



**WAYCROSS MAIN STREET
CHRISTMAS PARADE 2016
THEME: Christmas Magic**



Entries are now being accepted for this year's Waycross Main Street Christmas Parade which will be held Saturday, December 3, at 6:30 p.m. Please complete the entry form and mail to Christmas Parade 2016, PO Drawer 99, Waycross, Georgia 31502 or fax to (912) 287-2946 by November 25, 2016 to be eligible for cash prizes. There is no entry fee for those entering by the deadline. A non-refundable late fee of \$25 will be incurred for those entering after November 26. No entries will be accepted after December 2nd to allow time to create the line-up.

All prize money has been graciously donated by our sponsors. Participants will have the opportunity to win in the following categories:

Floats: 1st - \$300, 2nd - \$200, 3rd - \$100
Vehicles: 1st - \$150, 2nd - \$100, 3rd - \$50

INSTRUCTIONS TO PARTICIPANTS:

Please review the following information and discuss with all participants in the parade. It is very important to the success of the parade and the full enjoyment and safety of all participants and spectators that all participants in the parade know their responsibilities.

- The parade will begin from Mary Street Park. Only vehicles and floats in the parade will be allowed in the park. Lineup will begin at 3:30pm. Large entries are encouraged to arrive early. Vehicles delivering bands and participants must park outside of the staging area on available street space. Please arrive no later than 4:45 p.m. Prejudging will start at 5:00pm.
- Entries with music may test their sound system on arrival but are to turn off the music until they reach the starting point of the parade on Elizabeth Street. Music selections are limited to holiday music.
- Parade judging occurs at the Rail Depot soon after the parade turns onto Plant Ave. Look for a parade official to instruct you to pause for judging and pictures.
- All walking groups must have adult supervision.
- Instructions for lining up and entering Mary Street Park will be available at www.waycrossga.com/ms.
- All parade entries must be decorated and/or lighted to participate in the parade.
- Participants must portray the theme "Christmas Magic" to be eligible for prize money.
- Please do not include a "Santa" on your entry. This honor is reserved for the parade Santa who is at the end of the parade each year.
- For safety purposes, no candy or other items are allowed to be thrown from floats, vehicles or participants.

Parade committee reserves the right to reject any and all applicants. Location of entry in the parade is the responsibility of the parade committee. Changes may be made during parade line up.



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ENTRY FORM**



Organization _____

Contact Person _____

E-Mail _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Phone _____

Total length of entry in feet
including towing vehicle
(used to assign line up space)

Type of Vehicle(s)

Number in walking group

Will entry have music?
(Yes or no)

Description of entry:

LIABILITY WAIVER FOR PARTICIPANTS

As a participant or group representative in the Waycross Main Street Christmas Parade 2016, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks or physical injury and I agree to assume the full risk of any injuries, including death, damages, loss which I sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected or associated with the parade. I do hereby fully release and discharge the Waycross Main Street and City of Waycross, their officers, agents, volunteers and employees from any and all claims from injuries, including death, damage or loss which I may have or which may occur to me on account of my participation in the parade. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend the Waycross Main Street and City of Waycross, their agents, volunteers, and employees from any and all claims resulting from injuries, including death and losses sustained by and arising out of, connected with or in any way associated with the parade.

Signature of Group Representative _____

Date _____

Mail Entries To: Christmas Parade 2015 • P.O. Box 99 • Waycross, GA 31502

Fax To: 912-287-2946

For office use only: Date Received _____ Contacted _____ Entry # _____ PL# _____