



Rules and Regulations

Even though we are out there to have fun, safety is the number one priority for both parade entrants and spectators.

- The parade will take place on Friday, November 24, 2017. Staging will be on Oakland St. next to the tennis courts on the south side of Trumble Park and begin at 4:45 p.m. The parade will step off at precisely 5:30 p.m. and proceed to the Rotary Clock Tower.

- As there is only one Santa, there can only be one Santa in the parade, and he is coming by special invitation of the City of Durand and escorted by the Durand Fire Department. Any other Santas in the parade will be asked to go incognito, or risk disqualification.

- All Entries, including tow vehicles, must be decorated, and well-lit with festive, holiday lighting. Walking entries must display battery powered lights, or a 22 inch glow product, PER PERSON. Other glow products may be substituted as long as the entrant is well-lit. This includes any type of parade entry, wagons, bikes, carriages, animals, etc.

THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS TOO MANY LIGHTS!

The official theme this year is "White Christmas".

- All entries must incorporate a holiday theme, even if it is not the official theme, into their entry in addition to lighting requirements.
- Holiday music is encouraged at a reasonable volume, however sound systems may not be used for broadcasting messages or agendas.
- Religious expression is permitted, but please be respectful to all faiths.
- There is no limit to the length of an entry, but height cannot exceed 14 ft. (You won't fit under the street lights.) The length of the entry on the application is for staging purposes, please be as accurate as possible. While a Drill Team of 15 might take up 30' while walking, it does not need 30' to stage.
- All materials used must be flame retardant. Portable generators/compressors must be securely mounted. Insurance and liability are the sole responsibility of the entrant.
- Throwing of any items is strictly prohibited. PLEASE DO NOT THROW CANDY. Walking entrants may hand out appropriate holiday items. Distribution of literature or coupons is not allowed.

Santa's Light Parade Application

Friday, November 24, 2017

Name of Entry _____
Organization _____ Contact Name _____
Mailing Address _____
Contact Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____ Email _____
Length of entry (in feet, for staging purposes) _____

Provide a description of your entry (attach a separate sheet if necessary). The theme of this year's parade is **"White Christmas."** While it is not a requirement to incorporate the theme into your entry, all entries are required to have a holiday theme and include many lights. Entries must be family friendly. The Santa's Light Parade is a premier holiday event, so take pride in your entry. Indicate the number of vehicles, people, animals, etc. that are part of your entry.

The top entries, as determined by our judges, will receive a cash prize or trophy.

Please check only one category below.

- Municipal Specialty Walking
 Group Walking Performance (Marching Band, Cheer, etc.) Community Float
 Car/Motorcycle Club Commercial Float Tractor
 Equestrian Misfit
 Vehicle (1-2)

I have read the attached Rules and Regulations and agree to abide by them.

Signature _____ Date _____

For more information, please call Tim or Kathy Shaw at 288-6886.

Please return application to: Shaw's Pharmacy, 221 N. Saginaw St .Applications must be received by Monday, November 20, 2017.