

Bishop Centennial Parade

"100 Years and Counting"

Entry Form

Please Print Clearly

ORGANIZATION: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: Home: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

TYPE OF ENTRY: (Circle One or more as appropriate)

BAND FLOAT TRUCK CAR WALKERS HORSE OTHER

CATEGORY: (Circle One)

COMMERCIAL CIVIC GROUP YOUTH SENIOR NON-COMMERCIAL

Length (in feet) of Entry: _____

DESCRIPTION OF ENTRY (This is Information that will be read to the spectators as you pass the judges.) Please print clearly.



Entry fees must accompany the entry form and are due on or before May 7, 2010.

Mail/deliver to: Kay Underbrink, 300 W. Trant Road, Kingsville TX 78363

Make checks payable to: Bishop Centennial Celebration

Parade Date: Saturday, May 15, 2010 10:30 a.m. sharp!

Line up: 8:00 – 9:30 a.m. Amistad Park, 900 Block West Third Street. Parade number assignments will be communicated to each participant prior to the event. Numbers will be staked in the staging area.

Trophies will be awarded as follows: Best Float, Best Band, Best Drill Team, Best Mounted Unit, Best Vehicle, Most Creative, Best Theme and Judge's Choice.

Parade Co-Chairman: Mayor Victor Ramos and Kay Underbrink

NOTE: SEE ATTACHED RULES AND REGULATIONS

Rules and Regulations Governing the Bishop Centennial Parade

The following rules are designed for the safety of the public, orderly control of the parade and with the specific goal of providing entertainment.

1. The parade begins promptly at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 15, 2010. Rain or Shine.
2. Parade line up will be from 8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
3. **WATER GUNS, PISTOLS, CANNONS, BALLOONS OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF WATER ITEM IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED.**
4. Automobiles and large vehicles must be driven by a licensed driver. Small vehicles (lawn tractors, mini-bikes, etc.) must be operated by a person age 12 or older.
5. Participants may include any pageant winner, political official, manufacturers, retailers, religious groups, civic and community groups, military, school, or entertainment groups and organizations. Holders of political office are welcome. **NO CAMPAIGNING** (distribution of cards, etc.) by any parade participant will be permitted.
6. *No article whatsoever (gum, candy, flyers, etc.) shall be thrown from the vehicles into the crowd along the parade route.*
7. Participants in the parade shall be allowed to advertise to the extent of signs and handbills showing their identity, groups or affiliations, items manufactured (excluding price) and other related matters to identify the participant. However, participant will in no way be allowed to deliver a message or advertisement except to the extent set out above.
8. Alcoholic beverages are forbidden before and during the parade.
9. All bands will be uniformly dressed and accompanied by an adult leader. High School bands who participate are invited to bring their Junior High bands either to march with them or as a separate unit. Please indicate number of units on the entry form. Leader's name must be submitted with acceptance form.
10. Parade participants are not permitted to leave vehicle or demonstrate in the street or to stop or slow the forward movement of the parade in any way unless directed by the chairmen of the parade. 100 foot distance to be maintained between units not to exceed 300 feet. **THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS.**
11. All horses must have their OWN "clean-up crew" behind them during the parade. Any horse or group of horses that do not have their "cleaning crew" will not be allowed in the parade and will not receive a refund of their parade entry fee. The Bishop Centennial Parade Committee and/or any branch of law enforcement shall have the right to ask any unruly, unstable or out of control animal to be removed from the parade. This action may take place at any time before or during the parade. Animal/Mounted entries will be assigned at the end of the parade.
12. Each youth group shall be accompanied by an adult supervisor who shall be responsible for his/her group following all parade rules. The adult's name and phone number must be included on the acceptance form
13. When disbanding, units shall not block flow of traffic for participants behind them.
14. Entries may not be more than 13 feet tall.
15. Anyone wishing to participate in the parade shall turn in an entry form on or before May 7, 2010 to Kay Underbrink, 300 W. Trant Road, Kingsville TX 78363. The \$10.00 entry fee must be paid at the time the application is submitted for each entry.
16. It is understood that after each qualifying participant is accepted for parade entry, they shall be under control of the parade committee of the Bishop Centennial Parade and agrees to follow his/her directions.
17. The Bishop Centennial Parade committee and/or Centennial Event Chairmen reserve the right to not allow any participant in the parade for whatever reason. Every applicant shall be receipt of these rules be put on notice that they may be excluded from the parade at any time any of the above rules are not followed and/or they do not meet the qualifying criteria for parade participation. The Parade Committee reserves the right to reject any entry, which they deem inappropriate or not representative of this community celebration. This includes any and all organized groups, which appear to be participating for the purpose of protesting for or against a cause.
18. The Review Board will evaluate applications for final decisions. Review Board decision is final.

Applicant Signature _____

Please keep a copy of this form for future reference.

Release, Waiver or Liability

And covenant not to sue

Bishop Centennial Parade / City of Bishop

Parade Participant _____

By acceptance of an invitation to participate in the Bishop Centennial Parade, I accept and assume all risks and responsibilities for any and all claims for property damages and/or personal injury to ourselves, our participants, guest, invitees, and/or employees regardless of the nature or cause of the damage, personal injuries or other claims arising from participation in the Bishop Centennial Parade, including those that are known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen.

I agree to indemnify, defend and hold the Bishop Centennial Parade and City of Bishop harmless from any claim for property and damage or personal injury in connection with our activities in the Bishop Centennial Parade. I further convent not to commence or prosecute any action, suit or other proceeding against the Bishop Centennial Parade or City of Bishop as a result of any property damage or personal injury received by participating in the Bishop Centennial Parade.

This document shall be binding upon myself, my legal representatives, heirs, successors an assigns.

The undersigned has read and voluntarily signed this Release, Waiver of Liability and Covenant Not to Sue and agrees to be bound by its terms.

I further agree that by signing this agreement, I hereby grant the Bishop Centennial Parade and it's legal representatives and assignee's the irrevocable and unrestricted rights to use and publish photographs of me, or in which I may be included, for editorial, trade, advertising and any other purpose and in any manner or medium. I hereby release the Bishop Centennial Parade and its representatives and assignees from all claims and liability relating to said photography.

BY: _____
Signature

Printed Name

Title: _____

Date: _____

Witness: _____