

WOOD COUNTY YOUTH PARADE

Monday, August 2nd – 7:30 p.m.

Senior Fair Directors: Brock Abke, Angie Swartz, Dave Nietz, Jim Grames, Amanda Barndt, Deanne Corken, Robert Strow, and Matt Zeigler

Committee: Carole Garrett, Terie Patton, Peg Trout

All entries for the parade must be sent to the Wood County Fair Office, P.O. Box 146, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402 or office@woodcounty-fair.com with the entry form below. Entry deadline is **JULY 16th at Noon**. No late entries will be accepted. **One entry per organization.**

FLOATS – (Major construction on wagon with decorations and theme)

Class I—4-H Clubs

Class II—FFA and FHA

Class III—Other County Youth Groups

EQUESTRIAN UNITS

Class IV—4-H Horse Clubs

MARCHING/PARADING UNITS

Class V—Bands

Class VI—Majorette & Baton Groups

Class VII—4-H Club/Youth Organization (Non-Float)

Uniformed groups of 12 or more with banner identifying the organization or riding on a wagon or truck

Rules & Regulations:

1. Parade will leave the staging area at 7:00 p.m. and travel through the fairgrounds.

3. First through third place will be awarded to participants in Classes I through III.

5. Floats must be the work of the organization entering the parade and be no smaller than 6'x10' and no semi-trailers.

6. Parading animals will not be considered part of the float exhibit. Must clean up after animals.

7. Floats will enter grounds at North Brim Road (Gate E) and proceed north of campers to Derby Lane.

*** No candy should be thrown while parading.**

8. A Senior Fair Director will help direct you to your position. Numbers will be posted on the fence.

9. Floats should be in designated judging area on Deere/Camper Rd in the campgrounds. Judging will begin at 5 p.m. Those not ready will be penalized. **The driver, advisors and only club members to be interviewed should be in judging area after 5 p.m.**

10. Floats will be judged according to the following score card:

Organization identification (Large enough to see well)

15 points

Interview (brief interview of club members chosen at random by judges)

10 points

Posterboard of float construction (standard size)

5 points

Appearance (attractive, originality, general idea, theme, neatness)

40 points

Eye catching (your first impression)

20 points

Art Principle (line, proportion, balance)

10 points

Possible Score

100 points

11. Bands are to assemble on the track no later than 6:30 p.m. Bands can stop at the grandstand and perform **one** selection in place. Enter grounds at Haskins Road (Gate A)

12. Majorette and baton groups are to assemble on the track no later than 6:30pm. and **will** be allowed to stop in front of grandstand and perform one routine. Enter grounds at Haskins Road (Gate A)

13. Junior Fair King and Queen Contestants must be in the parade. All Queen contestants must furnish a vehicle and be in line by 6:30 p.m. Enter grounds at Brim Rd Gate E.

14. No late entries will be accepted.

15. A short description of the organization must be submitted with the entry form.

WOOD COUNTY YOUTH PARADE ENTRY FORM

One Entry Per Organization

Due: July 16th at Noon

Name of Organization: _____

Name of Contact Person: _____

Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Class Entered: _____

Type of Unit _____

Description/Introduction at Grandstand: