



CODY STAMPEDE PARADE ENTRY FORM

THEME: LIVING IN THE WILD WILD WEST!

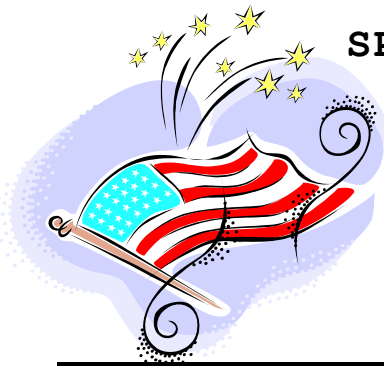
MAIL Entries to
Parade Entries
P.O. Box 2327
Cody, WY 82414

**ATTENTION! PARADE START TIME:
9:30 A.M.
JULY 3RD & 4TH, 2023**

Office:
1031 12th Street
Cody, WY 82414
Phone: 527-5055

CATEGORIES

1. THEME: Any entry that portrays parade theme	8. DECORATED FLOATS Any decorated float: does not need to follow theme
2. PATRIOTIC	9. POTPOURRI Any entry not qualifying in any other categories.
3. SPECIALTY BANDS Walking and/or Flatbed entry of music	10. SINGLE HITCH ENTRY Any single animal drawn entry
4. YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS Any entry sponsored by a Youth Organization	11. TEAM DRAWN ENTRY
5. MOTORIZED VEHICLES All motorized vehicles not of historic Value with the exception of city, county, and state vehicles. MUST BE DECORATED	12. PACK STRING ENTRY
6. MOUNTED ENTRY: Single	13. HIGH SCHOOL BANDS
7. MOUNTED ENTRY: Group	



SPECIAL AWARDS TO BE PRESENTED:

JUDGES FAVORITE - TROPHY
(Everyone is Eligible)

MAYORS FAVORITE
Everyone is eligible for this award

Make a Float

*CASH PRIZES FOR EACH CATEGORY AS FOLLOWS:

1ST PRIZE \$200.00 2ND PRIZE \$100.00

*To qualify for any prize, you must be entered in the parade both July 3rd & 4th and comply with all eligibility guidelines.

**JUNE 28th - ENTRIES CLOSE
NO EXCEPTIONS**

Office will be open
June 12th thru June 16th 3:00-5:00 P.M.
June 19th thru June 23RD 3:00-5:00 P.M.
June 26th thru June 27th 3:00-5:00 P.M.

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2. **NO BLATANT ADVERTISING! No phone number, address or .com's or QR codes.**
3. All entries must be decorated. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
4. Loose livestock will not be allowed for general entries. Exceptions will be made by the parade committee.
5. **Throwing of anything especially candy from any entry will not be permitted on the parade route.** If the entry provides out walkers, candy or bottled water may be distributed along the parade route. (see page 5 for map where this can be thrown from). Violations will result in **immediate removal** from the parade.
6. **Children under the age of twelve must be on a float or vehicle.** They may not walk down the parade route for safety reasons. We offer a Kiddies Parade on July 2nd. Please see Kiddies entry form.
7. **To qualify for any prize, it will be necessary to enter both the 3rd and the 4th and comply with all guidelines. You must be at your assigned number by 8:30 A.M. on the morning of the 4th in order to receive your award. Please make sure if you are a big group that you check where you are to be. Winners will be identified by banners as they start the parade route on the 4th.**

8.

**PLEASE RETURN BANNERS TO VOLUNTEERS
AT END OF PARADE ROUTE.**

9. It is the responsibility of each entry to attach your entry Numbers. Entry numbers must be visible to both sides of Sheridan Ave.
10. Maps are included in entry packets explaining positioning of line up. Packets will be available starting on **July 1st 10:00 AM** at the Parade Committee Office. **Please do not come to the office before the designated times as the entry committee members will not be available to assist you until the posted times.**
11. **A copy of these rules and the release agreement signed by the responsible person in charge of the entry must be in the possession of the Parade Committee on or before **June 28th**. (Page 4)**
12. Any group firing black powder must use light loads. Hot loads will result in entry being pulled from parade. Anyone OR GROUP who will be shooting a live gun must sign on page 5. You will also be responsible for filling out, signing and taking the extra form to the police station for approval and Return a copy of the approved form back to the Parade Committee. If this is not done, you-**will not be able to shoot. During the parade.**
13. Any Hitch team is required to provide their own outriders/out walkers this is **Mandatory.** You will not participate if you do not have them. Additional help may be provided if requested.
14. All prize money must be redeemed within 90 days of being issued. Unclaimed prize money will be returned to the parade committee for the following year.

