



Citizens For A Better Grand Bay, Inc.

2017 Country Christmas “SPECTACULAR PARADE OF LIGHTS”

Saturday, December 2nd at 7:00 PM – Line up 5:30 to 6:45 PM

RULES AND REGULATIONS

DEADLINE DATE – FRIDAY NOVEMBER 24th

*****FLOAT CAPACITY LIMITATION – NO MORE THAN 1 person per linear foot of FLOAT SPACE.**

You will not be allowed to participate if float is overloaded. Example: 16’ float/16 people -20’/20 People

***** NO DROP OFF CARS PERMITTED ON PECAN STREET LINE UP AFTER 6 PM**

*****ALL RIDERS MUST BE ON FLOATS AND FLOATS MUST BE READY TO ROLL BY 6:45 PM**

*****REAR TAILGATES OR REAR ENCLOSURES REQUIRED** and minimum 24” high sides required.
Float heights not to exceed 13 feet from the ground. – CALL 251-656-4576 IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS

- 1 Completed registration form, fee, waiver and copy of Driver’s License **MUST BE TURNED IN** or emailed with PAYPAL payment no later than **Fri., Nov. 24th** at 5 PM. **NO LAST MINUTE ENTRIES ACCEPTED!**
- 2 ONLY registered floats and cars and approved vehicles or walking groups will be allowed to parade.
- 3 Parade Entry Fees must be paid in advance. Cash, Check, Money order or PAYPAL are accepted.
- 4 **ONLY CHRISTMAS THEMED MUSIC CAN BE PLAYED FROM ANY FLOAT OR VEHICLE EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER THE PARADE.** After parade volume must be lowered.
- 5 ONLY parade trained horses will be allowed in the parade. Horse owners must sign a special hold harmless form. Horses must be unloaded in approved area. Groups with parade trained horses must be approved.
- 6 NO ATV’s, 3 or 4 WHEELERS, skates, skateboards or go carts are allowed.
- 7 All drivers must be, 18 years of age or older with a VALID DRIVER’S License. (Copy due with registration)
- 8 **NO ALCOHOL CARRIED OR CONSUMED ON THE FLOATS or VEHICLES.**
- 9 All float entries **MUST HAVE** at least 1 ADULT over 18 years old walking on each side of the float for safety. No children under 1 walking or parading UNLESS in approved and organized groups.
- 10 All vehicles and floats **MUST BE DECORATED WITH LIGHTS** and be clearly marked with a sign identifying the business, organization or family name from a distance on both sides. **BOLDLY DISPLAY YOUR FLOAT NUMBER ON FRONT LEFT AND RIGHT PANEL FOR JUDGING OF “BEST FLOAT” or “BEST VEHICLE”**
- 11 You will receive float number prior to the parade by mail or email.
- 12 Floats **CAN NOT** line up before 5:30 pm. **FLOATS ARE TO LINE UP ON PECAN DR.** then in front of the Grand Bay Middle School **ONLY** by entering Warren Creek Road. Come South on Schoolhouse Road and turn right on Cunningham Road. **DO NOT BRING YOUR FLOAT IN ANY OTHER ROAD.** Side Roads will be blocked.
- 13 Each entry provides throws. **NO HARD BALLS, GLASS, SHARP or POINTED OBJECTS**
- 14 **ABSOLUTLY NO LIVE SANTAS** (CBGB will arrange Santa for Parade)
- 15 **NO RAIN DATES or REFUNDS**
- 16 **YOU** are responsible for your trash and your riders. You may be fined for littering if you are found dumping empty boxes from float. You may be banned from future parades for profanity, use of alcohol or bad conduct.

Registration and Waiver forms with payment may be mailed to:

CBGB, PO Box 274, Grand Bay, AL 36541

or emailed along with PAYPAL PAYMENT to citizens36541@gmail.com

Or dropped off at Azalea Real Estate on Hwy 90 or Dezauche Vintage Boutique on Dezauche Ln.

You will get a confirmation by email or postcard with your FLOAT NUMBER.

