



32nd Annual Fall Pumpkin Fest Parade Information

The 32nd Annual Fall Pumpkin Fest will be held at Conneaut Lake Park from Friday, October 13 - Sunday, October 15, 2023. **The FALL PUMPKIN FEST PARADE will be held in downtown Conneaut Lake on Saturday, October 14th @ 10 a.m.**

The Fall Pumpkin Fest is sponsored by the Conneaut Lake Area Business Association.

You, your organization, group or business is cordially invited to participate in the Fall Pumpkin Fest Parade.

Deadline for entries is October 6, 2023

Parade line-up starts at 8:15 a.m.

Guidelines and information

1. Judging of the floats will be done prior to the beginning of the parade. Floats to be judged must arrive by 8 a.m. Judging will be done at 8:30 a.m. Floats must be on time for judging.
2. In light of the rising national concern regarding childhood obesity and juvenile diabetes, we are asking that you rethink handing out candy at the parade. Examples of alternative items include beads, raisins, craisins, granola or granola bars and nuts of any kind. In any case, **NO ITEMS MAY BE THROWN** by parade participants. Someone affiliated with the organization may walk along the parade route and **HAND** out the item.
3. **LINE UP starts at 8:15 a.m.** We will be utilizing Conneaut Lake Elementary School parking lots, Line Street, Fireman's Beach, 5th Street, 6th Street and some side streets.
4. The parade route is east on Water Street, turn left onto 2nd Street (Aldina Drive), and continue to Fireman's Beach to disband.
5. Use of sirens, air horns and other noise making devices should be kept to a minimum as a courtesy to other units and parade viewers.
6. Announcer and reviewing stand will be located on Water Street on the south side of Rite Aid.
7. **Bands and marching units will perform as they pass the reviewing stand.** Your performances will begin as you enter the intersection of Sheetz/Dillinger's.
8. Units with animals are **REQUIRED** to have their own sanitation department (shovel & bucket) or tail bags for the courtesy of the other units and the Conneaut Lake Borough.
9. Please keep this information sheet.

Your participation and support of the Fall Pumpkin Fest Parade is greatly appreciated.

For questions, concerns or more information, please contact Pat McGee, 814-671-6885 or 814-763-2102. Leave a message.

Mail completed applications to Pat McGee, Parade Chairperson, P.O. Box 12, Saegertown, PA 16433



**32nd Annual Fall Pumpkin Fest
PARADE APPLICATION**

Saturday, October 14, 2023 Downtown Conneaut Lake at 10 a.m.

DEADLINE: RETURN PARADE APPLICATIONS BY October 6, 2023. PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

NAME OF GROUP, BUSINESS, INDIVIDUAL _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____ TELEPHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL: _____

SPACE REQUIRED FOR LINE-UP: Please check the type of unit you will have in the parade (Check all that apply to your unit):

- _____ Sports Car; _____ Car; _____ Regular Pick-up Truck;
 _____ Extended Cab and/or extended Bed Pick-up; _____ Float/length; _____ Tractor;
 _____ Trailer/length (_____); _____ Lg. Truck/length (_____);
 _____ Horse(s); _____ Wagon/length (_____); _____ Foot Group and number (_____)
 _____ Other/explain

PLEASE MEASURE length of vehicle(s) and add length of floats, trailers, flatbeds, etc. attached to provide overall length: _____

NUMBER OF PEOPLE MARCHING with Unit (if applicable): _____

DESCRIPTION OF UNIT including unique aspects of interest to the public:

*Use back of parade application for additional information

The unit description information will be used for parade publicity and parade announcements.
 Mail Completed Parade application to: Pat McGee, P.O. Box 12, Saegertown, PA 16433