

2010 Wamego Independence Day Parade Guidelines & Information

On Sunday, July 4, 2010, at 6 pm, Wamego will host its 139th Annual Independence Day Parade. You are invited to be a part of the celebration! If you would like to enter the parade then please complete the entry form and mail, email or fax to the Wamego Chamber of Commerce / Mainstreet office no later than Friday, June 25. In late June, we will send parade-line-up instructions to you.

ENTRY IS FREE for all entrants.

GUIDELINES

Please remember that each parade entry must have easily to see and read signs, banners or uniforms identifying your group or sponsor. All elected officials and political candidates must provide their own car. The highest point on your float should be no higher than 13 feet above the ground.

FLOAT CONTEST

“Freedom – The American Treasure ”

There is no obligation, but everyone is encouraged to enter the float contest. The contest theme this year is “Freedom – The American Treasure.” Feel free to use our theme or come up with one of your own. Prominently display your group or business name. No special contest registration, entry form or entry fee is necessary to enter the contest. Just send in a completed parade entry form. When you arrive with your float for the parade line-up, tell us whether or not you are entering the contest, and we’ll take care of the rest.

Prizes and banners will be awarded in three categories:

- (1) Best portrayal or display related to the theme: *Freedom-The American Treasure*,
- (2) Spirit of the Season (Greatest display of Patriotism),
- (3) Most unique idea or clever use of materials.

Questions? Call the Chamber office at (785) 456-7849

Fill out the entry form and mail, email or fax it to the Wamego Chamber office no later than Friday, June 25th. No numbers will be assigned to entrants for the 2010 Parade.

>>>Parade Entry Form Below<<<



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ENTRY FORM

Name of entrant or organization: _____

Check type of entry:

- _____ *"Freedom - The American Treasure"* Float Contest entry
- _____ Elected official (must provide own car)
- _____ Political candidate (must provide own car)
- _____ Non-contest float
- _____ Color guard
- _____ Emergency vehicle
- _____ Horses or horse-drawn (number of horses _____)
- _____ Antique, classic, custom car
- _____ Antique tractor
- _____ Shrine group
- _____ Tractor-trailer, tank, big tractor or other really big, loud, heavy thing
- _____ Walking group (number in group _____)
- _____ Marching band (number in group _____)
- _____ Motorcycle(s) (number in group _____)
- _____ Bicycle(s) (number in group _____)
- _____ Go-cart(s) (number in group _____)
- _____ Business/commercial vehicle
- _____ Other (describe _____)

***Parade line-up will begin at 4:00pm at the Wamego High School parking lot.
Please enter the parking lot from Poplar St.***

Contact person: _____

Address: _____
(street) (city) (zip code)

Phone number: _____

Email: _____

Mail, e-mail, fax or hand-deliver this form to

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