



2018 HANOVER AREA JAYCEES HALLOWEEN PARADE RULES

The following rules apply to all participants:

1. Registration by an individual for his/her entrance into the parade or for an organization shall bind all members of the unit covered by the registration. Violators will be removed from the parade and such individuals or groups may not participate in subsequent parades.
2. No alcoholic beverages or illegal substances of any type are permitted. Person(s) who appear under the influence of any illegal substance will be reported to the police and immediately removed from the parade.
3. All entrants are advised that the theme of the parade, the Halloween Season, is to be observed and where appropriate:
 - a. A float entrant may not contain any more than two (2) signs displaying the name of the sponsor. Each sign may not exceed 2-ft by 4-ft.
 - b. No person or group may distribute pamphlets or other tract material from the parade.
4. Safety Rules require the following:
 - a. Person(s) on a float or other moving objects **MAY NOT THROW CANDY** or other objects to the crowd. If not adhered to, such candy or objects will be confiscated at any time during the parade route. Due to dark conditions that exist along several sections of the route it is unsafe for children along the parade to be entering the street to pick of thrown items. A person is however allowed to walk alongside the float or moving vehicle and toss candy to the crowd so as long as it does not land on the parade route.
 - b. Fireworks, firearms, and/or weapons of any type are not permitted.
 - c. Motorcycles are allowed with advance approval and must be decorated or costumed with the Halloween theme.
 - d. Go-carts, mopeds, mini bikes, and similar vehicles must meet the safety requirements and have a Halloween theme.
 - e. "Muscle hi-jack" pickup trucks and similar off road vehicles are not allowed.
5. The parade is for the enjoyment of the participants and viewers and for that reason the following applies:
 - a. A group **MAY NOT** pause for display.
 - b. Forward motion of each group shall be maintained.
 - c. Any group or participant that unfairly slows the parade may be disqualified.
 - d. Clean-up crews for animals in the parade are required.
 - e. Floats may not be stopped so that contact can be made with participants along the parade route.
 - f. Music/sound effects on floats should be kept at a reasonable volume until the float is on the parade route.
6. **Direct solicitation of any sort by any registrants along the parade route is strictly prohibited. This applies to any form of political campaigning.**
7. Antique automobiles must be registered as antiques and licensed to drive on the street. The passengers must be dressed in Halloween nature or theme.
8. Hanover, South Western & Delone Catholic High School bands will not compete for prize money.

The Hanover Area Jaycees thank you for participating in our 77th Annual Halloween Parade. We are again looking forward to a safe and successful parade. Your patience and cooperation will be appreciated. **GOOD LUCK!**

Respectfully,
Hanover Area Jaycees Halloween Parade Committee



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