PLEASE ENTER THE PARADE AT ALLEN AVE. AND 8TH ST.

(Yellowstone Highway, next to Sunrise Motel). You may pick up your numbers and a parade map showing where you should line up for the Parade there between 7:30 A.M. and 8:30 AM JULY 3RD AND 4TH.

Numbers may be picked up at the CODY STAMPEDE Office AFTER July 1st 10:00AM

Keep this page for your reference



Office will be open June 13th thru 17th & 20st thru 28th 3:00-5:00 P.M.

***To qualify for any prize, you must be entered in the parade both July 3rd and July 4th and comply with all eligibility guidelines.**

Please see eligibility guidelines on page 2.

June 28th - Last day to enter Parade AND RETURN COMPLETED ENTRY FORM BY 5:00 P.M.

Category Entering (choose 1 Only) _____

Entrants Name/Group Name _____

Sponsor or Group Leader's Name _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Days in Parade: Both _____ 3rd _____ 4th _____

Email Address: _____

If your entry has **ANY** MUSIC, GUNS, OR LOUD NOISES we **MUST** know for the safety of all people & animals! Yes _____ No _____

Special Needs: _____

Number of vehicles/trailers/livestock _____

BRIEF HISTORY & DESCRIPTION OF ENTRY: PLEASE, THIS INFORMATION IS VERY IMPORTANT SO THAT NARRATORS CAN MAKE MORE THAN A GENERAL COMMENT ABOUT YOUR ENTRY:

PLEASE INCLUDE NARRATION ON FORM TO BE SIGNED AND RETURNED TO PARADE COMMITTEE

Please return completed form to:

STAMPEDE PARADE COMMITTEE

P.O. BOX 2327 ENTRIES

CODY, WY 82414

NOTE

Line up is determined by the Parade Committee according to spacing of animals and special needs. It is impossible to please everyone and is NOT according to the time in which the entry is received. We must also be able to read your narration for the script. We will not be making ANY additions or changes to line up after **June 28th**.

GENERAL INFORMATION--PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY.

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NUMBERS WILL NOT BE MAILED TO YOU.

The **Outriders** are a mounted volunteer group of experienced horsemen and women who volunteer to help the Stampede Parade Committee to ensure organization and safety of our parades." They have been given the authority to ensure compliance with the eligibility guidelines. Please cooperate with them fully.

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO DONATE TO THEM TO HELP DEFRAY EXPENSES

THE BUFFALO BILL HISTORICAL CENTER WOULD APPRECIATE NOT HAVING LIVESTOCK AND PARADE VEHICLES ENTER THE PAVED PARKING AREAS – AND PLEASE,

No livestock on the grass anywhere!

*****COME RAIN OR SHINE – THERE WILL BE A PARADE*****

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Please try to meet the June 28th deadline.
Return signed sheets (pages 3,4 &5)
please keep first two sheets (pages 1 & 2) **of entry for your reference.**

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CODY STAMPEDE PARADE RELEASE & HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT
Cody Stampede Parade, 1031 12th Street, Cody, WY 82414 (307) 527-5055

NAME: _____
GROUP / NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____
TELEPHONE: _____
EMAIL ADDRESS _____

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, RELEASE OF LIABILITY
HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT FOR 2023 CODY STAMPEDE PARADE

I acknowledge that I am fully aware of and appreciate the dangers, hazards, unpredictable nature and inherent risks that may exist in parade related activities and such risks include possible personal injury, death or damage to property, and all other risks connected therewith, whether foreseen or unforeseen, known or unknown. I further agree that the Wyoming Recreation Safety Act applies to parade related activities, especially with livestock entries.

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of acceptance of my entry to participate in any activity associated with the CODY STAMPEDE PARADE, I hereby expressly agree to **indemnify, fully and forever release, discharge, defend and hold harmless** the Stampede Parade Committee, its officers, directors, members, outriders, affiliates, sponsors, employees, agents, representatives, volunteers and contractors, from any and all liability, claims, damages or responsibility which might arise out of any personal property damage and/or physical damage, loss, injury, or death which I, my minor child/ward, or any other participant associated with this entry might sustain from any parade related activities associated with the Cody Stampede Parade.

This release of liability is intended to include and bind myself, my minor child/ward (if applicable), and my heirs, successors, assigns, executors, administrators, personal representatives and all other participants associated with this entry.

