**PARADE ENTRY APPLICATION**

Annual Lighted Christmas Parade

Presented by

Nederland Chamber of Commerce

**Tuesday, December 4, 2018 6:00 pm**

**Entry Deadline: Wednesday, November 21, 12:00 pm (or first 100 entries received)**

**ENTRY FEE AND REGISTRATION** (Check One):

* **Standard Parade Entry $30.00 & one large bag of candy and 2 or more can goods/nonperishable food items**
* **Church/Organization/School $25.00 & one large bag of candy and 2 or more can goods/nonperishable food items**
* **18 Wheeler $50.00 & one large bag of candy and 2 or more can goods/nonperishable food items**
* **Mardi Gras Float $50.00 & one large bag of candy and 2 or more can goods/nonperishable food items**

**The Candy will be given to Santa riding at end of parade and the can goods will be donated to Community Care Prayer Outreach**

***\*\*Non-refundable charitable donation\*\****

**Name of Business/ Individual/ Organization:**

**Contact Person:**

**Mailing Address:**

**City/State: Zip:**

**Daytime Phone: Cell Phone:**

**Email Address:**

**Alternate Contact Person: Day Number:**

**Cell/Page Number: Email Address:**

**ENTRY CLASSIFICATION** (Check All That Apply):

**Music: Yes No**

**Marching Unit: Yes No Number of People:**

**Vehicle: Car SUV Golf Cart**

 **Single-Cab Truck Extended-Cab Truck 4-Door Truck**

**Float: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ft. trailer 18 Wheeler Mardi Gras Float**

***Must sign corresponding form with* *rules and regulations***

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:**

**Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Entry Fee Received: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Entry Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**RULES & REGULATIONS**

 **CHRISTMAS PARADE 2018**

**LARGE FLOATS MUST HAVE FLOAT WALKERS AT ALL TIMES, WALKING ON EACH SIDE, BUT NOT IN FRONT**

* + **(AGES 16 & OLDER)**
		- **TRAILER – 3 ON EACH SIDE**
		- **MARDI GRAS FLOAT – 6 ON EACH SIDE**
		- **18 WHEELER – 8 ON EACH SIDE**
* **NO 4-WHEELERS, DIRT BIKES OR MOPEDS WILL BE PERMITTED**
* **Streets reserved for parade line up will be blocked from all traffic except for actual floats. Sorry parents, you will not be allowed to drive your child up to float to drop off.**
* **DO NOT INCLUDE OR PORTRAY SANTA CLAUS. There is only one Santa Claus allowed, and he will be at end of parade on fire truck**
* **Nederland Fire Department prohibits ANY open flames from any parade participants**
* **NO ANIMALS of any kind allowed in parade, violators will be pulled from parade route**
* **Line up begins at 4:30, all large/Mardi Gras floats must be in place by 5:00, with all others by 5:30**
* **Parade begins at Nederland Ave. and 21st St. and proceeds down Nederland Ave., turning left at 12th St. and then left onto Boston Ave., ending at 17th St. in front of Central Middle School, but all floats should proceed to its starting point before stopping to unload.**

**In order to keep parade moving, we ask that there be no stoppage for performances from our participants. Also keep in mind this is a family oriented event, so no vulgar or offensive activity, dancing, signage etc.**

**Any Violators of above rules will be pulled from parade route.**

* **Prizes will be awarded for best decorated floats**

**Non-Commercial Float 1st Place $125 2nd Place $75**

**Commercial 1st Place $125 2nd Place $75**

**Decorated Auto/Golf Cart 1st Place $75 2nd Place $25**

**THE UNDERSIGNED, A REPRESENTATIVE FOR DESIGNATED PARADE ENTRY, HEREBY RELEASES AND FOREVER DISCHARGES THE NEDERLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ITS MEMBERS INDIVIDUALLY AND ITS OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES OF ANY KIND ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN, THE CITY OF NEDERLAND AND THE NEDERLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, FORESEEN AND UNFORESEEN BODILY AND PERSONAL INJURIES, DAMAGES TO PROPERTY AND THE CONSEQUENCES THEREOF RESULTING FROM PARTICIPATION IN THE ANNUAL LIGHTED CHRISTMAS PARADE PRESENTED BY THE NEDERLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.**

**Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Business/Individual/Organization \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Signature: Print Name:**

**ENTRY INFORMATION**

**FOR ANNOUNCERS**

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR PARADE ENTRY APPLICATION**

**For office use only**

**Line Up #**

**You MUST describe the business/organization/individual in detail Fpf**

**(PLEASE PRINT)**

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