

Cowichan Lake District Chamber of Commerce
CHRISTMAS PARADE Sponsored by Country Grocer
ENTRY FORM

Return Completed form to: Cowichan Lake District Chamber of Commerce

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Participant: _____ Rep: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Let us know what type of entry you are

<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Float
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Commercial Float
<input type="checkbox"/> Antique Vehicle
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Vehicle
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Commercial Vehicle
<input type="checkbox"/> Equestrian Entry
<input type="checkbox"/> Animal Entry

<input type="checkbox"/> Political Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Walking Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Commercial Walking Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Marching Band
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth Entry
<input type="checkbox"/> Royalty Group

Do you have Music: _____?

Total Length of entry (including tow vehicle) _____ (very important info for the Parade Marshal)

Number of Persons in Entry _____

PARADE DATE: Sunday, November 30th , 2025 "MERRY AND BRIGHT" is the Theme
Marshaling on Point Ideal Road : 4:00pm - all entries must report to Parade
Marshal for parade procession number. 5:00pm - Parade will start as directed by the
Parade Marshal, to proceed down the main road through town to Country Grocer, where
the floats can park on Darnel Rd. All foot traffic will then proceed into Country Grocer
parking lot to enjoy the sounds of carollors, the market vendors, and refreshments from
our sponsor Country Grocer, while children visit with Santa.

DEADLINE FOR ENTRY: Sunday November 23rd , 2025

Cowichan Lake District Chamber of Commerce and Country Grocer Christmas Parade

INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

Entrants in the Cowichan Lake District Chamber of Commerce SANTA PARADE, which takes place in Lake Cowichan, BC Canada, agree(s) to waive and release any and all rights of claim for damage against the Town of Lake Cowichan, Cowichan Lake District Chamber of Commerce, the sponsor or sponsors of the Parade, for any and all injuries and damages caused to them. Entrant(s) understand that the Cowichan Lake District Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to accept or refuse any entry, at their discretion.

COMPANY / ORGANIZATION CONTACT NAME EMAIL & TELEPHONE# _____

DATE: _____

PLEASE NOTE: ALL MOTORIZED VEHICLES MUST PRODUCE EVIDENCE OF INSURANCE FOR BODILY INJURY AND PROPERTY DAMAGE. ICBC MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE ACCEPTABLE.

(A photocopy is acceptable)

Note: Your information this indemnity agreement signifies your understanding that should an accident occur immediately prior to, during or immediately following the SANTA Parade, to you or your property, you will not have the legal right to bring a claim of damage against any of the municipal or organizations listed. This also includes any of their personnel or volunteers.

PARADE RULES/PARADE INFORMATION

Marshaling begins at 3:00p.m. All entries report to PARADE MARSHALL on Point Ideal Road by Community Services building, where you will be directed to your position # for the parade procession, and given directions when to fall in the procession line up when the parade starts.

Throwing articles of any kind is STRICTLY PROHIBITED.

All parade units once on Darnell Road which is the end point - are to park or disperse.

SAFETY REGULATIONS

The following requirements are a must for a safer parade.

1. Good visibility for the driver, allowing the driver a minimum of 180 degree vision.
2. Good communication system between the driver and person on float.
3. Drivers **MUST** have a valid driver's license and be a competent float driver. **DRIVERS SUSPECTED OF BEING IMPAIRED WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE PARADE.**
4. Floats must be decorated with fire retardant materials. All exhaust pipes must be protected from decorations.
5. Persons riding on the float must be restrained with the use of seatbelts. No person is to be wired on or tied in a manner,
6. Fire extinguisher must be carried on all floats.
7. If an entry breaks down or has to stop, please move to the side of the road in order to keep the parade running smoothly.
8. All animals in the parade must be kept under control at all times. **The entry must provide their own CLEAN UP unit.**
9. Please refrain from throwing articles of any form Candy can be handed out by one of your members walking alongside your float.

10. ALCOHOL IS STRICKLY PROHIBITED

In the event of an Emergency and Responder vehicles are being called out of the parade, please pull over, and stop.