

# 2023 LECLAIRE IOWA TUG FEST PARADE

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **Packet Pick Up!!!!** Packet pick up is Thursday, August 10, 2023 on the Levy at the beer tent. Starting at 5 pm – 8 pm. If you are not able to pick up your packet on Thursday night, please let us know as soon as possible, see contact information below.
2. **Friday, August 11, 2023** you can start lining up from **4:30-5:30 pm** at your assigned location. Check Facebook and website for updates. **Parade starts at 6:00 PM. THERE IS NO RAIN DATE!**
3. All Parade units **must** clearly display their assigned unit number on the Driver's side of the vehicle. Unit numbers must be visible for judging.
4. Parade units must stay in their assigned order unless specifically directed otherwise by a Parade official.
5. Parade units must follow a straight course in a cautious and safe manner. There will be no quick starts, stops, or "peeling of rubber". No swerving back and forth or driving in a reckless manner.
6. Please make sure all riders in a vehicle are in a safe position.
7. All Parade entries **must** have a signed "Hold-Harmless Liability Waiver". If a waiver is not signed you will not be allowed to participate.
8. No jumping on or off vehicles or any moving units.
9. Parades are forward moving; **please do not stop your unit for any type of performance.**

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10. All units should leave appropriate space between themselves and the next unit (2 car lengths), the spacing should not be too large (over 3 car lengths).
11. Watch for signals/directions from parade officials.
12. Please use caution while proceeding down the Parade route in order to protect the small children who will be darting out for candy. **DO NOT THROW CANDY AT PEOPLE.** Please hand out or throw candy towards the ground.
13. Flyers may be handed out.
14. As participants you all have a responsibility to the parade viewer's safety as well as your own. Please do not consume alcohol while lining up or during the parade.
15. There will be a shuttle bus at Blackhawk Bank & Trust to take people who walked in the Parade back to their vehicles.
16. Winner trophies will be available at Blackhawk Bank & Trust in LeClaire on **Monday, August 14<sup>th</sup>** during business hours. Winners will be posted on the TugFest website and posted at Blackhawk Bank & Trust.
17. Thank you for participating in the 2023 LeClaire Tug Fest Parade and for all your hard work in your entry. We hope you enjoy the Parade and hope to see you next year!

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We welcome any feedback or suggestions to make our parade even better. Comments may be emailed to [iatugfestparade@gmail.com](mailto:iatugfestparade@gmail.com) or the tugfest.com contact tab.

**Rain Date: NO RAIN DATE**

**Event information subject to change.**

**2023 TUGFEST PARADE COMMITTEE**

Questions call Tonia 563-650-1739 or Samantha 563-320-2162