



2010 St. Patrick's Day Parade Official Entry Application

The St Patrick's Day Parade of Tucson welcomes your participation in this year's parade. To enter the parade, please read the general rules below and fill out the entry form on the reverse side, sign, and return to the St. n Patrick's Day Parade of Tucson at PO Box 135, Tucson, AZ 85702

Applications and payment must be received by Monday March 1, 2010.
The 2010 Theme is "Running with The Irish"

After your entry is received and approved by the committee, you will receive your staging information by telephone on Wednesday, March 10, 2010. If your application is rejected, you will be notified immediately. All entries are eligible to win prizes. A panel of judges will make its selection before the parade begins. Each winning entry will receive their award during the festival at Armory Park on Sunday, March 14, 2010. The categories are:

Grand Marshal's Award
Best Parade Theme
Tucson Award- Best Commercial Entry
Best Musical Entry
Most Humorous Entry

General Rules: In order to maintain and enhance the quality of the parade and to ensure the safety of the participants and spectators, the committee requires the following rules be followed:

- 1 All entries shall reflect good taste and Irish customs.
- 2 No political statements, inappropriate dress or behavior, disruption of the event, violation of the parade rules, or disregarding the instructions of the parade marshals will be accepted.
- 3 Maximum height allowed is 13.5 feet.
- 4 Weapons, fireworks, or any item that makes loud or sudden noises are not permitted.
- 5 For safety reasons, throwing candy or giveaway items from your float, vehicle, or walkers is not permitted.
- 6 Use of alcohol, tobacco, or drugs is strictly prohibited. Reference, inference, or promotion of
- 7 Unauthorized solicitation of any kind is not permitted.
- 8 Children (up to the age of 18) involved in the parade must be accompanied and supervised by an adult at all times.
- 9 The decision of the judges is final. Prize winners will be notified before the parade begins.
- 10 Due to liability, horses are not allowed in the parade.
- 11 Automobiles are allowed in the parade, and drivers are expected to drive slowly and obey all traffic laws.
- 12 Any pets in the parade must be on a leash or properly secured on the float or vehicle to avoid injury.

All applications must be submitted by Monday March 1, 2010.

Name of Organization or Entrant: _____
Contact Person(s): _____ Daytime Phone # _____
Mailing Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Fax #: _____ E-mail Address: _____
Name of Entry (If Different): _____

Please describe your entry in detail for the Announcers and Judges:

Entry Type -Please Check Applicable Category: Fee:

FLOATS: _____ Non-Profit or Community Organization \$25.00 _____ Local Commercial Entry
(Less than 25 Employees) \$50.00 _____ Local Commercial Entry (More than 25 Employees) \$75.00
_____ National Commercial Entry (Non-Local Based) \$100.00

Estimated total length of float in feet: _____

VEHICLES: _____ Vehicles up to 15 feet, per vehicle \$15.00 _____ Vehicles more than 15 feet, per
vehicle \$30.00 _____ Commercial auto, truck, or RV \$100.00

Total number of vehicles in group: _____

WALKING: _____ Walking or costumed entry, per group \$15.00 _____ Company mascot \$25.00
_____ Commercial walking group \$50.00

Total number of people walking: _____

MUSICAL: _____ Marching Band No Fee _____ Other musical group (majority of group must be
live musicians) No Fee

Total number of people in your musical group: _____

ENTRY FEES MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY FORM

-Sign and return the completed entry form with payment to St Patrick's Day Parade of Tucson at PO Box 135 Tucson, AZ, 85702, by no later than Monday March 1, 2010. NO FAXES PLEASE. -All applicants will be reviewed by the Parade Committee for appropriateness and compliance with the parade and its rules as stated in this application. The committee reserves the right to reject any application due to safety factors or failure to comply with the parade rules. The parade entrant, sponsoring organization, and entry participants agree to waive liability and hold harmless the St Patrick's Day Parade of Tucson, Inc, and its members, and/or sponsors for any damage or injury, including death to participants and/or animals, and/or damage to any float or vehicle. -By signing this application, it is acknowledged that the rules have been reviewed as contained in this brochure, and that the liability waiver is accepted.

Signature: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date: _____