



NATCHEZ CHRISTMAS PARADE INFORMATION

Saturday, December 2nd

Registration Deadline: Saturday, November 25th

\$30 Entry Fee (per entry): Make check payable to Christmas in Natchez
(multiple groups may be assessed a Group Fee)

Parade Timeline: Lineup begins at 4:30 pm on Broadway
Parade rolls at 6:00 pm SHARP
Late arrivals will be placed at end of parade

- Entry Fee includes one (1) entry.
- Entries with multiple groups must email Curtis Moroney at curtismoroney@gmail.com for a **Group Rate** (determined by number of groups)
- No 18-wheelers allowed
- All floats must be pulled using a pickup truck or utility tractor (without attachments) – buckets and other attachments must be removed from tractor
- No car clubs, horses or motorcycles
- Christmas music ONLY allowed on floats
- Parade must be kept moving forward at all times
- Each float is required to have at minimum two (2) spotters: one spotter walking on each side of the float along the entire parade route. Children under 14 yrs of age should be under adult supervision.
- Participants must follow instructions from Police Officer or Parade Committee Member on duty at all times. **Disrespectful conduct of any kind toward a Committee Member can result in immediate removal from parade.**
- Off-loading and On-loading of float riders is strictly prohibited throughout the parade route
- Participants must not invite parade-goers to approach parade float for any reason at any time
- No lewd music
- **NO CHASE/SUPPORT VEHICLES ARE ALLOWED.** There are several emergency vehicles posted along the parade route and are there for the purpose of assisting any parade participants.
- **NO SANTA CLAUS** on floats

Any deviation from these rules, or if you would like to request a special exception to these guidelines, you must seek approval by the parade committee. Entries are limited and are subject to approval. Submitting an entry does not guarantee a parade spot.

Smoking is not allowed by any Participant in the Parade

VOLUNTEER PARADE COMMITTEE FOR CHRISTMAS IN NATCHEZ

Curtis Moroney curtismoroney@gmail.com



PARADE ENTRY FORM
Event Date Saturday, December 2nd

Please return Entry Form by Saturday, November 25th.

Return entry form to either location below:

City Hall, Attn: Nora (601-445-7500)
124 S Pearl Street
Natchez, MS 39120

Natchez Adams County Chamber of Commerce (601-445-4611)
211 Main Street
Natchez, MS 39120

Name of Entrant/Float: _____

Primary Contact Person: _____

Contact Cell phone: _____

Contact email: _____

Proposed Entry (check one):

☐ Parade Float

☐ Marching Band If Yes, how many? _____

☐ Dance Team/Football Team/Cheer Squad If Yes, describe each: _____

☐ Other If yes, describe: _____

A Complete Parade Application Includes:

- a) Paid Entry Fee**
- b) Proof of Insurance**
- c) Signed Application**

NO EXCEPTIONS

I, _____ on behalf of _____ agree that I have read all of the instructions and parameters as set forth on the attached Natchez Christmas Parade Information Sheet. I understand it is my responsibility to make sure that everyone associated with my parade entry will follow the rules and guidelines that you have provided. I understand that if my parade entry, and anyone associated with my parade entry, do not follow the rules and guidelines, we risk being allowed to participate in future parades.

The undersigned applicant sponsor, or authorized agent, represents that they have fully read and understand the rules and regulations and that they agree to comply with said rules and regulations and all of the rules, regulations, and entry criteria of the Christmas in Natchez Committee. In consideration of the acceptance of this application, the applicant agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend against any action against the Christmas in Natchez Committee, volunteers, sponsors, and continued members and/or the City of Natchez, from and against all liabilities whatsoever arising out of applicant's participation in the Natchez Christmas Parade.

Signature

Date