

71st Annual Tohono O'odham Nation Rodeo & Fair Parade Application

"O'ODHAM FAMILIES CELEBRATING LIFE"

February 7, 2009 - 9 am

O'ODHAM WAPKIAL HA:YAS

Entry Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person/Group Leader: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Number Evening Number Cell Number

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

ANNOUNCER'S NARRATIVE SCRIPT (PLEASE WRITE LEGIBLY):

*In no more than 60 words, please give a description of your parade entry. This narrative will be used to announce your entry and for the judges to award points.*

Please check entry category:

- Individual/Family
- District (Tohono O'odham Nation's)
- Royalty
- Band
- Tribal Program
- School/Institution
- Group/Organization

LIABILITY RELEASE

I, the undersigned, on behalf of my entry, represent that I am authorized to sign on behalf of all individuals participating with my entry and hereby release the Tohono O'odham Nation and all its affiliates including individuals, groups, committees and agencies, from all legal actions whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death which may be sustained by me or by any property in my possession or control, while participating in this event.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Group Representative's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## PARADE INFORMATION

-Parade line up will begin at 7:00 a.m. Please check-in at the entrance to Big Fields Road.(Southwest corner of Sells Hospital)

-The Parade will begin on February 7, 2009 PROMPTLY at 9:00 a.m. (NOTE: ROAD CLOSURE WILL BE @ 8:30 A.M.)

-Entries will be given approximately 40 feet of set-up space to prepare for the parade. This includes space to park & decorate your entry and one more assisting vehicle.

In addition to applicable laws of the Tohono O'odham Nation, the following rules are added to keep the parade enjoyable for all participants and spectators. Failure to abide by the rules listed below may result in disqualification of points awarded by the judges and/or immediate removal from the parade line.

1. All participants under 10 years of age must be supervised by a responsible adult designated by the child's parent or guardian.
2. No one under 12 years of age will be allowed to ride alone on horseback.
3. All entries must begin at the starting point at Big Fields Road.
4. All entries must end inside the St. Mary's Catholic Church grounds.
5. All performances will be limited to no more than thirty-seconds (30) duration.
6. All entries must stay in their assigned 'set-up' space until notified by the 'Line Up' crew.
7. Tossing of candies or incentives from vehicles is prohibited. Walking along and passing out such items is allowed.
8. Candies must be bagged in clear plastic bags.
9. Float Entries MUST proceed to assigned 'take down'
10. All Terrain Vehicles (ATV) will not be allowed to participate in the Parade.
11. HAVE FUN!!!!

**\*\*Deadlines for entries for judging eligibility will be Tuesday, February 3, 2009 @ 5:00 p.m.**

**\*\*Faxed in entries will be accepted with complete narrative scripts before the deadline date.**

**\*\*Entries turned in after the cut-off date will not be eligible for judge's points, but may still participate in the parade.**

To submit applications or ask questions, write, email, call, or fax to:

ATTENTION: Jennifer Francisco, Noreen Williams or Jason Pablo

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