

WEIRTON AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

3174 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 1, Weirton, WV 26062 Phone: 304-748-7212 Fax: 304-748-0241

WEIRTON CHRISTMAS PARADE – ENTRY FORM

"Candyland Christmas"

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2023 at 6:00pm

Line-up begins on Main Street at 4:00pm. All Units must be in place by 5:00pm. <u>NO EXCEPTIONS</u> **REMINDER: THERE IS NO DECORATING IN THE LINE-UP AREA!**

There will be a pre-parade meeting on Monday, November 20 at 5pm & one Tuesday, November 23 at 8am. One representative from your group **MUST** attend one meeting-they will both cover the same information.

CATEGORIES

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE IN LIGHTSLIMIT OF 6 ENTRIES**

All entries MUST follow category and all other guidelines.

Performance groups may perform for 60 seconds; once in front of Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home and once in front of the VIP TENT. Please note: VIP TENT is on the <u>opposite side of the road</u> than the judges' tent in the past.

LARGE FLOAT (20-ft. trailer or longer) (NO HIGHER THAN 12'6") SIZE: _____

OVERALL LENGTH OF ENTRY _____

DECORATED VEHICLE/SPECIALTY UNIT (DECOREDTED CAR/TRUCK, BICYCLES, WAGON, ANTIQUE) NUMBER OF VEHICLES IN UNIT: ______ OVERALL LENGTH OF ENTRY _____

FIRE/EMERGENCY UNIT

OVERALL LENGTH OF ENTRY _____

EQUESTRIAN UNIT (MUST E	BE BAGGED)
NUMBER OF HORSES IN UNIT: _	
OVERALL LENGTH OF ENTRY	

JVERALL LENGTH OF ENTRY _

PARADE PARTICIPANT: ______

PARADE DAY CONTACT PERSON: _____

ADDRESS: ______

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____ Contact Number: _____

E-MAIL:_____

DETAILED DESCRIPTION for Line-up Purpose Only: (ex: Mini-float, followed by 25 dancers or pickup truck towing flatbed trailer with 30 kids)

MINI FLOAT (Less than 20-ft trailer)
(NO HIGHER THAN 12'6") SIZE:
OVERALL LENGTH OF ENTRY

PERFORMANCE GROUP
 (BAND/DANCE)
 NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN UNIT: _____
 OVERALL LENGTH OF ENTRY _____

*****DEADLINE FOR ENTRY: ASAP or by FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2023*****

CHRISTMAS PARADE RELEASE FORM

PARTICIPANT intends to participate in the WEIRTON CHRISTMAS PARADE held in and on the downtown streets of Weirton, West Virginia on Saturday, November 25, 2023.

PARTICIPANT acknowledges that he/she has read and understands all the rules and regulations promulgated by ORGANIZERS and SPONSORS governing the PARADE included within the CHRISTMAS PARADE ENTRY FORM & GUIDELINES.

In consideration of the right to act as a PARTICIPANT in the PARADE, and the desire to voluntarily do so, PARTICIPANT hereby agrees as follows:

- 1. PARTICIPANT, as well as his/her heirs, officers, agents, servants and employees, hereby releases and forever discharges ORGANIZERS and SPONSORS, as well as its insurers, officers, agents, servants, employees, subsidiaries and corporate sponsors, from any and all demands, claims, actions or causes of action, of any kind of description, for relief of any kind any nature, as a result of any damages and/or injuries arising out of being a PARTICIPANT in the PARADE.
- 2. PARTICIPANT acknowledges and agrees that PARTICIPANT assumes the risks of participating in the PARADE, including damage to property and personal injury to PARTICIPANT and that neither he/she nor anyone on PARTICIPANT'S behalf will seek compensation from ORGANIZERS and SPONSORS for any claim, rights or damages arising out of participation in the PARADE.
- 3. PARTICIPANT hereby represents and agrees that he/she will indemnify and hold ORGANIZERS and SPONSORS harmless from all liability and damages from any actions, causes of action, claims and demands made by any parade spectators and/or damages which may arise out of or in connection with my participation in the PARADE.

PARTICIPANT has fully read and considered the terms of this General Release of All Claims, which is a legally binding document, is satisfied with its terms and signs it of his/her own free will and accord.

With full understanding of the importance of this General Release of All Claims, I have hereunto affixed my signature this

_____ day of ______, 2023.

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

PRINTED NAME