

Parade - Sunday, September 15, 2019

Parade Rules

Parade entries must be received no later than Thursday, September 12, 2019, to be assigned a position. Late entries will be put at the back of the parade and will not be judged. Positions will be assigned by the Parade Committee and will not be changed. The Parade Committee reserves the right to reject any entry, to reclassify applicants, or to remove an entry that does not comply with the parade rules. No cash prizes will be awarded for commercial entries.

All units must maintain forward motion at the established pace.

Slow cadences are not allowed. Units asked to increase or move on and who do not comply will be disqualified. Groups are encouraged to choreograph performance to maintain forward motion.

A single performance stop for only 30 seconds in front of the Judge's Stand and Grandstand is permitted.

There will be NO Throwing of Objects or Candy into the Spectator Area!

Entries will assemble behind the Anderson Valley Jr/Hi School at 10:30am (on Mountain View Road, just off Highway 128) for pre-judging and line-up. All members of the entry must be present. Only mounted units (horses) will be allowed to assemble in the high school parking lot where they will be pre-judged by a C.H.S.A. judge. Young riders, under 9 (nine), are to be accompanied by an adult.

No Smoking or alcoholic beverages allowed in the staging area or in the line of parade. Contestants must complete entire parade route in order to avoid disqualification. Entries involving vehicles or animals must maintain control of such vehicle or animal at all times. No one under 9 (nine) years of age may appear as an entry, unless accompanied by someone over 18 years of age. Exception: Pooper scoopers under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Entries must maintain 25 feet distance from the unit directly ahead. Units with sound or unusual noises must indicate on the entry form. Failure to do so will result in disqualification. Bands will play through entire route. Violation will result in disqualification. Individuals sitting or standing on floats must be secured to vehicle. Judging stand is the right side of the line of parade. Sweepstake winner is not eligible for 1st place award in the appropriate category. Placings will be posted on the window of the fair office and awards may be picked up in the office after 3:00 pm. The parade will start at 12:00 NOON, from the junction of Mountain View Rd and Highway 128. A stipend, up to \$150, will be paid to group entries for bus or travel costs, i.e. High School marching bands. The parade committee has final approval. For more information, call Mendocino County Fair at 707-895-3011.

PARADE CATEGORIES

Sweepstakes to Best of Show - \$100.00

Marching Units – 1st Place Trophy – 2nd Place Ribbon

Seniors (15 & Over)

Juniors (14 and Under)

1. Drill Team
3. Color Guard
5. Band
7. Marching Unit

2. Drill Team
4. Color Guard
6. Band
8. Marching Unit

FLOATS

	1st	2nd	3rd
9. Comic	\$70.00 + Ribbon	\$20.00 + Ribbon	\$10.00 = Ribbon
10. Theme	\$50.00 + Ribbon	\$15.00 + Ribbon	\$10.00 + Ribbon
11. Commercial	Ribbon	Ribbon	
12. Musical Groups	Trophy	Ribbon	
13. "We're Proud Of..."	Trophy	Ribbon	

AUTOS/WHEELED VEHICLES

14. Horseless Carriage (pre -1932)	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
15. Horseless Carriage (post - 1932)	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
16. Modified	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
17. Decorated	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
18. 4 x 4 Pickup Trucks/ Jeeps	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
19. Fire Equipment	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
20. Commercial Trucks	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
21. Go-Karts, Bicycles, Ect.	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon
22. Antique Tractors	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon

SPECIAL ENTRY

23. Pooper Scoopers*	Ribbon	Ribbon	Ribbon
*1 Sheet of carnival tickets to Participants			
24. Queens, Supervisors, Political Figures, Special Recognition*	Trophy	Ribbon	Ribbon

All Participants in Class #24 are responsible for finding their own transportation through the parade. If your transportation is being judged in its own class please make a note of that on your entry.

MOUNTED UNITS

(CHSA Parade Points Awarded)

Equestrian Sweepstakes Awarded to Best of Show - \$100

1st place – trophy; ribbons to 2nd & 3rd place.

25. Parade horse/pony	26. Novelty, costume	27. Fancy Parade Horse
28. Working Western Man	29. Color Guard	30. Indian Costume
31. Working Western Lady	32. Mounted Group	33. Future Horseman
34. Fancy Dressed Western	35. Matched Pairs	36. Plain Western
37. Arabian Costume	38. Silver Mounted	39. Horse/Pony – Drawn Vehicle