

# Industrial Parade (Thursday)

## PARADE RULES

*ALL units in the parade are admitted by approval of the Bluffton Free Street Fair Association and its designated Parade Chairs and are subject to all Rules and Regulations of said Association.  
ALL minors MUST be accompanied by an adult.*

All parade entries should have their name or sponsor visible on their entry. This is required in order to easily identify you for Parade Personnel and Parade watchers. SIGNS, BANNERS, COLORFUL T-Shirts and COSTUMES are excellent ways to identify your unit. We request that for the Opening Night Parade please make an attempt to follow the THEME (Please see the Website Home Page for the current theme) of the Fair or to show your support for this community festival.

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<b>Entry Deadline:</b>	<b>You must sign up for the parade and pay the fee(s) [please see below] at the Bluffton Street Fair Office by the 11<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. to receive an entry pass for the parade. There is no Entry Form to submit with the fee.</b>
<b>Parade is Thurs. Sept. 19th at 6:00 pm</b>	Line-up begins at Main and Central Street for Non-Sponsor Businesses. Placement is 1 <sup>st</sup> come first served basis (Corporate Sponsors will be notified by the Board President regarding your Line-up position) Please note that No vehicles north of South Street unless directed by Parade Officials!
<b>Route</b>	Begins at Central Street & Main/South Street and moves North to Main/Market, turns West on Market to Market/Marion and Continue north on Marion Street. Police and Parade personnel will direct your disbursement
<b>Display entry card(s) in passenger side window.</b>	<b>ENTRY FEES:</b> Not for Profit = \$75 per unit Corporate 1 Unit = \$100 / 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Unit \$200 / 4th Unit & each above = \$300 each (Corp. ex.: if you have 4 units it will cost you \$800)
	<b>HANDOUTS PERMITTED BY ADULTS ONLY!!!!</b> <b>No minors (children less than 12 years) on hand outs as they have difficulty in maintaining pace. All minors must be Accompanied by an adult. THROWING HANDOUTS IS PROHIBITED! Violators will be removed from the parade!</b>
	1) All walkers should maintain pace on handouts at sides of route. Stay with your unit and keep parade pace. Small children should RIDE in the unit as they tire easily.
	2) All riders are to STAY inside the vehicle. NO getting in and out of the vehicle during the parade! This is a safety issue so please help us keep the parade safe!
	3) No unit will be longer than 40' – includes vehicle AND trailer and no wider than 18'. No corn heads or semi-trailers permitted. Combines should clear the overhanging banners and wires and be able to make the turn at Main/Market. <b><u>ALL IMPLEMENT ENTRIES MUST HAVE ADULT WALKER TO GUIDE UNIT THROUGH PARADE.</u></b>
	4) Semi-Tractors: Short bursts on air horns ONLY!
	5) All vehicles: Keep a car length distance between you and the vehicle in front of you.
	<b>6) ALL UNITS SHOULD TURN YOUR LIGHTS ON</b>
	7) Parade route is Main St from South St to Market St, West on Market to Marion and turn NORTH to disburse towards Wabash St. Follow Parade Officials instructions!
	<b>8) No Pets on Midway after Parade; pets permitted in parade by Dog Grooming or related business only.</b>