

ELKS FLAG DAY PARADE, JUNE 12, 2010
INSTRUCTION SHEET FOR PARADE PARTICIPANT APPLICATION

APPLICATION INFORMATION:

- All applications must be completed in their entirety; applications not adequately completed will NOT be accepted, resulting in no line-up position.
- **Please keep a copy of your application for your records**
- You will notice that for each category, we are asking that you tell us the approximate number of youth anticipated. This information is important because we will be giving each youth a 'bracelet' which entitles him/her to a **free hot dog and soda** at the Hudson Boat Club at the end of the parade. The number of bracelets distributed to your group will be based upon the information supplied to us on the application
- **Application deadline is May 15th**. Any application received after that date, if accepted, may result in position of LAST DIVISION of parade line-up and may NOT be announced at the reviewing stand
- When providing the narrative about your organization, please remember, this is what the announcer at the reviewing stand will be reading, so write this appropriately
- All accepted applications will be posted on the Flag Day Web Page; if you do not see your organization listed as of June 1st, you must contact us via the link on the site to insure placement in the parade

We will NOT be confirming receipt of applications – however, if your organization mandates confirmation of receipt (and acceptance of your application) you MUST complete that portion of the application so that we can contact the proper party.

Mail applications to:

<p>Hudson Elks Flag Day Parade PO Box 793 Hudson, NY 12534</p>

For up to date information or to contact us via email, visit our web site: www.hudsonelksflagdayparade.com

PARADE INFORMATION:

- PARADE DATE IS JUNE 12, 2010
- RAIN DATE IS JUNE 13, 2010
- STEP OFF TIME IS 2:00 PM
- LINE UP BEGINS AT 12:30 PM
- LINE UP DETAILS WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE HUDSON REGISTER STAR THE WEEK OF THE PARADE; WILL BE POSTED ON THE RADIO STATION WEB SITES OF 98.5 THE CAT, CRUISIN' 93.5 AND 1230 WHUC; AND WILL ALSO BE POSTED ON THE FLAG DAY WEB PAGE

PARADE RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- IF YOUR ORGANIZATION DOES NOT ARRIVE FOR LINE UP AT THE REQUIRED TIME, YOU MAY NOT BE ALLOWED ACCESS TO YOUR LOCATION, RESULTING IN BEING PLACED AT THE END OF THE PARADE
- THE DISTRIBUTION OF POLITICAL PROPAGANDA AND THE THROWING OF CANDY OR ITEMS BY PARADE PARTICIPANTS IS PROHIBITED
- ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SAFETY OF THEIR VEHICLES AND FLOATS, AND FOR THE SAFETY OF FLOAT CONSTRUCTION, RIDERS, POWER UNITS AND TOW LINKAGE, AS WELL AS FOR THE SAFETY OF THE SPECTATORS AND PROPERTY ALONG THE PARADE ROUTE

Be sure the person in charge of your group at the parade contacts all of their participants to let them know about the time and place of your line up. Remember to bring water and whatever else is needed to keep comfortable while you wait for the parade to begin (sunscreen, snacks, hats or umbrellas).

KEEP A COPY OF THIS INSTRUCTION SHEET TO GIVE TO YOUR PARADE LINE UP CHAIRPERSON

**ELK'S FLAG DAY PARADE PARTICIPANT APPLICATION
PARADE DATE JUNE 12, 2010**

(APPLICATION DEADLINE MAY 15, 2010)

ORGANIZATION: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____
(Street or PO Box) (City, State, Zip)

WHO IS THE CONTACT PERSON? _____
(Please state only ONE, please) (Name)

CONTACT PERSON INFO: _____
(Daytime Phone) (Evening Phone) (Email Address)

WILL YOU HAVE MARCHERS? *(yes or no)* _____ If YES, tell us approximately how many are adults? _____ And how many are youth? _____

IS YOUR GROUP A BAND OR MARCHING BAND? *(yes or no)* _____
How many adults? _____ How many youth? _____

WILL YOU HAVE A FLOAT? *(yes or no)* _____ If YES, indicate size of float _____
and what type (and size) of vehicle will be pulling it: _____

How many adults on the float? _____ How many youth on the float? _____

WILL YOUR FLOAT HAVE MUSIC PLAYING ON IT? *(either live or recorded) (yes or no)* _____

WILL YOU HAVE ANOTHER TYPE OF VEHICLE/S *(car, truck, fire truck) (yes or no)* _____
Please state type and number of vehicles _____

How many adults will be riding? _____ How many youth? _____

WILL YOUR VEHICLE(S) HAVE MUSIC? *(i.e. radio or CD playing)(yes or no)* _____

ARE YOU A COLOR GUARD UNIT? *(yes or no)* _____ If any are youth, how many? _____

ARE YOU A DRUM LINE OR DRUM CORPS? *(yes or no)* _____ If any are youth, how many? _____

ARE YOU AN AUXILIARY UNIT? *(yes or no)* _____ If any are youth, how many? _____

BASED ON THE ABOVE INFORMATION, HOW MANY TOTAL ADULT PARTICIPANTS DO YOU EXPECT TO HAVE? _____

BASED ON THE ABOVE INFORMATION, HOW MANY TOTAL YOUTH PARTICIPANTS DO YOU EXPECT TO HAVE? _____

DO YOU HAVE A SPECIAL REQUEST? *(yes or no)* _____

(Respond here if you want to march with another organization or have a request for a certain division, etc.)

The line up committee will do it's best to accommodate all requests, but cannot guarantee it will be possible.

******* DOES YOUR ORGANIZATION MANDATE THAT YOU RECEIVE A
CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT OF THIS APPLICATION?**

(If this is not completed, we will NOT be confirming application receipt)

If confirmation is needed, print email address OR phone number we should respond to: _____

