

Clear Lake's July 4th 2016 Parade

Theme: "Foundation of Freedom"

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***** **ENTRY FORM** *****

Company/Organization: _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____ CSZ: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Length of Entry: _____ Music: Yes ___ No ___ Does Entry Have Horses/Animals? Yes ___ No ___ List: _____
(bung bags when applicable are required. All animals must have a clean-up crew following them. Thank You!)

Category: Antique Car Classic Car Marching Unit Float Antique Truck Semi Other

Brief Description of Entry: _____

Entry Fee: \$25 Chamber Members \$10 Non-Profit \$75 Non Chamber Members
 \$50 Each Additional Unit (applies to all) \$125 Non Chamber Member Semis
 \$150 Late Entry Fee (applies to all)

Entry Deadline: Friday, June 19th (entries received after 5PM on due date are considered late).
Entry fee must accompany entry.
Parade line-up numbers will be available on Friday, June 26th.



Rain Delay Policy: In the event of rain we will have two 1/2 hour delays. If the rain does not quit after the delays the parade will be cancelled. For those of you who have equipment/instruments that may be damaged due do the rain, you have the option of leaving the parade route at any time. (No refunds if parade is cancelled.)

The safety of the participants/spectators in our parade is important to us We ask that you do not have any person on your entry placed in an unsafe or dangerous position, and we also ask that you do not throw any candy, trinkets, etc. from your entry. You must walk along the parade route and hand items to spectators.

WAIVER

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Clear Lake Area Chamber of Commerce from claims for personal injury, property damage, administrative penalties, fees, fines or costs caused, directly or indirectly, by the distribution, or propulsion, of candy, water or promotional objects or literature from my entry as well as from property damage or personal injury, administrative penalties, fee, fines or costs caused, directly or indirectly, by any motor vehicle or object towed by any motor vehicle, as my entry. The committee reserves the rights to restrict, or reject parade entrants.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please Complete Form & Return To:

Clear Lake Area Chamber of Commerce, 205 Main Avenue, PO Box 188, Clear Lake, IA 50428

Phone: 641.357.2159 Fax: 641.357.8141 Email: trish@clearlakeiowa.com Web: www.clearlakeiowa.com



PARADE GUIDELINES

- 1. For the safety of the spectators, candy, trinkets, etc. may NOT be thrown from the float or vehicles. You MUST walk along the parade route and hand your items to the spectators.**
- 2. Any entry that measures 45' or longer must be in assigned location in parade set-up area by 8:00 AM on July 4th.***
- 3. ALL** vehicles entered in the parade must be decorated in either a patriotic theme or according to the parade theme, unless prior approval is obtained from the parade committee. This applies to all entries including "Commercial Entries".
- A parade entry with just the name of a business, event or organization will not be accepted unless decorated.
- Decorations for your entry **MUST** be more than just balloons and/or streamers.
- Antique or classic vehicles will be allowed in the parade but will carry no commercial and / or event advertising unless decorated according to rule #3.
- It is the responsibility of each entry to maintain a reasonable pace so that they do not cause gaps in the flow of the parade. Parade marshals will be along the parade route to keep the parade moving.
- The spraying of water or throwing water balloons is not allowed; any entry using water will be immediately pulled out of the parade.
- Walking entries are welcome and must follow the same guidelines as outlined in rule #1. Walking entries are not allowed to only carry signs advertising their business, organization or event.
- Any member of a parade entry that verbally abuses a police officer or parade official will be removed immediately from the parade line-up area and will not be allowed in the parade.
- Any parade entry with children under the age of 18 must have adult supervision on the float/entry at all times. Adult supervision must be someone other than the driver.