

# Aptos 4<sup>th</sup> of July World's Shortest Parade

## July 4, 2012

PARADE APPLICATION

### Welcome to the World's Shortest Parade!

**Directions:** Complete all areas of the application. If you have any questions regarding entry categories please feel free to call the Parade Committee at (831) 688-1467, or email info@aptoschamber.com. Thank you for applying. Applicants can pick up parade packets at the Chamber office Monday through Friday, 9am to 4pm. (packets will not be mailed.)

Name of Participant or Group \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Eve. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

#### ENTRY FEES (check one)

Antique/Classic Car or Truck (1969 or older) \$15.00 €

Decorated Car or Truck (1970 & newer) \$20.00 €

Undecorated Car or Business Advertised \$25.00 €

Float (13' bridge clearance) \$15.00 €

Walkers/Bicyclists (\$40.00 Max Fee) \$2.00# €

Band Free €

**Total Amount Submitted:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_ Credit Card

Credit Card# \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks or money order payable to:

**Aptos Chamber of Commerce**  
7605-A Old Dominion Court  
Aptos, CA 95003

I am/we are aware of the risks and exposures to personal injury and property damage involved through the World's Shortest Parade activities, and I/we hereby release the Aptos Chamber of Commerce, Capitola-Aptos Rotary, County of Santa Cruz, Department of Public Works, all individuals, community groups and or businesses assisting in the presentation of the World's Shortest Parade from any and all liability for all injuries and damages, including, but not limited to property damage, bodily injury, or deaths which any of us may suffer in the proximate area of the parade route before, during and after the parade. I/we have read and understand the Parade Rules and agree to follow them.

**\*\*The Aptos 4th of July Parade is for the enjoyment of all area families. Protests, Political demonstrations, or any offensive presentations will not be allowed to participate in the parade. The parade committee reserves the right to disqualify any entrant not abiding by general rules of conduct for a family event.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- An Entry Fee is Required for Each Category of Competition (excluding bands). Check the box of the category in which you are competing. (Call if you don't see your category here, 831-688-1467, or email info@aptoschamber.com)

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Driver Information

Name of Insured: \_\_\_\_\_

As a driver I certify that I hold a valid Driver's License and I carry automobile liability insurance.

Insurance Carrier: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Drivers Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the above is true and correct. I will hold valid insurance on or before July 4, 2012 without cancellation.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE CHECK ENTRY CATEGORIES BELOW**

_____ <b>Adult Group</b>	_____ <b>Antique Car</b>	_____ <b>Year/Make</b>
_____ <b>Band</b>	_____ <b>Car</b>	
_____ <b>Children's Group</b>	_____ <b>Floats</b>	
_____ <b>Individual</b>	_____ <b>Pets</b>	
_____ <b>Trucks</b>	_____ <b>School</b>	
_____ <b>Other (specify below)</b>		

1) **Please describe your entry below.**

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Participation Information

***WE REQUEST THAT YOU COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING RULES FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL.***  
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**NO HORSES OR MOTORCYCLES ALLOWED IN PARADE**

**NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN PARADE OR IN THE FORMATION AREA**  
(Self-explanatory)

**DO NOT RETURN ALONG PARADE ROUTE UNTIL PARADE IS OVER**

There are designated areas for floats and cars at the end of the parade route. Once your vehicles are parked, you are welcome to watch the parade or go down into the Aptos Village Park for the parade winner's announcement and the afternoon activities. Please disperse from the end of the parade route promptly to help keep congestion to a minimum. **No fireworks of any kind. No motorcycles of any kind.**

**DO NOT THROW OUT ANYTHING ALONG PARADE ROUTE**

This includes candy, fliers, balloons, etc., and is for the safety of all children who may run out into the street. Any Entrant breaking this rule will not be eligible for ribbons nor invited back.

**DO NOT SPRAY OR THROW WATER ALONG PARADE ROUTE**

The spraying or throwing of water may damage antique cars and will frighten pets in parade.