

April 26, 2023

Greetings from Worthington, Minnesota:

The King Turkey Day Board of Directors would like to invite you to participate in the 84th Annual King Turkey Day Celebration. The parade is scheduled for Saturday, September 16th, 2023, starting at 2:00 p.m.

There will be a float competition with trophies to be given away for the top 3 entries.

Enclosed is an entry form. **Please return the form by Tuesday, August 1st.** Entries submitted after the deadline will pay a \$15.00 late fee in addition to the entry fee.

The King Turkey Day Board of Directors has created required guidelines in order to make this the most successful, safe and colorful parade.

- Tractors are only allowed if they are less than 100 hp, two-wheel drive, & not duals. Antique tractors are allowed.
- Semi tractors ONLY (no semis with trailers) will be allowed.
- Please include a copy of Certificate of Insurance, if applicable.
- All politicians are encouraged to ride in their vehicles. Should you walk, your vehicle must keep moving.
- All entries are limited to 3 units per paid registration. *Exceptions would be shrine /other entertainment units.
- No candy is to be thrown from the unit itself. For safety reasons, please walk along the curb and toss the candy to the children. We are taking this very seriously!
- Anyone handing out candy or other items needs to keep up with your parade entry
- There has been conversations about the abundance of candy and we would encourage parade entries to consider alternative giveaways. Thank you!

This year's entry fees are as follows:

Non-Profit or Civic Group Entry
Paycheck, Honorary & Turk of the Town Sponsors
Business or Commercial Entries

No fee required
No fee required
\$50.00

Political Entries \$50.00

Please make checks payable to King Turkey Day

All fees must accompany the entry forms. *No one will be scheduled without payment.

You will receive your lineup information and instructions one week prior to the event via email. *Please provide an email address on parade entry form. If you are no longer the contact person or no longer participating in area parades, please notify Forward Worthington (formerly the Chamber of Commerce) at 507-372-2919, so that the mailing list can be updated.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Anna Mahlberg at 507-360-7491 or Jessica Noble at 507-360-9401.

Sincerely,