

Main Street Cowboys Dress-Up Parade Application

PO Box 1002, Pendleton, Oregon 97801

Saturday, September 6th, 2025

Please print or type: ***REQUIRED INFORMATION***

*Name of Entry/Sponsor _____ *E-mail _____

*Person in Charge _____ *Phone# () _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please indicate in which division you will be in: (Circle only one please) If Judged Y N

- Autos, Antique Pre 1969
- Autos, Miscellaneous
- Neighborhood Float
- Dance/Drill Groups
- Queens & Courts
- Equestrian

- Bands
- Floats
- Youth Groups
- Horse & Buggy
- Civic/Service Clubs

***Please provide a brief description of your entry for the announcers on the following page.**

Estimate total number of: Persons _____ Vehicles _____ Horses _____

Dimensions of entry: **LENGTH** _____ **Width** _____ **Height** _____ (VERY Important!!!!)

*** If more than one vehicle: Number of vehicles, Length, width, and height of them. IN FEET!**

Include ALL Driver's Names with Phone Numbers

Trophies will be awarded for first place entries and the Larry Wahl Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the top entrant receiving the most votes.

The Main Street Cowboys reserves the right to deny entry or withdraw any entrant who does not conform to the standards of reasonable taste and/or safety.

PARTICIPANT(S) AGREES TO INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND HOLD HARMLESS THE MAIN STREET COWBOYS, THEIR OFFICERS, MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS, EMPLOYEES AND/OR ASSIGNS FROM AND AGAINST ALL CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES FOR BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH AT ANY TIME RESULTING FROM SUCH BODILY INJURY, AND FOR ANY DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, INCLUDING LOSS OF USE OF SUCH PROPERTY, ARISING OUT OF, INCIDENTAL TO, OR IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH ANY AGREEMENT AND CONTRACT BETWEEN RENTER/BORROWER. RENTER/BORROWER SHALL INDEMNIFY AND DEFEND MAIN STREET COWBOYS FOR ANY REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT COST OF DAMAGED OR LOSS OF PARTICIPANT(S) PROPERTY. MAIN STREET COWBOYS SHALL HAVE NO LIABILITY TO PARTICIPANT(S) FOR ANY INJURY, LOSS, OR DAMAGE CAUSED BY ANY THIRD-PARTY OR BY ANY CONDITION OF THE PARTICIPANT(S) AGREEMENT. PARTICIPANT(S) SHALL NOT FILE ANY CLAIM, ACTION, SUIT AGAINST THE MAIN STREET COWBOYS AS A RESULT OF ANY DAMAGES OR INJURY TO PERSONS OR PROPERTY ARISING OUT OF THE TERMS OF ANY AGREEMENT AND CONTRACT WITH MAIN STREET COWBOYS. PARTICIPANT(S) AGREES TO ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS THAT MY ARISE OUT OF OR ARE INCIDENTAL TO USE OF MAIN STREET COWBOYS PROPERTY. PARTICIPANT(S) SHALL NOT BRING ANY CLAIMS AGAINST THE MAIN STREET COWBOYS, THEIR OFFICERS, MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS, EMPLOYEES AND/ OR ASSIGNS BEFORE ANY BODY OR COURT IN MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS AND/OR ASSIGNS SHALL AND MUST BE BROUGHT IN THE UMATILLA COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE STATE OF OREGON AND THAT SAID COURT SHALL HAVE JURISDICITON TO RESOLVE ANY SUCH CLAIM. PARTICIPANT(S) WILL PROVIDE ATTORNEY FEES AND COURT COSTS SHOULD THE MAIN STREET COWBOYS HAVE TO BRING AN ACTION TO ENFORCE THIS AGREEMENT. IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS FOUND TO BE INVALID OR UNENFORCEABLE IN ANY FASHION AND/OR FOR ANY REASON THAT SAID FINDING SHALL NOT AFFECT THE VALIDITY OR ENFORCEABILITY OF THE REMAINING PORTIONS OF THE AGREEMENT.

The applicant testifies said entry is covered by insurance.

