



Health Days Parade Information

Saturday, May 13, 2023 @ 10:00 am

The parade on Main Street will begin at 10:00 am and end at approximately 11:00 am. We invite you to help us make this year's parade the best yet. All parade entries must be approved; however, anyone is welcome to submit an entry form. Entrance to the parade is free.

Line-Up

Check-in and staging will begin promptly at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 13th. Entry numbers will not be assigned before you arrive; however, you will have a designated area where you'll need to line up. Entrants will line up on an organized FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE basis. Please be flexible and patient as your floats and vehicles are lined up. We are only allowed to close Main Street from 9-11 a.m. This means we won't have very much time to get all lined up; **it is crucial you arrive on time**. If you have multiple vehicles in your entry, you need to arrive at the staging area together.

Loading

There will be very limited space in the staging and drop off area so, if at all possible, please meet at another location to load up and then head over to Main Street. Enter the staging area at 400 South and Main Street. If you have walkers, you can drop them off at the designated area on Main Street. **Please carpool as much as possible to avoid congestion in the staging area.**

Drop-off

To enter the drop-off zone you will need to enter on Main Street at the 400 South intersection. Use the middle lane to travel north and turn right on 300 South. You may drop off walkers on 300 South between Main Street and 100 East. To exit, continue east to 100 East. The staging and drop-off areas will be very busy so please drive carefully and unload quickly to avoid congestion.

Where To Start

All parade participants must enter Main Street at 400 South at no earlier than 9:00 a.m. Again, we aren't given very much time so please be prompt because we will start the parade on time.

Parade Route

The parade route will travel from 300 South to 300 North. In the interest of time, no parade participants are to stop along the parade route to distribute flyers or perform routines. Please also try to avoid large gaps before or after you. Smithfield City Police will monitor the parade route to ensure compliance.

Safety

This is our highest priority. All participants on a parade vehicle must remain seated at all times. Exceptions may be made for floats where there is a permanent fixture designed for the participants to hold. In such cases, the standing participants must hold onto the fixture at all times.

Safety is the number one responsibility of those driving a parade vehicle. Please give it your full attention. We advise against drivers throwing items or doing anything that may distract them. Always be aware of your surroundings while driving.

Participants throwing candy must be at least 12 years old and be able to throw the candy all the way to the curb. Do not start throwing candy until you have completely exited the staging area and throw it as far away from your vehicle as possible. Only those 18 years and older may distribute flyers along the route. For their safety, performing groups must have a responsible adult in front and behind the group at all times. It is everyone's responsibility to provide a safe environment and protect those around us so we can have a fun and safe parade.

Conduct

We expect all parade entries to be respectful, courteous, and safe; this may include the parade vehicle, printed material, or participants. The participant may be asked to withdraw from the parade and may not be allowed to participate in the future if any part of the parade entry is deemed to be disrespectful, offensive, vulgar, or unsafe.

Horses/Live Stock

Any parade entry with horses or other live stock will need to provide someone to clean up the manure their animal leaves on the road.

De-Staging

The parade route ends at the intersection of Main Street and 300 North. All parade entries, excluding children's groups and walkers, should exit the parade route by turning east on 300 North. All groups with children or walkers can unload on Main Street between 300 and 400 South. Parents will need to pick up children no later than 10:50 a.m. because we are required to open up the road again at 11:00 a.m.

During the unloading stage, the Smithfield Lions Club will be handing out Creamies to all participants. Please help us keep the parade going by moving along quickly to avoid a bottleneck.

Registration

Entry forms must be completed and submitted no later than **Tuesday, May 9th by 5:00 pm**. Entry forms can be submitted via

Email: healthdaysparade@gmail.com

Fax: (435) 563-0060

Mail: Smithfield Recreation Center

Attn: Ed Haines

315 E. 600 S.

Smithfield, UT 84335

For more information, please contact Ed Haines at healthdaysparade@gmail.com or (435) 563-0048.

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In order to participate in the Health Days Parade, this form must be completed and submitted no later than Tuesday, May 9th by 5:00 pm.

Parade Entry Title: _____
Contact Person: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Email Address: _____
Phone Number: _____

Entry Details (please mark all that apply):

- Cars # of cars _____
- Dancers
- Float
- Horses # of horses _____
- Music
- Walkers # of walkers _____
- Other _____

Entry Type

- Business/Commercial
- Government/Military
- Performance
- Religious
- Royalty
- Other _____

I accept the responsibility to take all reasonable efforts to ensure the safety of all parade participants and spectators.

Each of us individually (and/or as parent and/or guardian of the named minor) do hereby release, waive, and forever discharge the State of Utah, the Utah Department of Transportation, the Utah Transportation Commission, the Utah Highway Patrol, and their officers, agents, and employees from all liability, claims, demands, actions, or causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to loss, or damages and/or injuries, including death, which may result from my participation in the above named event involving roads within the state of Utah.

I agree to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the City of Smithfield, its officials, employees, agents and volunteers from and against any claims, lawsuits, actions, losses, liability, damages, or expenses (including attorney's fees and costs) caused by or arising from any negligent or wrongful act of omission by me or others connected with this parade entry.

Signature of participant or legal guardian

Date