## **HOLIDAY PARADE**

# SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2023 - 4:00 PM

Start: S.W. 12<sup>th</sup> St. and S.W. Sherwood Blvd.

**End: Old Town at Cannery Square Park** 

#### TIMING FOR PARADE CHECK IN AND LINE UP

3:15 PM Check-in begins

3:50 PM All participants including walkers/vehicles/floats must be present and checked in.

**STAGING AREA AND CHECK IN:** The parade will be staged within Kohl's parking area and along SW 12th Street. Where you park does not mean you will go in that order. We will tell you the order at 3:50 PM.

**DONATIONS:** Parade participation is FREE - However, due to rising costs for our festival, donations are always welcome. This may be paid in advance by check or by PayPal, or you may bring a check or cash on parade day. Make Checks payable to Sherwood Robin Hood Festival Association or SRHFA; information on PayPal is at <a href="https://www.robinhoodfestival.org">www.robinhoodfestival.org</a>.

**REGISTRATION:** All parade participants must register, even if they are sponsors or vendors. There are two ways to register:

Email: Send by November 28, 2023 to RobinHoodParade@gmail.com.

OR

<u>In Person:</u> Bring to the parade staging area the day of the parade and hand them to Bunny Lewis or Jennifer Casler, parade co-chairs.

Entry Name:
(Name of Group, Organization, Business or Individual)
Address:
Phone Number:
How many participants ?
Contact Person:
Phone number if different:
Email address:
SIGNATURE

#### **PARADE RULES**

- Each vehicle or float in the parade must have at least two designated line-of-site walkers for safety.
- Adults must accompany children under 12 years of age on the parade route.
- Riders on horses and ponies must be at least 14 years of age or be accompanied by an adult.
- Please closely supervise and pick up after any horses, pets, or animals in the parade (POOPER SCOOPER).
- THROWING CANDY OR OBJECTS FROM FLOATS OR VEHICLES IS PROHIBITED. For everyone's safety: Walkers may directly hand out candy along the parade route to prevent children from entering the street.
- All motorized vehicles in the parade must be driven by licensed operators, 22 years of age or older, and vehicles must have liability insurance.
- Entries are expected to be appropriate for viewers of all ages. Please use common sense with your parade entry, as we reserve the right to review and refuse any entry.
- Parade participants are responsible for staging their entry and navigating the parade route in a safe and respectful manner. THE PARADE ENTRANT AGREES TO HOLD HARMLESS, THE SHERWOOD ROBIN HOOD FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION, SRHFA'S SPONSORS, INCLUDING THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES FROM ANY LOSS, CLAIM, ACTION, SUIT OR LIABILITY TO THIRD PERSONS; WHETHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY RELATED TO THIS EVENT.

These parade rules have been established for the welfare and safety of all our parade participants, and for that of all the general public that line the streets to watch our parade. The Sherwood Robin Hood Festival Association thanks you for your participation in celebrating our annual festival.

## **REMEMBER!!**

This is a Winter Parade. It is getting dark and some people will be wearing dark clothing.

# FOR THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN CANDY IS NOT ALLOWED TO BE TOSSED OR THROWN FROM A VEHICLE

It takes many volunteers to assist with the parade barricades. This is a wonderful opportunity for the family members of your parade participants to help keep their children and community members safe during the event. Please share this SignUp.Com link, <a href="https://signup.com/go/ZCowvND">https://signup.com/go/ZCowvND</a>, or share this QR code with those in your organization and encourage them to consider helping out. You may contact <a href="mailto:RobinHoodVolunteers@gmail.com">RobinHoodVolunteers@gmail.com</a> with questions about volunteering.



Questions: Contact Bunny Lewis at 541-292-0775 or RobinHoodParade@gmail.com.