



RULES & REGULATIONS



PLEASE READ ALL RULES AND REGULATIONS CAREFULLY! Any willful infractions will result in the immediate disqualification of your entry, and/or your removal from the parade. The Halloween Parade Committee's decision in all cases shall be final.

1. A registration number must be obtained by either email from the Parade Chairman or the of the parade at the Firehouse.
2. No motorized vehicles will be allowed in a walking division.
3. **No undecorated vehicles will be allowed in the parade.**
4. No more than one entry per organization, and no more than two units to an entry. (This includes more than one business at the same address). Except for divisions L, S, and W.
5. No alcoholic beverages may be consumed or displayed prior to, or during the parade.
6. **There will be no walkers of any kind allowed in or with a motorized float, or in a motorized float division.**
7. *Promoting political candidates, parties, or platforms will not be allowed during the parade.*
8. Animals must only be on a float if they are restrained (leash, etc.).
9. **There will be no dispersing or handing out of any articles, candies, pamphlets, or any other items to the public from any motorized float.**
10. There will be **no throwing** of any items to the public from any participants in the parade.
11. All vehicles shall be propelled at a safe speed and in a straight line.
12. **No stopping along the parade route for performing, including in front of the judges' stand. All performing must be done while marching.**
13. Any undue noises that shall become offensive to the other participants.
14. During set up in the float division, please keep all noise down.
15. Divisions are in alphabetical order.
Walkers start at Strauss Auto.
Floats start at the rear of Kohls/Foodtown.
Each division is in a first come, non-numerical order.
If an organization is in a walking division and the same organization or an affiliate is in a motorized division, the last spot in the walking division and the first spot in the motorized division cannot be saved or vice versa.
16. **Floats must not be more than 14 feet high.**
17. All entries shall be respectful and appropriate for a family environment.
18. **There will be NO Late Registrations.**
19. **If a float is promoting a business, it must be in a commercial division.**
20. All passengers should be secured in or on vehicle.
21. Any member of the Parade Committee on behalf of the Fire Department can inspect any float for safety factors including anything listed in Rule #5.
22. The interpretation of these rules and regulations and any other rules or decisions involving the Halloween Parade shall be made by the Halloween Parade Committee on behalf of the fire company. Their decision shall be final.



Please be considerate of the other people in the parade and everyone involved. Toms River Fire Company #1 would like for it to be a night to remember as one of the finest parades where all involved had a great time!



**SEE YOU AFTER THE
SUN GOES DOWN!!!**