



LINDSAY

86th Annual Lindsay Orange Blossom Festival Parade

2018 Entry Form
10:00 AM Saturday, April 14, 2018
www.lindsayorangeblossom.org
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Laura Cortes 559-361-7173

Since 1932

January 23, 2018

Dear Parade Participant,

We would like to invite you to participate in the 2018, 86th annual Lindsay Orange Blossom Festival Parade. Our theme this year is "Lindsay Oranges - Driven to be the Best". The City of Lindsay is known throughout the world for its famous and delicious oranges, and we hope to continue with this legacy.

Please see the table below for the awards that will be given:

Table with 4 columns: Category, 1st place, 2nd place, 3rd place. Rows include Floats, Equestrian, Marching Band, Baton/Music, Vehicles, and Miscellaneous.

Parade entries will be judged during the parade; however, floats may be judged before the parade. Float requirements include a trailer being pulled by a vehicle, or a flatbed truck, decorated according to the theme. A standard decorated truck will not be considered a float.

Enclosed please find an entry form and an announcer's sheet. Return the entry form, along with a short description of your entry, which will be read by the announcer as you pass by the judging table. Feel free to be creative in your narrative. The deadline for the entry form and announcer's sheet is April 1, 2018.

We hope that you choose to participate so we can make this the best parade yet!

If you have any questions please contact us at the numbers listed below or you may email us at obfparade@gmail.com.

Thank you very much,

Parade Chairperson
Laura Cortes (559)361-7173



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Name of Entry: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

JUDGING CATEGORY (CHECK **ONE** BELOW):

NON-COMPETITION

____ Non-Competition (if you do not want to be judged)

EQUESTRIAN

____ Large Group on Horses (over 5)
____ Small Group on Horses (2-5)
____ Individual Rider

LAW ENFORCEMENT

____ Military
____ Fire
____ Police
____ Cadet

MARCHING BAND

____ Middle or Elementary Band
____ High School Band

BATON/MUSIC

____ Baton & Dance Group
____ Baton & Dance Individual
____ Costumed Group
____ Costumed Individual
____ Flag Team
____ Musical Group in Vehicle
____ Musical Group Marching

FLOAT

____ Non Profit ____ Commercial

VEHICLES

____ Decorated Car/Pick-up/Van
____ Motorcycle
____ Car Club
____ Other Motorized Entry

MISCELLANEOUS

____ School
____ Sports
____ Service Organization/Club
____ Other (Explain) _____

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

There is **no fee** for parade entrants. Please return entry forms ASAP with a **deadline April 1, 2018**. All entries received after April 1st will be added to the end of the parade. Entrants will be notified with their lineup status one week before the parade. Check for more information at www.lindsayorangeblossom.org.

- Email forms or inquiries to: obfparade@gmail.com

Theme

All floats and vehicles are to be decorated in the **"Lindsay Oranges - Driven to be the Best"** theme. All entries are subject to approval. Anything deemed inappropriate will be removed from the parade line-up.

Judging

All entries will be judged during the parade except the floats. There will be a minimum of 3 judges judging every category. Entries will be judged on Best Use of Theme, Originality, and Overall Appearance of the entry.

Awards

Please see the invitation letter for a description of this year's awards. Posting of the awards will be after the parade at the stage in the Lindsay City Park at approximately 1:30 p.m.

Moving along

Routines should be no more than 2 minutes. All entries must keep a forward motion and keep the same distance from the entry ahead once the parade has begun.

LIABILITY RELEASE: This entry is a voluntary participation event in a free celebration and with my signature below, I release and hold harmless the City of Lindsay, the Orange Blossom Festival Committee and Staff from any and all liability resulting from said participation.

X

Signature and Date (no entry permitted without signature)

Please complete and return the Judge's Announcement Sheet (see reverse) for the parade announcers to read. Thank you.

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6th Annual Lindsay Orange Blossom Festival Parade

JUDGING ANNOUNCEMENT SHEET

Theme: **"Lindsay Oranges - Driven to be the Best"**

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Name of Entry: _____

Description: (fill in all that apply)

_____ # of regular sized cars/trucks

_____ # of trailers being pulled

_____ # of large vehicles (bus, semi, flatbed)

_____ # of walkers

_____ # of horses

Will your entry have loud noises? Yes or No

Other description/information:

In 100 words or less, please neatly print or type a description of your entry. You may include the history of your entry, past participation, names of participants, etc. This will be read by the emcee as you pass the judges' stage.

Please return this page before the deadline.