

SKEGNESS CARNIVAL PARADE

THEME: MARDI GRAS

PARADE DAY: SUNDAY 8TH August 2010.

Closing date for entries: Friday 6th August 2010.

- Class 1. Fancy Dress: Under ten years.
- Class 2. Fancy Dress: Ten years and over.
- Class 3. Dance and Theatre Groups
- Class 4. Advertising Trade Vehicles.
- Class 5. Voluntary Organisations.
- Class 6. Novelty.
- Class 7. Veteran Transport.

JUDGING

We cannot access the playing field this year.

Judging will take place on the road.

Judging will take place at 1pm promptly. Please ensure your float / entry is on the road correctly decorated by this time. If you arrive late you may not be judged.

Stewards will be at the entrance to the industrial estate to direct you to the correct position. Access to the area is from Wainfleet Road Skegness near Pizza Hut. All entries must book in at the Control tent near Pizza Hut.

SKEGNESS CARNIVAL PARADE 2010 ENTRY FORM.

Name of entry (Print)

.....
Contact name & address

.....
.....

Postcode.....

Telephone

Entry for class number.....

Entry description (Float, bike, car, etc.)

.....
On behalf of this entry, I accept all the rules and decisions of the Skegness Carnival Committee. The Skegness Carnival Committee Organisers and Committee accept no responsibility for loss, injury or accidental damage to persons or property, however caused.

All entrants will be responsible for their own vehicle and Public Liability Insurance etc.

Signed.....Print name.....

Completed forms to Margaret Taylor, 1 Mayfield Grove, Skegness, PE25 3RY, to arrive no later than 6th August, 2010.

SKEGNESS CARNIVAL COMMITTEE

IMPORTANT LEGAL NOTICE

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.

It is customary for entrants in Carnivals to make use of decorated motor vehicles, often carrying passengers. Usually this use of such vehicles infringes many of the Road Traffic Acts. However, as our parade is policed and speeds are kept low, the Police exercise discretion, although they have no obligation to do so.

Any discretion shown extends ONLY to the parade, not beginning until we move off along the official route and ceasing when the parade reaches Park Avenue. You must note that at this point, all Road Traffic Act rules resume in full. There will be no exceptions. If you continue to carry passengers after this point, you do so entirely at your own risk.

Passengers should therefore only be allowed to board floats on the Wainfleet Road playing field. A setting down point should be chosen along Park Avenue between the rear exit gates to the Town Hall and the Police Station. The Carnival Committee recommends that children from floats should be collected by parents, at this portion of Park Avenue. Please do not obstruct the road whilst unloading floats and ensure that all passengers are only allowed to disembark on the pavement side of the vehicle.

Please keep the parade moving at all times. Static displays along the route are not allowed.

THE USE OF WATER PISTOLS AND PELLET GUNS IS STRICTLY BANNED.

Skegness Carnival Committee holds the Street Collection Licence for the Parade Day. This means that no other organisation can make a Street Collection on that day. Only registered collectors, using official containers may collect money from spectators. All collection boxes must be handed in at the end of the parade.

Please ensure that ALL members of your team are aware of and follow these rules.

WITH SAFETY IN MIND AT ALL TIMES, HAVE FUN!!

NOTICE TO ALL DRIVERS OF PARADE VEHICLES

PLEASE THINK OF SAFETY THROUGHOUT THE PARADE.

PLEASE LEAVE AT LEAST FIVE METRES BETWEEN YOU AND THE VEHICLE OR BAND IN FRONT OF YOU.

PLEASE TRY TO KEEP TO A STEADY SPEED.

PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW PEOPLE TO GET ON OR OFF YOUR MOVING VEHICLE.

PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW ANYTHING TO BE THROWN FROM YOUR VEHICLE INTO THE SPECTATORS. THIS MAY ENCOURAGE CHILDREN TO COME OUT OF THE CROWD INTO THE PATH OF, OR EVEN UNDER MOVING FLOATS.

PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW COLLECTIONS OF MONEY ALONG THE ROUTE IN ANYTHING OTHER THAN OFFICIAL COLLECTION CONTAINERS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.

HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE CARNIVAL PARADE.