



Michigan City Summer Festival

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54th Anniversary



Welcome to the Michigan City Summer Festival Parade
You are cordially invited to participate in the 54th Annual
Summer Festival Parade,
Sunday, July 5, 2009 at 1:00pm sharp!



PARADE THEME:
“THUNDER ON THE LAKE”



This year's theme will highlight the simulcast fireworks display and the first time Michigan City Super Boat Grand Prix.

Use your imaginations to upgrade the quality of “The Big Parade”. Decorate your unit accordingly and properly and you could win one of these trophies. If you need help or suggestions, call the parade Chairman or any Summer Festival Board Member, we'll be glad to help.

Unit line-up and numbers will be listed in the News Dispatch a few days prior to the parade. A checkpoint will be at the main Post Office (corner of Highway 12 and Washington Street) for number verification IF NEEDED. Line up numbers can be found in blocks along the curb. You should remove the number card from the block and place it on the right side of your unit.

All pre-judged units, floats, antique vehicles, classic cars, auto clubs and fire trucks must be in line by 12:00 noon. Trophies will be awarded for pre-judged units before the parade starts. All others will be awarded after the parade at the Main Street Theater, 807 Franklin Street. Trophies not picked up will be available at the Mayor's office Tuesday, July 7, 2009.

Please return your application as soon as possible. We have enclosed a form to be filled out for the media to follow along. This is the exact form they will receive, so it is to your groups' advantage to be as informative as possible AND PLEASE WRITE LEGIBLY. Be sure to include any area codes and phone numbers, in the event that the review committee needs to contact you.

**Remember . . . all rules on your application will be strictly enforced!
NO THROWING ANYTHING – EVER !!! THIS INCLUDES WATER SPRAYING.**

A limited number of floats are available for rent. To inquire about this, or if you have any other questions, please contact Parade Chairman Joe Doyle at (219) 874-8213.

Sincerely,
Joe Doyle
Parade Chairman

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