

14th Annual Multicultural Festival
2010 Parade of Nations Application

Please Print Legible

Group or Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____

Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Type of Parade Entry

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One Float | <input type="checkbox"/> On Foot (Walkers) | <input type="checkbox"/> Dance Ensemble |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Marching Band | <input type="checkbox"/> Cheerleaders | <input type="checkbox"/> Steppers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Color Guards | <input type="checkbox"/> Drill Team | <input type="checkbox"/> JROTC |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Group | <input type="checkbox"/> Stilt Performer | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

Explain Other: _____

Please give a description of your entry: _____

Please indicate number of participants in your entry. _____

Does your entry have music? Yes No

If yes, what sound devices will be used? _____

Please list the manner in which your entry will be described by the announcer. _____

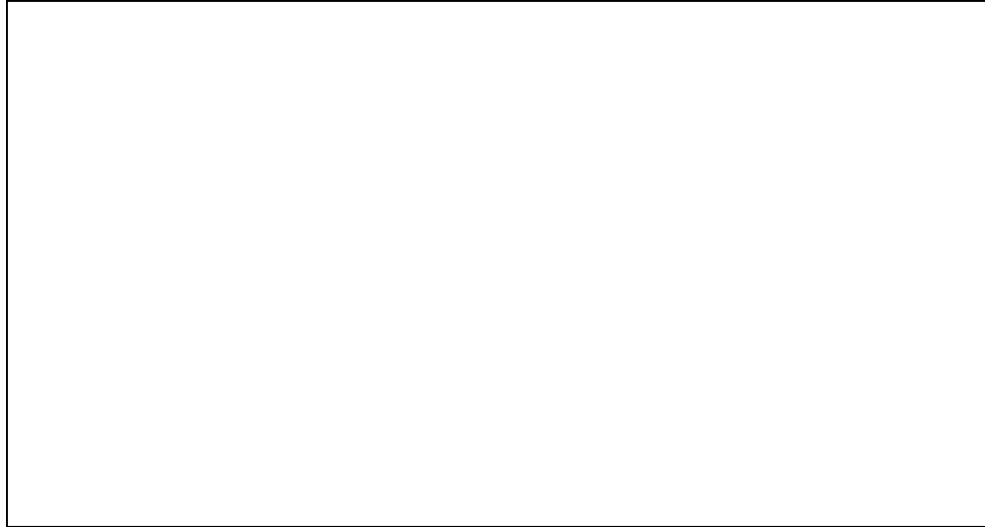
Have you participated in the "Parade of Nations" before? Yes No

There is no fee to participate in the Multicultural Festival "Parade of Nations" Applications and Waivers must be turned in by Friday, April 24, 2010 to: Tammy Curry, Event Coordinator or Tracey Cox, Multicultural Festival Parade Chairperson, 28 West Center St, Lexington, NC 27292. For further information call 336-248-3960 or email tammyc@lexingtonnc.net.



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Please draw and give description of float with details.



Name of float: _____

Description: _____

The City of Lexington Recreation and Parks Department or any of its sponsoring agents or any entity connected with the 2010 Multicultural Festival by execution of this contract, is released and discharged from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments, and/or claims from any causes whatsoever that may be suffered by any volunteer, vendor or participant to his or her person or property. The undersigned hereby also releases the City of Lexington and anyone else connected with the Multicultural Festival or other imaging media for advertising, promotions or other lawful purposes.

The City of Lexington Recreation and Parks Department and Festival Committees reserves the right to refuse any application.

This agreement between _____ and the City of Lexington Recreation Department is hereby understood by both parties being in full agreement with the contents of this contract.

This agreement is properly signed on the _____ day of _____ 20_____.

Authorized Signature Date: ____/____/____

For Office Use only: Date returned: ____/____/____ Accepted: ____ Denied ____



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2010 Parade of Nations Guidelines

Please read the following guidelines carefully.

