Rathdrum Days Parade 2024 is sponsored by:


# PARADE APPLICATION 

DEADLINE FOR ALL PARADE APPLICATIONS: JULY 8, 2024, at Noon

## Starts: Saturday, July 20, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. (Parade Line-Up begins at 7:00 am.)

THE ENTRY FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE!<br>(unless the event has to be canceled due to circumstances beyond the event coordinator's control)

## DETAILS \& GUIDELINES

- Please check in at the "Parade Check-In Tent", anytime between 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. located on East Main Street (in the dirt parking lot across from McDonald's) to pick up your entry number. After check-in, you will be directed to your lineup spot.
- The staging for the Parade will be on Main Street between Washington Street and ending at Main Street near McDonald's. Main Street between Washington Street and McDonald's will be closed to thru traffic during the parade line-up (starting at 7:30 a.m.), only parade entrants will be allowed in. Main Street will be one-way traffic going southbound only. The road will close to all traffic 15 minutes prior to the start of the parade. At that time all parade entrants must be in position.
- Judging will take place along the parade staging area prior to the start of the parade between 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. All entries wishing to be judged must be in the staging area (lined up) starting at 9:00 a.m. Winners will be announced during the parade as they come across the Announcer / Podium on Main Street. Winners will also be announced on the Main Stage Vendor Area at 1:45 PM at the Lakeland High School campus, and ribbons/awards will be given at that time.
- Award categories are Best of Show, $1^{\text {st }}$ place, $2^{\text {nd }}$ place, $3^{\text {rd }}$ place, and Honorable Mention
- All entries must complete the entire parade route.
- For everyone's safety, NO THROWING OF CANDY OR ANY OTHER ITEMS from entries will be allowed. Candy and /or items may be passed out by people walking beside your entry.
- If you wish to use your horn or siren, play loud music, etc. please let us know on your parade application form so that we will not place you next to any animal entries (it may startle them!)
- Please let us know, prior to parade day, if your group has any special needs or requests that we can assist with.
- Registration Deadline is JULY 8, 2024 at 12 NOON. Sorry, we are not able to accept any entries after that date and time.


# RATHDRUM DAYS 2024 PARADE ENTRY FORM 

 2024 Theme: "Heroes Among Us"Honoring everyday heroes such as healthcare workers, teachers, firefighters, and other community members who make a difference!
The Rathdrum Area Chamber of Commerce invites you to participate in the activities of Rathdrum Days 2024. Please read the rules and requirements, then submit your completed application with proof of insurance, and payment to the Rathdrum Area Chamber of Commerce, 14954 N Coeur d'Alene Street, Rathdrum, ID 83858. All participating in Rathdrum Days 2024 Parade is responsible for making certain they meet all applicable requirements outlined in this application.

Name of Entry / Group: $\qquad$
Name of Contact Person: $\qquad$
Email: $\qquad$ Phone: $\qquad$
Mailing Address: $\qquad$
Please Describe Your Entry / Special Notes (specify length of entry, indicate type of entry, etc.):

Have you participated with us in the past?
YES
$\square$ NO (welcome - we are glad to have you!)
YES (if so, what kind: $\qquad$ ) $\square \mathrm{NO}$
Will you have animals participate in your parade entry?
YES
$\square \mathrm{NO}$
**Please provide us with a brief announcement you would like our MC to read while your entry goes by the announcer's booth. You can email your announcement prior registration deadline to: director@rathdrumchamber.com
$\mathrm{We} / \mathrm{I}$ the undersigned have read the guidelines outlined for me and I accept full responsibility for this entry. We/I am responsible for any littering, injury, and/or damage while participating in the Rathdrum Days 2024 parade.

Signature of Person Responsible for Entry:

## ENTRY FEE

$\Upsilon$ Parade Entry Rathdrum Chamber Member
$\Upsilon$ Parade Entry Non-Chamber Member

FREE Quantity: $\qquad$

ANY PARADE APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER JULY 1, 2024 THE RATE WILL BE \$35.00
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

| Date Received | Payment Received | Payment Type | Proof of Insurance Provided | Announcement Provided |
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Please return your completed application and entry fee (if applicable) to: Rathdrum Area Chamber of Commerce | 14954 N Coeur d'Alene Street, Suite 201 | Rathdrum, ID 83858

## Parade Announcement

Please provide a brief announcement that you would like to be read by the parade announcer as you pass through downtown! This can be information about your business or organization or anything you would like the community to hear as you go by.

