

Rosemount Leprechaun Days Parade

Saturday, July 29, 2023

Parade Start Time is 11:00 a.m.

Enter at Diamond Path. Line-up is on 145th Street West. Firetrucks and MVTA and a select few larger units enter from 42 and Shannon Parkway.

Rules and Regulations for Parade Units - Please share this information with ALL of your participants!!

1. Line Up starts at 8:30 a.m. Arrive early & **CAR POOL PLEASE!** **Large units (VEHICLES) must be in place by 9:00 a.m.** All walking units must be in place by 10:30 a.m. **CAR POOL FOR PICK-UP ALSO PLEASE.**

2. Inform your group of your line-up number and Rules & Regulations. **Any vehicle not in the parade will NOT be allowed into the line-up area.** Supplies will have to be carried in from the drop off site. Any vehicles in violation will be towed at the owner's expense.

***3. Parade vehicles are to enter from Diamond Path unless otherwise noted! **Intersection of Diamond Path and 140th St will be closed July 2023- All units must come from County Road 42 and Diamond Path.**

4. DROP-OFF PARTICIPANTS **enter the North driveway of the First Baptist Church by the ball fields** drive to the upper parking lot. A Parade Info Tent will help with directions. Please exit through the North driveway back onto Diamond Path **heading North.** Parking at the end of the parade is advised! - Car Pool Please - Space is limited.

5. NO picking-up of the participants at the end of the parade route. Parade units can use the Elementary/Middle School, The Well UMC parking lots or side streets to dismantle or to drop-off participants.

6. No alcohol allowed. Individuals who appear impaired will not be allowed to participate in the parade and no refund will issued.

7. No candy may be thrown from vehicles or floats but can be distributed by walkers traveling in **close proximity to the curb.** **Do not throw candy high into the crowd.**

8. **No weaving of large motorized vehicles in the parade route.**

9. No Stickers or Freezer Pops allowed due to cleanup.

10. **Maintain a 2 car distance between units (30 feet). Please do not hold up the parade due to unnecessary performance.**

11. The parade committee reserves the right to refuse any unit it feels violates "good social taste" from entering the parade.

12. There are no make-up dates, the parade is held rain or shine. However, if there is any lightning, the parade will be cancelled.

13. Any unit which creates debris or other blight, must provide clean-up crew that will clean up after the unit at all times (i.e. all animal units) NOTE: Please be kind to your pets and don't make them walk on the warm asphalt the entire parade route; allow them to ride.

14. Bring water for your participants and your animals. Also, don't forget sunscreen! Have Fun!!

Questions: Please call Barbara Hester, Parade Chairperson, at 651-423-3446 or 651-983-4463
or visit our website for up-to-date information:

www.leprechaundays.org/parade

2023 LEPRECHAUN DAYS PARADE PARTICIPANTS
Please pass this information on to ALL of your participants!!!

GETTING THERE...

Floats and vehicles in parade enter at Diamond Path and 145th.

***Firetrucks and MVTA enter from County 42 and Shannon Parkway.**

An email will be sent separately to these groups.

FLOATS OR VEHICLES ARRIVING AFTER 10 A.M. WILL FORFIT SPACE AND BE MOVED TO THE END OF THE PARADE due to participant safety.

*****Road construction -closed road at 140th and Diamond Path**

All units will have to enter from County 42 and Diamond Path!

Participants riding or walking: enter the North driveway of The First Baptist Church on Diamond Path (by the ballfields) follow the drive up to the large upper parking lot. A parade committee info tent will help with directions from there. Please exit back through the North driveway back onto Diamond Path. **DO NOT DROP OFF CHILDREN & Walkers ON DIAMOND PATH PER POLICE CHIEF!**

Please CAR POOL – Space is extremely limited!

*****Parking at the end of the parade will save a lot of walking afterwards!**
The parking lots at Rosemount Elementary, Middle and High schools will be available this year.

GETTING HOME...

NO Picking-up of the participants at the end of the parade route.

The parking lots at the Rosemount Elementary/Middle School (North on Cameo) and The Well a United Methodist Church (South on Cameo) are available for Post-parade disassembly and pick-up.

Participants who walk in the parade must walk to a nearby destination other than the end of the parade for pick-up.

**PLEASE
RIDE SHARE
WITH OTHER
MEMBERS
OF YOUR GROUP
FOR DROP OFF AND
PICK-UP.
PARKING IS
LIMITED.**

**Your Cooperation is
appreciated. ☺**

The Leprechaun Days Committee