



Allen Rotary Christmas Parade 2011

Presented by the

Allen Sunrise and Allen Noon Rotary Clubs

Sunday, December 4, 2011, at 2:00 P.M.

Grand Marshall: Connie Rodenbaugh

Parade Theme: A SEASON OF GIVING

PARADE RULES (SEE- Frequently Asked Questions which are located on www.allenchristmasparade.com)

- The Rotary Clubs' entry will be the **ONLY** float allowed to feature Santa Claus.
- Each float/entry must sign up individually and can have a MAXIMUM of two (2) components (cars, trucks, motorized apparatus, etc.). **Groups with DIFFERENT troop or club numbers must submit separate entries. 1 entry form will not be allowed to represent multiple troops or clubs. Animal entries can have up to 20 animals on 1 entry, if there are more than 20 animals a 2nd entry will be required.**
- You can indicate below if there is another group you would like to walk with and we will do our best to accommodate these requests when ordering the parade.
- You will be notified of your spot in the parade before the day of the parade. Staging will begin at 11:00 a.m. at your designated parade spot.
- All motorized entries (trucks, trailers, motorcycles, cars) and all animal entries enter ONLY from Cedar at Exchange.
- You may drop off parade participants at the High School parking lot near the tennis courts or at North Cedar just south of Exchange
- Your entry must be ready to go at 1:30 p.m. in your designated parade spot

PARADE ROUTE

The parade will begin at Cedar & St. Mary, proceed southbound to Main Street; turn right on Main Street; turn right on Allen Drive and end at Allen Drive and St. Mary at the traffic circle.

PRIZES

Be creative with your entry. Certificates will be awarded to the entries that take top honors in their category (see below) and a magnificent trophy will be awarded to the GRAND PRIZE WINNER. Winners will be announced after the parade from the Sound Stage at the corner of Main Street and Allen Drive.

CANDY

To ensure the safety of participants and viewers, City ordinance does not allow throwing candy or any other item into the crowd. Candy may be distributed by walkers along curbside. Walkers: please do not use hard candy as it is discarded along the route and creates a huge job for our Sanitation department. Please use individually wrapped chocolate candies.

ENTRY FORM Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____ ___ Cash ___ Check # _____

Business/Organization/Individual: _____

Address/City/State: _____

Contact Name/phone: _____

Email Address: _____

****Request only, NOT guaranteed****

Group/Troup/Club requesting to march with _____

Please check the ONE category in which you want your entry to be judged:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Best Local Business Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Best Scouting Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Best High School Entry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Best Motorized Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Best Y Adventure Guides Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Best Grade/Middle School Entry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Best Religious Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Best Sport Organization Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Best Community/Volunteer Organization Entry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Best Livestock Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Best Performing Arts Entry | |

Entry Fees: \$40 through November 21 \$50 after November 21, with the final entry deadline Monday, November 28.
 Entry forms are available at www.allenchristmasparade.com. Completed forms, with a check payable to "Allen Rotary Club" should be delivered or mailed to 101 W. McDermott, Allen, TX 75013. For additional information, please visit www.allenchristmasparade.com for **PARADE FAQ's**