00pm***

**Antique Car & Tractor Parade:** Cars and tractors will need to line up on the west end of the Riverwood Shopping Center. Line up begins at 4:30pm. Parade will start at 5:00 pm. The parade route for antique cars and tractors will go West on Scarbrough Street, left on Old 49, then left on Brandon Avenue. Once you reach Industrial Drive, turn right and exit the parade from Cleary Road.

**Main Parade:** The main parade will begin at 5:00pm. The parade will start at Westside Park and end at Westside Park. Line up will begin at 3:30pm with all floats lined up by 4:30pm to be judged. No floats will be allowed to enter the parade lineup after 4:30pm. JUDGING WILL TAKE PLACE AT 4:30pm.

All parade participants must complete and return an application no later than Thursday, December 9 in order to receive a pass to enter the parade. Passes MUST be displayed in each vehicle upon entry to parade lineup. (NO PASS! NO ENTRY!) Car clubs will need a pass for each vehicle participating in the parade.

All participants will be lined up in the order that you pull into the park. If you are a part of a group of vehicles riding together you must pull in the park together. We WILL NOT move other vehicles around to accommodate you.

We encourage lights on floats and float spotters walking along side.

Children riding in trailers must be supervised by adults walking along side of trailer/float. Children are not allowed to stand.

All vehicles must continue at a slow and steady pace. No large gaps between vehicles. You must keep up with the vehicle ahead of you.

**You may NOT exit your vehicle during the parade.**

In keeping with the spirit of Christmas, please only play Christmas music. **Music containing offensive or vulgar language and offensive displays will NOT BE ALLOWED OR TOLERATED.**

You are allowed to TOSS candy, bead necklaces and other happies that will not endanger spectators. Please no literature such as brochures, flyers, etc...as these usually end up on the streets after the parade is over.

THERE WILL BE NO RAINOUT DATE. The parade WILL BE on Saturday, December 11, RAIN, SHINE, SLEET, or (hopefully) SNOW.

**NO OTHER SANTAS ARE ALLOWED - SANTA WILL BE AT THE END OF THE PARADE**

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE RULES OR ANY DISRUPTIVE BEHAVIOR WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE EJECTION FROM THE PARADE AND YOU WILL BE BANNED FROM PARTICIPATING IN ANY FUTURE PARADES.

**PLEASE BE SAFE AND MINDFUL OF CHILDREN AND SPECTATORS AT ALL TIMES!**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!**

**Awards: Best use of Theme, Best Overall Float & Best Group Presentation**