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**The Rotary Club
of Tsawwassen**

Dear Parade Participant

The Tsawwassen Rotary Club is once again sponsoring the annual Sun Festival Parade on August 3, 2009. Our parade typically attracts over 5000 excited spectators from across the Lower Mainland and Washington State and this year promises to be no exception. The 2009 Sun Festival theme is "I Love BC".

Enclosed is an entry form, parade instructions, parade requirements and a map showing the parade route from the staging area. The parade entry deadline is July 17, 2009.

Please retain the parade instruction and requirements and read them thoroughly. Please provide copies to everyone involved with your entry.

If you have any questions about the parade you can contact me at 604.572.3905, by email, dmkalinovich@telus.net or fax your entry form to 604.484.9112.

Thank you and we look forward to your participation in the 2009 Tsawwassen Sun Festival Parade.

Sincerely

David Kalinovich
Tsawwassen Rotary Sun Festival Parade Chairperson

Tsawwassen Sun Festival Society Parade Entry Form

Additional entry forms are available from the Tsawwassen Business Improvement Association's web site:
www.shoptsawwassen.com/sun-festival.php

Name of Entry: _____

Please ensure all participants in your entry are given this title for check-in on parade day.

Contact person: _____ Phone: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Please check ONLY ONE of the following categories:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Service Club | <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial | <input type="checkbox"/> Politician |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Band Marching Unit | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Band Marching Unit | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Organization |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Mascot | <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle Club |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vintage Vehicle | | |

Please provide a brief description of your entry to assist the television commentators, such as theme or message being conveyed, people involved, previous prizes, parades entered, history of entry etc.

Number of participants in your entry: _____ Number of Vehicles in your entry: _____

Approximate length (in feet) of your entry: _____

Does your entry have live music or a sound system? Yes or No

(If YES) please elaborate: _____

Is your entry stand-alone or is it part of a larger contingent? Stand-alone Larger contingent

If a large contingent, please describe: _____

Indemnity Agreement: The undersigned agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend any action against the Tsawwassen Sun Festival Society and/or its sponsors and the Municipality of Delta, from and against all liabilities whatsoever arising out of their participation in the Tsawwassen Sun Festival Society's parade at Delta, B.C., Monday, August 4, 2008.

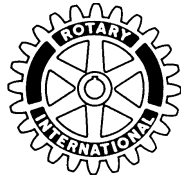
Signed: _____ Organization: _____

Title: _____ Date: _____



WELCOME TO THE ANNUAL TSAWWASSEN SUN FESTIVAL PARADE

PARADE DAY: Monday, August 3, 2009



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1. First and most important "**HAVE FUN**". The parade is a major highlight of the Tsawwassen Sun Festival's annual community event. Remind everyone on your team to smile and wave to all the spectators. If you're having fun so are the parade spectators.
2. All entries must be approved by the Tsawwassen Sun Festival Society at its sole discretion. Any applicants advocating, opposing or depicting any political, social or religious issues are subject to approval by the parade committee. The parade committee's decision regarding all entrants is final.
3. Washrooms are available at the Shell Service Station (16th and 56th)
4. Judging commences at 9:30 am. The parade will start at 11:00am and you must be in your designated location well before then
5. When the parade starts, maintain a distance of approximately 30 feet away from the entry in front of you. A slow pace is best to allow everyone to enjoy your entry. This is important and will be strictly enforced. "**NO STOPPING IS PERMITTED**"
6. Parade marshals will be stationed along the parade route. Please give them your cooperation and heed their instructions. They have been given the authority to regulate spacing and take care of any problems that may arise. Our parade marshals are volunteers and abuse of these officials will not be tolerated and entries may be removed from the parade should this occur.
7. The parade marshal reserves the right to place and to alter the placement of entries for the benefit of the overall performance of the parade.
8. Throwing of candies or other materials from any entries is **STRICTLY PROHIBITED** for the safety of the parade spectators. Distribution of gifts, merchandise or sundry items is permitted by walking parade participants only who hand such items directly to spectators.
9. The parade ends at 9th Avenue where you will be directed to either: Turn right into the Winskill Park area or continue down 56th and turn right at **8A Avenue** or **6th Avenue**.

Tsawwassen Sun Festival Society Parade Requirements

1. Drivers must remain with the floats at all times.
2. The Tsawwassen Sun Festival Society accepts no responsibility for accidents, injury or damage of any description arising from construction or operation of any float(s) or other interests in the operation of this parade.
3. All entries, except marching units, must carry a minimum of \$2 million dollars insurance. This will be kept with entries during parade.
4. The Tsawwassen Sun Festival officials reserve the right to refuse entry to floats that detract from the purpose of the parade or to entrants who refuse to follow instructions of parade marshals. Abuse of the volunteers will not be tolerated and you will be removed from the parade should this occur.
5. Please ensure that your vehicle is CLEAN and proud to be in our parade. We recommend that you decorate your vehicle in a theme, or theme relative to your entry and consistent with the Sun Festival theme.
6. Please ensure your gas tank is FULL. We recommend you carry a spare can of fuel if there is any concern that your vehicle may run out of gas during the parade.

FLOATS

1. ALL COMMERCIAL entries, including trucks, tractors and cars (excluding vintage cars) are to be covered or disguised in a decorated manner. (minimum 90% decorated). Failure to comply may result in refusal of entry at assembly area.
2. All floats must be properly constructed to prevent breakdown(s) during parade - including proper field of vision for driver and ventilation for driver and vehicle.
3. The parade committee restricts float dimensions to vehicle width of 8' 6" feet, height of 12' 6", and length of 35' for a single vehicle, and 60 feet for articulated vehicles. These maximum dimensions are not applicable whilst traveling to and from parade route.

FLOAT SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

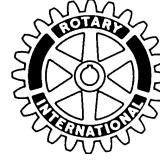
1. No smoking on or near floats
2. Carry a fire extinguisher - be sure that it is good working order and you know how to use it. Fire extinguishers should be: Dry Chemical type; at least 5 lbs.
3. Ensure the exhaust pipe is wrapped with fire retardent material where it passes near decorations and other flammable items.
4. Be certain driver has unimpeded field of visibility and adequate ventilation.
5. Inspect your vehicle brake system to confirm that it is in flawless working condition, including emergency brake system.
6. Be sure that the vehicle has been properly serviced with gasoline, water, oil, tire pressures and that the battery is in good condition.
7. Ensure good mechanical condition of the float and unrestricted movement of any animated figures.
8. Float motors will require maximum cooling and ventilation. Be sure your float is built accordingly.
9. All entries must ensure the mechanical condition of their vehicles will successfully complete the entire parade route.

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ENTRY

Mail to:
Tsawwassen Sun Festival Society, P.O. Box 1254, Postal Station "A", Delta, B.C. V4M 3T3
Facsimile: 604.484.9112



TSAWWASSEN SUN FESTIVAL PARADE ROUTE



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