# 2016 KIDS DAY PARADE

# Circus Spectacular!

Be inspired by circus animals and performers for your creative spin to Circus Spectacular!

# SATURDAY, September 3, 2016 at 10:00 A.M.

Complete this form and return (with fee if applicable) to one of the following locations: Taffy's, 114 W. Abriendo; Banquet Bakery, 115 E. Abriendo; Broadway Cup 'n Cork, 100 Broadway; Rawlings Library, 100 E. Abriendo Ave.

(Please type or print)			
Name of Entry (or Organization):			
Entry Type:	Competitive (\$30)	ONon-Competitive	Number of Participants:
*IF YOU HAVE 10 OR MORE PARTICIPANTS YOU MUST PAY ENTRY FEE, SEE MORE INFO BELOW.			
Complete Description of Entry:			
Contact	Person:		
Phone N			
A	Address:		
* ENTRY FEE INFORMATION: Entries to the parade do not have an entry fee if the entry has less than 10 participants and is not a commercial entry. If the entry does not meet these requirements, the entry fee for the Kids Day parade is \$30.00.  * ENTRY DEADLINES/LATE FEES: The deadline for all entries is Friday, Aug. 26 at 5 p.m. Entries may be accepted as a "late entry" from Aug.27 through September 2. All late entries will be charged an additional \$30.00 late fee.			
* <b>Payment:</b> Payment for entry fees and late fees must accompany this form. Please make checks or money orders payable to the Mesa Junction Association.			
IMPORTANT: RULES AND REGULATIONS ARE ON THE SECOND PAGE OF THIS FORM.  PLEASE READ THEM, THEY WILL BE ENFORCED.  I fully understand the official rules and regulations governing the 2016 Mesa Junction Kids Parade, a copy of which I have received and read, and I hereby agree to comply with the same. I also hereby release the Mesa Junction Association, Parade Committee and the Colorado State Fair from any and all liability while en route to or from and participating in the 2016 Mesa Junction Kids Parade sponsored by the Mesa Junction businesses.			
Signature (of contact person)			Date:

Thank you and enjoy the parade!

## PLEASE KEEP THIS PAGE FOR YOUR REFERENCE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS

## OFFICIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE KIDS DAY PARADE

Saturday, September 3, 2016 at 10:00 a.m.

- 1. All applications will be reviewed by the Parade Committee. Committee reserves the right to accept or deny any entry.
- 2. The deadline for all entries is Friday, Aug. 26 at 5 p.m. Entries may be accepted as a "late entry" from Aug.27 through September 2.
- 3. A full description of entry MUST be provided. No changes can be made without notification.
- 4. No one born before Aug. 31, 2003 (twelve and under) will be allowed to participate in the parade in a competitive entry.
- 5. NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES WILL BE ALLOWED IN COMPETITIVE ENTRIES.
- 6. NO 2, 3 OR 4 WHEEL "ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES" OR ELECTRIC CARS WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE PARADE; THIS APPLIES TO <u>ALL</u> ENTRIES.
- 7. Pedal Bikes are welcomed!

#### **SAFETY**

- 1. Participants shall exercise all precautions for the safety of others and shall be responsible for their own entry.
- 2. In order to properly line up the entries, you must list on the entry form any live animals or sound effects that will be used.
- 3. Nothing may be thrown or handed out to spectators along parade route. (i.e., candy)
- 4. Directions issued by parade officials and law enforcement officials must be obeyed.

### **GENERAL**

- 1. No persons shall ride in autos, trucks, vans, or similar vehicles in the competitive section of the parade. Noncompetitive entries require the approval of the Parade Committee. Those approved shall supply with the entry form a copy of current insurance policy showing full coverage.
- 2. No-show entries cause serious problems in the line-up. Please let the Parade Committee know at least 3 days prior to the parade if you wish to cancel your entry.
- 3. All entries are responsible for their own decorations, etc.
- 4. ALL ENTRIES REPORT TO CHECK-IN TABLE ON THE CENTER ISLAND OF ABRIENDO AND QUINCY STREETS. CHECK-IN BEGINS AT 8:00 A.M. ENTRIES SHOULD CHECK IN NO LATER THAN 9:00 A.M. THOSE CHECKING IN AFTER 9:00 A.M. WILL BE PUT AT THE END OF THE PARADE. THE PARADE STARTS PROMPTLY AT 10:00 A.M.
- 5. Late arrivals will not be judged.

#### **JUDGING**

- 1. All competitive entries must be in their assigned position no later than 9:00 a.m.
- 2. Trophies will be awarded at the start of the parade. Winners should display their trophies along the parade route.
- 3. Decision of the Judges is final.

4.



## 2016 Kids Day Parade Awards Creative Characters

Put your creativity to work and compete for one of these trophies!

Best Small Group (6 kids or less)
Best Medium Group (6-15 kids)
Best Large Group (15+ kids)
Best Costumes
Best Overall Workmanship
Best Choreography
Best Use of Music
Best Use of Color or Props
Most Creative Animal Costumes
Most Creative Circus Performers
Best Comedy/ Humor Entry
Best Dramatic Entry
Most Spirited Group
Most Original Overall
Best Overall Entry of the Parade

