



2024 Hometown Fest Parade Application

Saturday July 6, 2024



Application deadline: June 15, 2024

Each year, the Palatine Jaycees host Hometown Fest, featuring an annual parade that includes entries from local organizations and businesses, local government officials, Fire, Police, and other village entities. The Palatine Jaycees is a not-for-profit civic organization dedicated to providing individual development to young people to create positive change. Participation in the parade provides your organization or business exposure to thousands of attendees. This year's parade will be taking place on July 6, 2024 starting at 11 am.

Due to the popularity of the parade, we will be RESTRICTING ENTRIES to no more than 70. Submission of an application does not guarantee entry. Each parade entry is limited to one vehicle and one float for a maximum of 40 feet entry. All vehicles not pulling a float must be fully decorated. Applications will be evaluated based on entertainment value, timeliness of application, and past participation in our parade.

There are multiple methods to submit your parade entry application before the June 15, 2024 deadline:

- Online Application: Visit www.hometownfest.org/parade to complete the online form and pay by credit card
- Paper Application: Mail application along with check payable to the Palatine Jaycees to:

The Palatine Jaycees – Parade
PO Box 1517
Palatine, IL 60078

The Parade route is approximately one mile long. Parade line-up will follow N Cedar St going North and continue west on W Wood St. Step-off will be promptly at 11:00 am and proceed south on Cedar St. to Slade St., east on Slade St. to Brockway, north on Brockway to Wood St. and east on Wood St. into Community Park. Parade vehicles will continue south on N Oak St and disburse West on Slade St. See inserted map of parade route.





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<p>Contact Information:</p> <p>Company/Organization:</p> <p>Contact Name:</p> <p>Phone:</p> <p>Email:</p> <p>Fee: <input type="checkbox"/> Business \$125 <input type="checkbox"/> Not for Profit \$75</p> <p># of Participants (limited to 50 per entry):</p> <p>Use of vehicle: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>Entry Type:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Float</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Walkers</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Musical</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other Entertainment</p>
<p><u>Description of Entry and decoration:</u> (# of Participants, short description of entry/float, type of music/entertainment)</p>	
<p><u>Candy/Giveaways:</u> (Do you plan on giving away candy, giveaways, or promotional materials? If so, please describe what, how much)</p>	
<p><u>Script for video recording:</u> (May include your organization's name, leader's name, when/why/how organization was founded, purpose/mission of organization, etc. Enough information for roughly 1 minute. Please feel free to add on a separate page or email below.)</p>	

Please email parade@palatinejaycees.org with any questions or comments