Main Street Cowboys Dress-Up Parade Information - Entry divisions & Parade Rules

- The parade committee separates Queens & Courts from Riding Groups for judging purposes. Your group may stay together if the Queen & Court do not wish to be judged.
- The youth group division will include organized groups such as Boy Scouts, Camp Fire, F.F.A., 4-H, etc.
- If you are not certain of the division in which to place your entry, leave the division to be judged blank. The parade committee will determine the appropriate division if you specify that you wish to be judged on the entry form.
- Please be sure to fill the entry form out **COMPLETELY**, answering **ALL** the questions. The parade committee may wish to contact you if additional information is needed.

Who May Enter: Any individual or organization or business.

Deadline for Applications: August 29, 2025, for entries to be judged. We are not responsible for entries not received.

Late Applications: Will be accepted until the day before the parade. Late registrants **WILL NOT BE JUDGED**.

Report: to the Main Street Cowboys registration table in the parking lot of the Pendleton Convention Center located at 1601 Westgate. NUMBER PICKUP hours are between 4 PM and 8 PM on Friday, September 5th. We're requesting that all parade entrants check in at the Main Street Cowboys table in front of the Convention Center prior to lining up. **You must be lined up in your assigned space by 9:30 AM on Saturday.** The parade begins at 10:00 AM. When parking in the Convention Center parking lot please park in designated spaces as much as possible. This will make it much easier for all to get in and out of the lot.

Judging: To be judged, all entries must be in their appropriate place at the start of the parade.

Awards: One sweep-stake trophy, The Larry Wahl trophy will be awarded by the Main Street Cowboys. Trophies for 1st place will be awarded in all divisions, as well as the Presidents Choice Trophy will be presented at the last announcer's booth.

Parade Rules:

1. Parade numbers must be visible *on both sides* of the entry nearest the front.
2. Entries should be attended at all times.
3. **PLEASE, NO CANDY THROWING!**
 - **DUE TO THE SAFETY ISSUES INVOLVING THE THROWING OF CANDY AND OTHER ITEMS, NO ENTRY WILL BE ALLOWED TO THROW ANY ITEMS TO THE SPECTATORS. THIS INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, CANDY. GROUPS MAY PROVIDE PEOPLE TO WALK ALONG THE PARADE ROUTE AND PASS OUT ITEMS TO THE CROWD.**
4. Motorized Entries reeving engines or squealing tires on the pavement will be removed from the parade immediately, for safety reasons.
5. Animal entries should be placed on **DRY FEED** 2 days prior to the parade. Riding groups are encouraged to provide their own pooper scooper.
6. The Main Street Cowboys **DO NOT** pay expenses incurred by participants.
7. **NO ALCOHOL** and **NO PROFANITY** along the parade route. Our parade is family oriented, and we want a safe atmosphere for adults and children alike.
8. Judges' decisions are final.
9. **Entries shall maintain proper spacing (20'-30'). Unnecessary delays in the parade may be cause for removal.**
10. Discharging of firearms, loud motor noise, etc. may be hazardous or create a nuisance; entries that create such a disturbance may be removed from the parade if the safety of the crowd is endangered.
11. All entries will be evaluated for safety before receiving approval to participate.
12. Float drivers must have (2) avenues of escape. Floats must have (2) fire extinguishers at the ready.
13. Any driver/rider showing incapability to control his/her vehicle/horse will be removed from the parade.
14. All entries are required to be covered by their own insurance.

15. THE MAIN STREET COWBOYS RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REMOVE ANY ENTRANT NOT CONFORMING TO THE RULES OR REFUSING TO FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS OF THE PARADE COMMITTEE OR POLICE.

16. The applicant and all persons associated with applicant's entry agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Main Street Cowboys, the City of Pendleton, their officers, members and/or employees if injuries or damages of any type of result to third parties from your actions.

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I _____, the adult authorized representative for _____,

have read and agree to the above rules, language, and agreement.

*Signature: _____

*Printed Name: _____ *Phone Number: _____

(15 to 20 second announcement only)

***2025 Main Street Cowboys Dress-Up Parade Entry Announcers Information**

You, as the representative for your entry, acknowledge that you have read and understand this application and the parade rules and requirements.

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