



Lakeville's Grand Parade - Saturday, July 14, 2018

Dear Parade Participant

We would like you to consider participating in Lakeville's 52nd Annual Grand Parade. The parade is comprised of approximately 120 units along a 1.2-mile route. It proceeds at a fast pace lasting about 2 hours with a full street of an estimated 20,000 spectators lining the entire parade route. This year's parade will be on **Saturday, July 14th, 2018 beginning @ 5:30 PM.** As you may already know, our high quality parade is regarded as one of the "very best" in Minnesota.

The Pan-O-Prog committee prides itself on accommodating the needs of our participants. We provide the following services to our visiting parade units:

- Portable toilet facilities in the line-up area.
- Water to parade participants in the line-up and at the end of the parade.
- Easy access out of town at the end of the parade route.

If you are interested in participating, please fill out the enclosed enrollment and Standard Hold Harmless agreement forms and return them to the address indicated on the form.

Please respond as soon as possible, **but not later than June 1st.** We are limiting the number of parade entries to 120 units. This will allow for a two hour, better managed, higher quality parade. Unfortunately though, it also means we will not be able to accommodate everyone wishing to participate. After accepting our community leaders, performing units, corporate sponsors and the business/political paying units, we will then allocate the remaining spots to get the parade to 120 units in length.

If you have any questions, you may inquire by e-mail to panoprogram.org or by calling one of the parade chairs listed below.

We look forward to seeing you in or at the grand finale of Lakeville's Summer Festival.....**The Pan-O-Prog Grand Parade !!!**

Sincerely,

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