



The Little City with a Big Heart

2017 CLAWSON 4th OF JULY PARADE ENTRY FORM

“Clawson – Everybody’s Hometown”
(festivities are celebrated on July 4th)

Sponsoring Organization or Individual _____

Name of Parade Unit (if different) _____

Contact Person _____ Phone # _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ ZIP _____

E-Mail Address _____ Entry has amplified sound Yes No

Our entry will be:

- Youth Float Commercial Float Community Float
 Youth Marching Unit Musical Entry Community Marching Unit
 Community Entry Commercial Entry Vehicle
 Clown group Other
 *Political Entry *** (\$150 fee before July 1st; Fee increase to \$200 after July 1st)*

***** The Appearance Donation is applicable to Political Entrants ONLY**

- Enclosed is a check (Clawson 4th of July Committee) for an appearance donation.
 I will be using PayPal (ClawsonParade.org) for an appearance donation.

This year The Clawson 4th of July Committee will be awarding

“The President’s Patriotic Trophy”

The Trophy will be awarded by the Fourth of July Committee to the individual or organization that best personifies the Patriotic spirit of the day.

We encourage all entrants to project a patriotic theme that honors our country and the spirit of the day.

The Clawson 4th of July Parade is a family-oriented event and all participants must perform in a tasteful manner. Obscene/offensive gestures and foul language will not be tolerated and participants will be removed from the parade. The parade is not the venue for divisive agendas. The Parade Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any applicant for any reason.

Participation in the Clawson 4th of July Parade shall be at participants own risk. Participant assumes full responsibility for any injuries or damages, and does hereby release and discharge Clawson 4th of July Committee, Officers, Agents of the aforementioned from any and all claims, demands, damage, rights or causes of action present or future resulting from participation in the 2017 Clawson 4th of July Parade. I have also read and understand the rules of this parade and agree to abide by them. Festival or festival's designees may use the names and likeness of the participants for promotional purposes without further compensation.

- ★ ***Do NOT throw objects*** of any kind (candy, toys, etc.) to or at spectators along the parade route.
- ★ ***DO hand objects to spectators, but only at or behind the curb.***
- ★ ***Do NOT use squirt guns or water hoses*** due to the number of complaints we receive.
- ★ ***DO keep up with the unit in front of you.*** We want to avoid gaps in the parade.
- ★ ***DO listen to the Parade marshals.*** Marshals will assist you at lineup and *throughout the parade route. Parade marshals are authorized to enforce the rules and also have the right to remove entries that do not comply.*
- ★ ***DO be in the proper parade unit order.*** Positions assigned in the parade order may not be changed.
- ★ ***DO maintain proper spacing between units,*** as directed by parade officials.
- ★ ***DO use the provided bus transportation*** at Schalm School to return your group to Clawson Center if needed.

☛ ***Rain Date:*** There is NO rain date - Note: It never rains on Clawson's parade!

Please supply information about your unit to be used in telecasting the parade, please include any honors or awards that you have received. You are not limited to the space below.

Send/or e-mail the completed entry form before **Monday, June 26, 2017** to:

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Clawson 4th of July Parade
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