



2011 Beaufort Christmas Parade

Entry Form & Fee Please Return by Friday, November 18, 2011

Parade Date:	Sunday, December 4, 2011
Parade Time:	3:00 p.m.
Line-up Time:	1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Line-up Location:	Adventure Street
Parade Route:	Adventure to Boundary to Carteret to Bay Streets. Parade will disband at original starting point.
Participation Fee:	* Marching Bands, City Government, County Government, State Government, Military - No Fee to Participate * Non-profit organizations, churches, groups/clubs - \$10 entry fee per vehicle . If walking only, \$10 flat rate. * Commercial Businesses— \$20 entry fee per vehicle .
Special Instructions:	Please retain the following instructions for your records. Send in the second page of the application to participate.
Contact Information:	Main Street <i>Beaufort</i> , USA 525.6644 or info@downtownbeaufort.com

1. **Please return this application by Friday, November 18, 2011** to Main Street Beaufort, USA, PO Box 501, Beaufort, SC 29901. ***All applications received after this date will be placed at the rear of the event line-up. No applications will be accepted after November 28, 2011.***
2. **Main Street Beaufort, USA will provide the official Santa & Mrs. Claus for the parade.** Please do not include Santa or Mrs. Claus in your parade unit. **You will not be allowed to participate in the event if someone in your party is dressed as Santa or Mrs. Claus.**
3. **All entries should decorate units with a holiday-inspired theme or decorations. Your entry will not be allowed in the parade if it is not decorated.** Be creative and use your imagination! Let the spirit of the holiday season guide your decorations!
4. **For the safety of parade on-lookers and participants, please respect the following parade rules and regulations:**
 - + "Any parade unit that performs exhibitions enroute must be a moving demonstration as not to cause gaps in the parade. Unsafe motorcycle demonstrations are not allowed and the motorcycles must maintain the pace of the parade."
 - + "To increase the safety of the children watching the parade, **NO CANDY OR OTHER ITEMS MAY BE THROWN OR OTHERWISE DISTRIBUTED FROM PARADE VEHICLES** to persons on the sidelines." You may walk along side your parade unit and place candy or trinkets in the hands of the attendees.
 - + **No Balloons Allowed** per City of Beaufort Ordinance.**You will receive a call prior to December 4th to inform you of your position in the parade. Line-up organized by the Beaufort Lions Club.**
If for some reason you do not receive a phone call, there are people designated at the event to make sure you get to your position in the line-up on the day of the parade.



2011 CHRISTMAS PARADE APPLICATION

To participate in the Christmas Parade, complete the form below and return it along with the entry fee applicable to your group to:

**Main Street Beaufort, USA
Holiday Parade
P.O. Box 501
Beaufort, SC 29901**

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: 5 pm ~Monday, November 18, 2011

Entry: Please Pay Entry Fee With Cash or Check. We Do Not Accept Credit Cards

___ Non-profit Organization, church, group or club - \$ 10 Entry Fee per vehicle; if walking only, \$10 flat rate

___ Commercial Business - \$ 20 Entry Fee per vehicle

___ Marching Band, City Government, County Government, State Government or Military – No entry fee

Amount Enclosed: _____

Group Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Please provide us with a complete mailing address and the 2 best phone numbers to contact you.

Entry Type: ___ Float ___ Band ___ Walking ___ Personal Car/Truck ___ Other (describe)

** _____ NUMBER OF VEHICLES ** _____ DIMENSIONS OF VEHICLE IN FEET

PLEASE BE SPECIFIC ABOUT THE SIZE AND NUMBER of vehicles, etc. that will be in the parade to assure that the correct amount of space is allocated to meet your needs.

Number of Participants in unit: _____ Special Considerations: ___ Music ___ Noise

*Due to the amount of marching band participation in this parade, we may not be able to accommodate large animals who need to be away from noise. The Lion's Club can contact you to discuss your needs.

I have read the above information and agree to comply with the stated instructions as part of my participation in the 2011 Beaufort Christmas Parade. I will be in my line position no later than 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 4, 2011 on Adventure Street.

Signature of Contact Person

Date