



# 2023 Christmas Parade Application

Saturday, December 2, 2023 @ 4 pm  
**Entry must be received by November 22nd**  
Entry Fee - \$25

Company/Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Entry (check all that apply)  Float  Single Vehicle  Band/Dance/Cheer  Walking

Will there be a vehicle with your entry?  Yes  No If yes, how many: \_\_\_\_\_ **Limit of 3 per business**

Type of vehicle (check all that apply):  Car  Truck  Tractor  Fire/Police/Sheriff

Estimated Length of Entry: \_\_\_\_\_ **This is important information as we need to know for spacing at lineup.**

Total # participants in entry: \_\_\_\_\_ # of children: \_\_\_\_\_ # of animals: \_\_\_\_\_

Will your unit have music?  Yes  No

Description of Entry: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Waiver: As a participant in the Front Royal-Warren County Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade, I, the undersigned, do hereby assume the risk for participating on behalf of myself and for the other participants included as part of this entry. It is further agreed and understood that in no case will I or any such participants make any claims against the Front Royal-Warren County Chamber of Commerce, its officers, directors, employees, the County of Warren, the Town of Front Royal, other parade participants or other duly assigned parade officials or assistants. I have read the general parade rules and regulations on the reverse, and take full responsibility for my entry adhering to these rules.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment methods accepted: Cash, check or VS/MC/DS.** Make checks payable to Chamber of Commerce. Return application and payment to FR-WC Chamber of Commerce, 201 E. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Front Royal, VA 22630.

VS/MC/DS #: \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Digit Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like to receive a Square invoice to pay online check here \_\_\_\_\_ Confirm email address \_\_\_\_\_

**For more information contact: Chamber of Commerce, 201 E. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Front Royal, VA – 540-635-3185 or Email: [info@frontroyalchamber.com](mailto:info@frontroyalchamber.com).**

# PARADE RULES & REGULATIONS

1. All entries must be safe for passengers and spectators.
2. There is only **ONE** official Santa in the parade. Other “Santas” will be asked not to participate before the procession begins.
3. Parade route: Line up on Luray Avenue – Right – Right on Main Street – Left on Chester Street – Right on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street – Disband at Warren County Government Center.
4. Entries will line up on Luray Ave. beginning at 2:30 pm. **The parade begins at 4 p.m.** Participants will receive an email from Chamber staff the week of the parade with updates and detailed line-up instructions.
5. All commercial vehicles in the parade must be decorated with a holiday theme with a **limit of three vehicles per business.**
6. It is important that you keep your entry moving along the parade route.
7. Entries with animals are required to supply their own “cleanup crew”. They must be used at staging area, during the parade and at the end.
8. All music from parade participants during line up or along parade route must be seasonal in nature and family friendly.
9. Due to space and safety issues the use of tractor-trailers will not be permitted.
10. Judges will be located “at the turn” on Main & Chester Streets. Performance groups must perform “on-the-go”. Limit your performance in front of the judges to no more than 30 seconds.
11. Award Categories:
  - Best in Parade (Best in Show)
  - Best Walking Group (Marching, Cheering, Dancing)
  - Best Commercial Entry
  - Best Float (Youth)
  - Best Float (Adult, Civic, Church or Business)
  - Most Creative