



80th Annual Mason County Forest Festival

2024 Paul Bunyan Grand Parade

Saturday, June 1, 2024

“Believe in Bunyan & Babe”

Registration/check-in opens at 7:30 am, at the corner of 7th and Railroad, all units must be signed in by 9:30 am

Judging

- 9:45am pre-judging begins for floats, classic cars, and commercial & community entries
- On parade route judging for marching units, drill/dance/cheer units, bands, flag, equestrian, and others that include a performance. The judges will be located at the announcer’s booth at 5th and Railroad. Units not included in pre-judging may line up at any time but must be in the staging area no later than 10:30 a.m.

Parade participation fees:

- Non-profits - free
- Commercial units(advertises a business)\$50.00.
 - Waived for Silver Sponsorships and above
- Candidate running for public office \$100.00.
 - Officials holding a public office and seeking re-election are candidates
- The parade application with payment and insurance must be postmarked no later than **Friday May 24, 2024.**
- **Parade starts at 11:00 a.m.**

The parade is limited to 100 entries. If you wish to be staged with another entry, please notify us when you register. We will do our best to accommodate you.

Please submit application online & email insurance, or mail completed application, fee (if applicable), and insurance to the following:

Mason County Forest Festival
Attn: Parade Chair
PO Box 252
Shelton, WA 98584-0252

For information and questions please e-mail to Parade@MasonCountyForestFestival.com

This is an AT WILL event. Attendees agree to attend at their own risk. The Attendee agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Mason County Forest Festival, its advertising agencies, their agencies, officers, and affiliates for injuries, misfortunes or causes of action arising from or in connection with attending this event.



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Participation
Application

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Circle or check the entry you are applying for:

- Festival Floats
- Equestrian *Must have pooper scooper*
- School Bands *All school age bands*
- Commercial Entry represents a business or corporation, \$50 fee (*waived with some sponsorships*)
- Car Clubs

- Community Non-motorized (*Walking groups including: Drill/Dance/Cheer groups, 4H groups, Girl and Boy Scouts, etc.*)
- Community Motorized (*All other vehicles including decorated flatbed trailers*)
- Political (*Political candidates running for office*) \$100 fee

Do you want your entry to be judged?

- Yes, I do want my entry to be judged
- No, I do not want my entry to be judged

Name of Entry/ Organization: _____

Contact: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Size of unit, number of marchers, number of vehicles, length of float: (Please also include approximate staging space (i.e., 15 ft, 30ft, etc.) _____

Please provide a brief statement concerning your entry (approximately 30 seconds) to be read to the audience. (Please print or type clearly; please use the back or separate sheet, if necessary.)

Indemnification Agreement

I/we wish to participate in the Mason County Forest Festival Paul Bunyan Grand Parade. This is an AT WILL event. Attendees agree to attend at their own risk. The individual(s) or organization identified herein shall, as a condition for participation, indemnify, and hold harmless the Mason County Forest Festival Paul Bunyan Grand Parade (“the Parade”), Mason County Forest Festival, the City of Shelton, Mason County, and all their employees and volunteers from any and all claims, suits, losses, and damage or expense on account of bodily injury or property damage arising out of participation in the Parade. Further, the said individual(s) or organization will defend on behalf of all volunteers and employees associated with the Parade, Mason County Forest Festival, the City of Shelton, and Mason County all claims or suits for bodily injury or property damage arising out of their participation. The Parade reserves the right to refuse participation in the Mason County Forest Festival Paul Bunyan Grand Parade at any time. Signer agrees to all terms and conditions for conduct set forth in this agreement/contract and those listed on the Mason County Forest Festival web site.

Signature _____

Date _____