

R.I.S.E AND TOWN OF SIMMESPORT CHRISTMAS "REJOICING ON THE RIVER IN SIMMESPORT"

Christmas Parade Application December 3, 2022

Name of Participant _____

Business, Organization, or Personal _____

Contact Name _____

Contact Number _____

The Parade Theme will be: "**REJOICING ON THE RIVER IN SIMMESPORT**"

All entries will be judged at the lineup. There will be a winner in each category.

Categories: Please Check one of the followings.

Business

Organization

Personal

Float: Vehicle or Vehicle Pulling a trailer.

Dance Group or Marching Band:

Small Entry: Four-Wheeler, Motor Cycle, Golf Cart, Side by Side, ATV.

With Trailer Without trailer

Will you float have Music? (Check One) Yes: No: All Dance Groups will only be allowed Three 3-minute Dance Routines.

All entrants must sign, and return this application, waiver & release of liability and indemnity agreement back to the Simmesport Town

***ALL DRIVERS MUST BE LICENCED AND INSURED.**

Hall by November 15th. All entries need to be lined up no later than 1:45 PM. Lineup will be at the corner of N. Live Oak St and Main St. All entries must come down old La. 1 and wait until the you are assigned a number. If you have people riding that are going to be dropped off. They can get dropped off at the intersection of N. Live Oak St and Main St. enclosed with this application is a map of the parade route. Thank you and hope to see you there. **PLEASE TURN IN ALL ENTRY FORMS BY TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2022.**

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ENTRANCE FEE \$50.00 MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: R.I.S.E.

On behalf of myself and my organization, I grant permission to be photographed, recorded or interviewed for any legitimate purpose.

Signature of person signing up for parade

R.I.S.E. and Simmesport Christmas Parade December 3, 2022

We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to participate in our Annual Christmas Parade. Our Parade will be held on Saturday December 3, 2022 @ 2:00pm. **Line up no later than 1:45pm.**

The Parade will line up between 1:00pm and 1:45pm. We will go by the list for the lineup. Participants will come down old La. 1 and there will be someone at the end of the lineup directing participants to their number they will also receive a number that they must display on their passenger door. Participants will then pull up to their number. The judges will be at the line up doing a pre-judge and they will make their final decision at the judge's booth. The parade will start at 2:00pm sharp. The lead car will go at idle and no more than one car ahead of the Grand Marshal's Float.

The parade will start at the intersection of Main St. & N. Live Oak St.

It will go down Main St. then it will turn right on to Laurel St.

It will turn left on to Mission Dr. it will continue down Mission Dr.

The parade will turn left onto Norwood St. and go around Riverside Elementary School and take a right Mission Dr.

The parade will end at the intersection of Murphy LaCour Dr. & Mission Dr. There will be someone at the intersection of Murphy LaCour and Mission Drive directing the floats to park along Murphy LaCour in front of the Fire Department.

Time Line of Events:

1:00pm to 1:45pm – Parade Line up.

1:45pm to 2:00pm – Judging.

2:00pm to 3:30pm – Christmas Parade.

4:00pm to 6:30pm –Announcement of winners, Lighting of the Tree, and Church Choirs.

After the parade, everyone will gather in Leo Ehrhardt Central Park for the lighting of the Town Christmas Tree. At 5:00pm we will announce the winners of the Parade and we will light the Town Christmas Tree. Those assembled will be asked to place an ornament on the tree in memory of a loved one (**R.I.S.E. will provided plastic ornaments**). If you have any question, feel free to contact The Simmesport Town Hall (318) 941-2493. All applications can be turned in to the Simmesport Town Hall. Thank you and hope to see you there.

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December 3, 2022 2:00PM

Christmas Parade Rules

1. There will only be 1 Santa and that is supplied by the Simmesport Vol. Fire Department.
2. There will be no profanity in the music on any float. You will be asked to leave if you are playing vulgar music.
3. Dance units must perform no longer than 3 minutes. Please limit the number of routines to 3.
4. No alcoholic beverages on floats or at park will be allowed

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