



Eldon Turkey Festival Parade Application



Parade Date: September 29, 2018 –10 a.m.
Entry Deadline to be judged and for preferred placement: September 24, 2018

Parade Theme “Hometown U.S.A.”

Group or Unit Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

Please check all that apply to you or your organization:

Description of Unit

- Band, Drum & Bugle Corps, Majorette Corps*
- Color Guard
- Float (Church or Community Organization Entry)*
- Float (Business/Commercial Entry) *
- Bikes, ATV’s, etc*
- Equestrian Unit(s)*
- Municipal Entry

- Antique Tractor*
- Modified Tractor*
- Antique/Classic Vehicle, pre 1950 *
- Antique/Classic Vehicle, post 1950*
- Modified Classic Vehicle*
- Beauty Queen or Notable Person

***** PARADE PARTICIPANTS: PLEASE BRING NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS TO REGISTRATION FOR A DONATION TO THE ELDON FOOD PANTRY *****

*These are the only categories that will be judged and ONLY if this entry form is received by Sept. 24, 2018, and you have checked in and are in your assigned parade position no later than 9:45 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 29, 2018. First, Second and Third place ribbons will be given if enough entries are received in each category. General judging criteria includes: presentation of parade’s theme, originality and visual appeal. Criteria for judging antique tractors, antique and classic autos: originality ▪ condition ▪ modified

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS INCLUDING THOSE ABOVE!

Parade participants need to check in at the **Eldon Career Center** between **8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.** Saturday morning. Parade positions will be assigned at check-in. Judging begins **promptly** at 9:30 a.m. Parking is available between the EHS Gymnasium and the Fine Arts Building and in the parking lot to the east of the gymnasium. All other parking lots are used by parade participants.

Equine will be in the open field on the **corner of Second and Locust Streets**. Ribbons will be given in two equestrian categories: Wagon & Team and Horse & Rider. *All equine waste should be personally picked up and disposed of.

All fire trucks and large trailers or vehicles should line up on Third, go North on Spruce where they will be directed to the parade route.

Bands will be in the parking lot to the North of the Career Center and across the street on the lawn in front of Building C.

We look forward to your participation in the parade and seeing you at the 2018 Eldon Turkey Festival!