I further agree to follow all established ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES and all other rules or policies associated with my participation in the Cody Stampede Parade. I agree to accept temporary or permanent expulsion in the absolute discretion of the Cody Stampede Parade Committee if found in violation of any safety rules, policies and procedures.

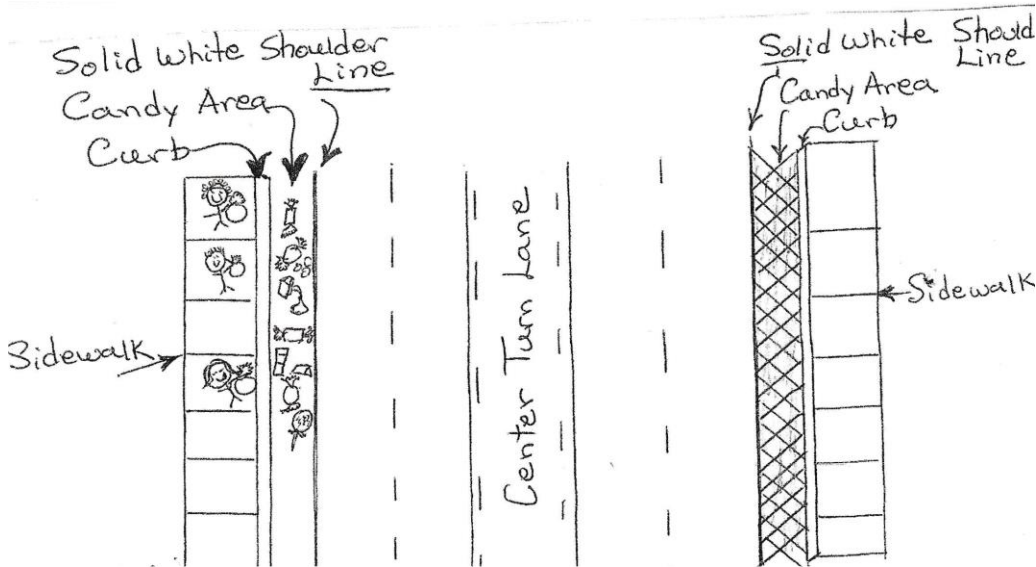
I FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY CHOOSE TO ENGAGE IN ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE CODY STAMPEDE PARADE, AND I VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL DIRECT, INDIRECT AND INHERENT RISKS. BY MY SIGNATURE BELOW, I ASSERT THAT I HAVE READ AND THAT I UNDERSTAND ALL OF THE FOREGOING TERMS, WAIVERS, RELEASES, CONDITIONS, AND POLICIES, AND I HEREBY VOLUNTARILY AGREE TO THE SAME.

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9. **CANDY DISTRIBUTION:** No parade is complete without candy for the youngsters. The Parade Committee truly appreciates the generosity and added efforts of those sharing sweets with parade spectators. The joy on faces when candy hits the street is priceless. However, to preserve the safety and enjoyment of all, candy distribution must be accomplished utilizing walkers, skaters, side by sides, bikes, pushing/pulling wagons/strollers, etc. that can travel along the white shoulder lines of the street and keep the snacks between the white shoulder line and curb as illustrated:



FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR SPECTATORS, CHILDREN, HORSES, WAGONS, OUTRIDERS, MOUNTED ENTRIES, AND OTHER LIVESTOCK. THROWING CANDY OR ANY OTHER ARTICLES FROM ENTRIES IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN. IT IS IMPERATIVE WE MAINTAIN CLEAR MARGINS BETWEEN SPECTATORS AND PARADE ENTRANTS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE PARADE TO ALLOW EMERGENCY VEHICLE/RIDER ACCESS ALONG THE PARADE ROUTE. ARTICLES LEFT IN THE STREET DRAW SPECTATORS INTO THE STREET NEGATING EMERGENCY ACCESS CAPABILITY AND PUTS SPECTATORS, LIVESTOCK, AND EQUESTRIAN RIDERS AT RISK. YOUR COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER IS GREATLY APPRECIATED AND WILL HELP ENSURE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE FOR ALL. IF YOUR ENTRY HAS MULTIPLE VEHICLES/DRIVERS, PLEASE PASS THESE GUIDELINES ON TO OTHERS AS APPROPRIATE.

Please sign here that you have read this above.

Signature: _____

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15. The Stampede Parade Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry that does not comply with the Eligibility and /safety Guidelines.

I hereby certify that I have read the rules (which are on page 2 and restated above) and take the responsibility of informing all participants in our entry of the stated rules.

Signature of Parade Participant

Date