

Tipp City Mum Festival

PARADE GUIDELINES

1. Candy, pamphlets or literature may be **HANDED** out to people by participants that are walking along the parade route. **NO throwing of anything permitted.**
2. **NO POLITICAL SOLICITING of any kind.**
3. **The decision of the chairpersons is final as to any and all questions or concerns in regards to participation in the parade.**
4. In accordance with the Ohio Fire Code, FM-306.5, any motorized float, or the motorized vehicle pulling the float, must be equipped with a fire extinguisher. The extinguisher must be accessible to the driver at all times. The size needed is a Type ABC, Rated 2-A: 10-B: C.
5. The Mum Festival Float Chairpersons will assign floats to a division. Some floats may not be assigned until the morning of the parade.
6. Grand Marshal Trophy to be awarded to the float with the highest total points.
7. Queen's Trophy to be awarded to the float with the 2nd highest total points.
8. Mayor's Trophy to be awarded to the float with the 3rd highest total points.
9. Awards will also be given in the following divisions:

I. Service Organizations

II. Industrial & Retail Merchants

III. School, Churches and Youth Groups

All floats that would like to be judged need to be in their staging area on the morning of the parade. Judging will begin promptly at 8:30 a.m. Everyone needed to make your float operate and/or give a 'finished' look should be present for judging.

The following will be the criteria for points:

Adherence to theme	25 points max.
Creativity/Originality	25 points max.
Mum use	25 points max.
Overall effect	25 points max.
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100 points Total	

All participants/entrants agree to be bound by the following photographic release:

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