

35th Annual Nyack Chamber of Commerce

NYACK HALLOWEEN PARADE

Float Contest Registration

ENTER TO WIN BEST FLOAT!*

1st Place \$1,000, 2nd \$500, 3rd \$250

*Float awards will be made only if there are more than three floats in the Halloween Parade.

Register by Oct. 19th • Bring this form to registration in Memorial Park

PARADE DATE:

October 26, 2024 (Rain Date: October 27)

JUDGING:

3:15 pm in Memorial Park, Nyack

Parade Steps Off at 5:30 PM

Organization Name

Contact Name

Address

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Phone

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Cell Phone

Email

FLOAT DETAILS: Provide as much information as possible

TYPE OF VEHICLE: _____ # OF PEOPLE ON FLOAT: _____

Floats must be no larger than 13' high. Must provide proof of insurance: see requirements on next page.

Float Description: (will be used in pre-parade publicity. Celebrity Float Judges will also be given copies for their consideration. Describe your theme and thinking behind your float. Explain the materials you used to construct it.

Float Entry Fee: \$50 for each float, payable by check, money order or PayPal (see details below). Send checks to:

Nyack Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 677, Nyack, NY 10960

ALL ENTRANTS MUST SIGN & SUBMIT BOTH PAGES OF THIS REGISTRATION by OCTOBER 19, 2024

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GENERAL INFORMATION

RULES, REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL FLOATS

OVERVIEW:

- Floats must be registered to be eligible for the prizes.
- Proof of Insurance is required for all vehicles participating in the parade (see below).
- Floats assemble at upper level of Memorial Park, corner of Depew and Piermont Avenues.
- Send REPRESENTATIVE to REGISTRATION TABLE to check in.
- You will be assigned a PARADE SPOT by the PARADE MANAGER.
- Follow the directions of the PARADE MANAGER for all logistics: where to park your float and when to join the parade line. Float participants who do not follow the directions of the Parade Manager, or who 'jump' the parade line, will be disqualified from the competition for prize money or entry into future parades.
- Call the Chamber Office if you need to discuss special arrangements for your float: 845-353-2221.
- ***If a group has a float, and participants for that float are in costume, they cannot enter the Best Costume Contest or Best Couple contest.***

IMPORTANT DETAILS:

- **Registration:** All floats must be registered with the Nyack Chamber of Commerce by October 19, 2024.
- **Size:** Floats / vehicles must not exceed 13 feet in height. Tractor-trailers are prohibited.
- **Insurance:** Organizations and individuals entering a float or operating a motor vehicle must provide the Nyack Chamber of Commerce with a certificate of insurance showing not less than \$1,000,000 liability coverage and naming the Village of Nyack and Nyack Chamber of Commerce as Additional Insured.
- **Float monitors:** All vehicles and floats must be escorted by a minimum of two individuals. These persons should walk on the street at each corner of the vehicle to act as safety monitors to protect the public.
- **Throwing of candy, toys or other objects from vehicles or floats is strictly prohibited**, as this creates potential serious personal injury. Anyone observed violating this rule will not be eligible for participation.
- **Other prohibited items:** "Silly String" or similar items and the spraying of same by parade participants or spectators will not be permitted. **THROWING CANDY IS PROHIBITED!**

WAIVER: By signing this agreement, the undersigned agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Nyack Chamber of Commerce, the Village of Nyack, Orangetown Police Department and its members, directors, officers, employees, agents and representatives, and all volunteers assisting with the production and staging of the Parade from and against any personal injuries, property loss or other damage suffered by any person or entity as a result of the actions of the undersigned and/or other persons involved with the float. Parade participants accept all responsibility for their actions and those of the participants connected to their float.

YOUR SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE REGISTRATION

I have read, understand and agree to the terms as listed in the Rules & Requirements and Registration Form.

- CHECK LIST: • Completed Registration • Proof of Insurance • Check (made out to Nyack Chamber of Commerce)
• PayPal (go to www.nyackchamber.org) \$50 Registration Fee for All Floats

Name (print)

Signature

Date

Print this form, fill out, sign and submit with payment by Oct. 19, 2024 to: Pam Moskowitz, Administrative Manager, Nyack Chamber of Commerce PO Box #677, Nyack, NY 10960 – 845-353-2221 Email: pam@nyackchamber.org

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