



Bettendorf's Old Fashion 4th of July Parade

When: The Parade Begins at 12:00 noon on Sunday, July 4, 2010

Where: We'll meet at 931 Brown Street in Bettendorf which is about a mile from the start of the Parade. We'll leave Brown Street at 10:30 and go to the Parade staging point.

Line up: We'll line up by generation at Brown Street, starting with C1 and go from there. If we get more than one car from any one generation we'll put them together. That way we'll have uniform look through out the generations and the Parade.

Questions: Please call Joe or Sue Kleiss at 563-344-0780 (home) leave a message we will call you back! I Need your cooperation on this please RSVP as soon as possible, I need to turn in the entry form with the number of cars participating before 5:00pm July 2, 2010, thanks for help on this.

Additional Info: For those of you who show up before 10:30 will have Coffee and Donuts for everyone to enjoy, So come early. Additional Info about the Parade is also attached with some do's and don't about the Parade and Candy.



**2010 July 4th Parade
Sunday July 4th, 2010**

This year we will be having a themed parade. “ Old Fashioned 4th of July”. We hope that all participants will design their entries to reflect this years theme.

The parade will begin at the intersection of State Street and 23rd street in Bettendorf. The parade will start at 12:00 noon Line up will be at 9:30 am at the Chamber office parking lot as in the past. 23rd street will be closed below State Street to allow for the line up. **PLEASE NOTE: DO NOT USE 23rd St. AS AN ENTRANCE TO THE LINE UP AREA!!!** Use the 21st and State Street intersection for entering into the line up area. The Greater Bettendorf Community Foundation will be assisting you in the line up area.

Cash prizes will be awarded. They will be mailed to you. The Bettendorf Chamber of Commerce Trailblazers will be judge of the parade again this year. The number of entries and the amount of contributions received will determine the amounts of prize distributions.

In case of inclement weather please listen to KUUL FM or WOC Talk 14 radio for a parade status report. In order to avoid a possible injury, we ask that you **DO NOT THROW** candy during the parade. Please feel free to **HAND OUT** candy. We also require **NO** handing out of paper products of any kind. (Flyers, pamphlets, etc.). *** SEE Candy Directive attached ***

To secure your position and acceptance of entry, please mail on or before July 2nd, 2010 by 5:00 pm.

Mail to:
2010 July 4th Parade Entry
C/O Don Wells Chairman
2511 Bellevue Ave.
Bettendorf, Iowa 52722
563-823-0191
563-210-0465

The parade route will begin at the intersection of 23rd street and State Street. We will follow State Street around McDonalds onto Grant Street. Following Grant Street to the intersection of 15th Street and Grant then turning left. After taking the Left we will travel down to State Street and turning left again. Following State Street back to the line up area off of 21st Street ending the parade.

Groups are encouraged to car pool to avoid traffic tie-ups, lost children, and parking problems in the line up area. Please follow the traffic signs posted for the day's event.

NEW LARGER PAY OUTS!!!

Prize money will be distributed as follows: 1st place \$75.00, 2nd place \$50.00 and 3rd place \$35.00.

***** NEW: ENTRY FEE \$15.00 Make Checks Payable to the Bettendorf 4th of July.**

***** A Mandatory packet pick up is scheduled for Friday July 2nd, 2010 from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm at the Bettendorf Community Center on Grant Street in Bettendorf. For questions, or directions call the above phone numbers.**

**This part of the entry form is for your information
Please do not send in with entry slip and description sheet.**

**The Greater Bettendorf Community
Foundation
P.O. Box 425
Bettendorf, Iowa 52722**

To All Parade Participants,

NOTICE!!

**Directive from the TGBCF, and the City of Bettendorf Iowa:
Candy will no longer be allowed to be thrown from any entry
participating in local parades held in Bettendorf, Iowa.
This includes the 2010 JULY 4th Parade & 2010 Halloween
parade.**

All candy must be passed out person to person. Dropping of
candy in front of persons along the parade route is permitted, as
long as the viewer is sitting / standing on the curb, or in the grassy
area along the parade route.

Violators will be given one warning. After the first warning the
entry will be removed from the parade and directed off the parade
route at a safe location. A record of entries will be kept. If an
entry is found to violate this directive in any future parade they
will be banned from participating in any future parades in
Bettendorf Iowa.

Thanks,

Don Wells Parade Chairman

The Greater Bettendorf Community Foundation

Bettendorf Old Fashioned 4th of July Committee

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