



72nd ANNUAL
BUC DAYS ILLUMINATED NIGHT PARADE
SATURDAY, MAY 1, 2010 – 8 PM

FLOAT APPLICATION

Please review the Parade Regulations then complete and return this application and the waiver form in order to be considered for participation in the 2010 Buc Days Illuminated Night Parade. Applications **MUST** be completed in full to be considered and **MUST** be submitted **no later than April 2, 2010** either on-line at www.bucdays.com or by mail to Parade Coordinator, PO Box 30404, Corpus Christi, TX 78463. A written confirmation will be sent if the application is accepted.

DEFINITION: A float is a highly decorated and illuminated exhibit or scene mounted on a mobile platform or trailer and pulled or driven in the parade. **All parade units are charged a \$25 application fee. All commercial units are charged a \$750 entry fee. All fees must be submitted with application.** A unit is deemed commercial if the entry is sponsored by, represents or promotes a commercial venture or other for-profit entity.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

IF FLOAT IS SPONSORED BY A VISITING CITY, THE OFFICIAL POPULATION OF CITY:

City population 7,000+ City 7,000-14,000 City 14,0001-40,000 City Over 40,000

NON-CITY SPONSORED FLOAT CATEGORIES (Select One):

- Non-Profit Civic Educational/School/Youth Commercial/Business
 Patriotic Religious Open Class Media

(Title of Float)

(Sponsoring Organization/Business)

(Primary Contact Name)

_____ City/St/Zip

_____ (Home Phone) _____ (Cell Phone) _____ (Fax)

(E-mail Address)

(Additional Contact Name)

_____ (Home Phone) _____ (Cell Phone) _____ (Fax)

(Additional Contact's E-mail Address)

FLOAT INFO:

Detailed description of float: (Photo or drawing must accompany application – see below)

riders on float: _____ # of marchers/escorts/chaperones/others: _____

Total number of participants: _____

Music / PA System: Yes___ No___ Live () Recorded ()

Length of Float ____ ft PLUS length of tow vehicle ____ ft = ____ ft (needed in parade lineup area)

The following information is required for stadium and media announcers. The Bucaraders and the Buccaneer Commission have no control over any parade broadcast and cannot be held responsible if a parade entry does not appear, is not heard, is not mentioned or is not described as part of any broadcast.

❖ Describe your unit in detail

❖ Theme of float

❖ History of organization/business

❖ Royalty or participants on float

❖ Costuming/Props represent....

❖ Awards or other parades participated in

All parade units should be “highly illuminated” and are encouraged to comply with the pirate parade theme – “Buc Days, Arrr You Ready?” All entries will be inspected by parade officials on the day of the parade to ensure compliance with the information submitted on the application and with parade regulations and safety requirements.

INCOMPLETE APPLICATION PACKETS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED BY THE PARADE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE. Complete packet consists of signed Rules & Regulations Form, Application Form, Waiver and Release Form, picture or sketch of unit and any applicable fee. For parade questions e-mail Vicky@bucdays.com, phone 361-548-5563 or Fax 361-906-1884.