1. The "Parade of Nations" will take place on Saturday, May 1, 2010 at Finch Park in Lexington. Finch Park is located at 15 Paul Beck Rd, Lexington, NC 27292. The time of the parade is 11am. Committee organizers have the right to make changes to scheduled time of parade.
2. All entrants will meet at Shelter #1 for check-in. A map will be included in your event packet.
3. No entrant will be allowed to participate without submitting liability waivers signed by an adult 18 years old or older, parent or legal guardian.
4. There is no fee to participate in the parade.
5. All groups and organizations are to be respectful to parade and festival organizers.
6. Applications are due **Friday, April 24, 2010 by 5:00 pm** at the Robbins Recreation Center.
7. The distribution of candy, pamphlet and other materials before, during and after the parade is prohibited.
8. All floats must incorporate a cultural theme. The annual Multicultural Festival is a one-day event that celebrates ethnic diversity in the Piedmont-Triad community.
9. Marching bands may wear colorful tee-shirts.
10. Parade Chairperson, Committee Members and the Festival Planning Committee have the right reject any entry.
11. Inappropriate language on sound tracks or performances is prohibited. Any entrant using unacceptable conduct and language will be removed from the parade and asked to leave the premises immediately.
12. Floats and banners should be tasteful and appear professional.
13. All organizations and groups are responsible for removing and disposing of their floats properly.
14. **Absolutely No fowl language permitted.**
15. **ONLY official event sponsors are allowed to display company names.**
16. It is prohibited for any and all living things to be located on moving vehicles.
17. Children under the age of 18 must be accompanied with adult supervision.
18. Chaperones must walk along side children under the age of 18.
19. Political materials, slogans and organizations are prohibited.
20. High School bands, color guards etc. may wear tee shirts depicting their school affiliation.
21. Banners must be clearly defined and professional.
22. It is unsafe to throw candy and any other items to the crowd. Entrants may hand candy to individuals in the crowd.
23. Incomplete applications will be discarded.
24. All applicants will be notified of participation and will receive an event packet.
25. All float applicants must submit a drawing with details and safety precautions.
26. Event organizers have the right to revise and add guidelines without notice.



Come out and enjoy the festival!

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2010 Parade of Nations Release and Waiver

That _____ for and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in the City of Lexington's Multicultural Festival Parade of Nations on _____ does hereby remise, release and forever discharge The City of Lexington, its sponsoring agents or any entity connected with the Multicultural Festival from any and all, and all manner of, actions and causes of action, rights, suits, covenants, contracts, agreements, judgments, claims and demands whatsoever in law or equity, including claims for contribution, arising from and by reason of any and all KNOWN AND UNKOWN, FORE-SEEN AND UNFORSEEN damage to property or person, and the consequences thereof, which heretofore have been, and which hereafter may be sustained by the undersigned or by any and all persons, associations and corporations, whether herein named or referred to or not, and especially from all liability arising out of the participation in the Multicultural Festival Parade of Nations sponsored by the City of Lexington.

That the Undersigned will indemnify and hold harmless the said parties released hereby, against loss, including counsel fees, from any and every claim or demand of every kind and character, including claims for contribution, which may be asserted the Undersigned by reason of said occurrence, injuries and/or damages or the effects of consequences thereof.

It is further understood and agreed: That the parties hereby released admit to no liability to the undersigned nor to anyone whomsoever: that such released parties have not consented, in writing or other form, to this release nor to the settlement to which it is applicable and shall not be thereby precluded nor barred from asserting any claim or being expressly reserved to such released parties and to any of them.

BY: _____

Date: _____

NORTH CAROLINA

DAVIDSON COUNTY

I certify that the following person personally appeared before me this day, and (I have personal knowledge of the identity of the principal) (I have seen satisfactory evidence of the principal's identity, by a current state or federal identification with the principal's identity, by a current state or federal identification with the principal's photograph in the form of a _____) (a credible witness has sworn to the identity of the principal's) each acknowledging to me that he or she voluntarily signed the foregoing document for the purpose sated therein and n the capacity indicated:

Date: _____