Call 251-656-4576 if you do not get your float number by November 24th

2017 SPECTACULAR PARADE OF LIGHTS
REGISTRATION FORM

- All participants must submit an application.
- Registration fees must be paid to help cover liability insurance costs.
 - Registration and waiver due with parade application.
- Applications/Parade entries must be received by Monday, November 20, 2017.
 - Please mail applications to CBGB – P O Box 274 –Grand Bay, AL 36541
- Applications can also be downloaded at grandbay.org and payments made online through PAYPAL to citizens36541@gmail.com

DATE: _____

NAME OF GROUP, FAMILY
OR BUSINESS: _____

MAILING
ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT PERSON _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

Check the appropriate option that describes how you will be participating in the parade:

____ Float (# of riders____) ____ Marching Unit (# marchers ____) ____ Car(s)
____ Horses (# riders ____) ____ Motorcycles (# ____riders) ____ Gator/Golf Cart (#____riders)

(Circle One) FLOAT - \$60.00 FLOAT (2nd FLOAT \$40)
 CAR OR ANTIQUE VEHICLE - \$20.00
 HORSE - \$15.00 PER HORSE (MUST BE PARADE TRAINED)
 GATOR, GOLF CART, MOTORCYCLE -\$15.00
 MARCHING GROUP - \$35 per group up to 25 people - \$50 per group over 25 people

WHAT IS THEME OF FLOAT? _____

WHAT WILL PULL YOUR FLOAT? _____

I hereby agree to all rules regarding the Parade of Lights on Saturday, December 2nd, 2017 and hold harmless the Citizens For A Better Grand Bay, Inc, and its representatives. Signed waiver attached to this application.

Signed: _____ Person in Authority of Age 18

Print Name: _____ Age: _____

ATTACH LICENSE AND SIGNED WAIVER TO FORM

Grand Bay Country Christmas Parade "SPECTACULAR PARADE OF LIGHTS" WAIVER AND RELEASE

By signing this document I/we acknowledge that I/we have received a copy of the Christmas Parade Rules, Regulations and Information. I/we agree to comply with all policies, rules and regulations governing participation in the 2017 Grand Bay Christmas Parade.

I/we release the Citizens for A Better Grand Bay, (CBGB) it's officers, members, and agents from any and all claims arising from participation in the event known as the Spectacular Parade of Lights ("Event").

In exchange for the right to participate in the event, participant hereby waives, releases and discharges any and all claims for injuries to any person, including death and/or to property that participant may incur as a result of his/her participation in the event. This release discharges Citizens For A Better Grand Bay, its officers, members, agents and all other promoters, sponsors, promoting clubs, officials, agents and any municipality or other public entity and their respective agents and employees ("Others") associated with the event from and against any and all liability that may arise out of the negligence, carelessness, gross negligence or wantonness on the part of Citizens For A Better Grand Bay, its officers, members, employees, agents, participants, promoters, sponsors, promoting clubs, officials, agents and any municipality or other public entity.

Participant understands and acknowledges that a serious accident can occur during activities such as this event. Knowing such risks, participants hereby assume all those risks and injury to person including death or to property related to event and releases and hold harmless and indemnities Citizens For A Better Grand Bay, its officers, members, employees and agents and others for any such injury whether such injury arises from Citizens For A Better Grand Bay, its officers, members, employees and agents or others negligence, carelessness, gross negligence or wantonness, including but not limited to all costs and attorney fees. Further, participant hereby grants full permission to any or all of the foregoing to use photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings, or any other record of this event.

Participant agrees that this waiver and release shall be binding on participant's personal representatives, heirs, assigns, and next of kin. Participant has carefully read and understands the foregoing waiver and release and signs this release as participants own free act. Participant represents that in executing this document, that the party doing so has the full authority to enter into this agreement with Citizens For A Better Grand Bay, its officers, members, employees and agents is relying upon execution of this document in allowing participant to participate in the event. Participant understands that you must furnish your own insurance and is responsible for any and all accidents pertaining to participant and/or the float in which participant is riding.

My signature below is my bond that I understand the rules and guidelines for the 2017 SPECTACULAR PARADE OF LIGHTS Christmas Parade.

Name of Organization or Participant _____

Print Name of Person Participating _____

Signature of Authorized Person (Parent if under 18) _____

WAIVER and RELEASE executed on the _____ day of _____, 2017.

Committee Use Only: Approved by: _____