

Hopkins Raspberry Festival 2007

Grande Day Parade Entry Form

We cordially invite you to participate in our Grande Day Parade as we celebrate the 73rd anniversary of the Hopkins Raspberry Festival. You'll love our enthusiastic crowd and enjoy the beautiful Hopkins Mainstreet.

Hopkins Raspberry Festival
Grande Day Parade
Sunday, July 15th 2007
1:00 PM

Note the new start time!!!!

Awards Visiting Royalty Floats 1 st , 2 nd , and 3 rd Places Crowd Pleaser

1. Application process: Entry forms must be filled out entirely and received by our office no later than Friday, June 22. Our new mailing address is – 10921 Excelsior Boulevard – Suite 116 – Hopkins, MN 55343. Confirmations and line-up info will be sent the 1st week of July.
2. Animal Entries: All animal entries must provide their own clean up. There must be someone following directly behind the units to clean up excrement. No Exceptions.
3. Distribution of items: Absolutely no literature of any kind may be handed out during the parade. Nothing may be thrown from the parade units. Candy may only be handed out by walkers at curbside.
4. Units must keep moving: To keep the parade moving, all units must stay within 3 car lengths of the unit ahead of them. If a larger gap occurs, you must speed up to close the gap.

If any of the parade rules are violated, a warning will be issued by a parade marshal and that entry may be barred from future parades. If the warning is ignored, that unit may be escorted off the parade route.

Please fill out the entry form on the other side.

Political and Commercial Entry Rules and Requirements - \$150.00 Fee

Commercial Entries

Hopkins Businesses may enter free of charge but we will except donations.

Non-Hopkins businesses must pay the \$150.00 Fee.

Political Entries

Current office holders representing the City of Hopkins may participate free of charge.

Unelected candidates must pay the \$150.00 fee.

Each politician is allowed only one vehicle and can include immediate family only.

As the Hopkins Raspberry Festival does not necessarily support the opinions of participating representatives, we do not allow the distribution of political literature, buttons, stickers, etc. during the parade. Therefore with the political fee of \$150.00, we will provide a booth during Family Day the day before the parade.

Checks should be made out to: Hopkins Raspberry Festival.

Entry Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Contact Person _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Type of Entry Marching/music Single Vehicle(s) Walking

Float (music? Y / N) Other _____

Amount you request for your Performance/Entertainment/Appearance _____

List the length in feet needed at line-up (include tow unit) _____

Information about your entry for announcers:

Royalty Names _____

Mail Entry form to Hopkins Raspberry Festival – 10921 Excelsior Blvd #116 – Hopkins, MN 55343

Call with any questions: 952-931-0878

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