



Wewoka Sorghum Festival Parade
P.O. Box 1497 – Wewoka, OK 74884
Phone: (405) 257-2413 Fax: (405) 257-7020

The Wewoka Sorghum Parade Committee would like to invite you to attend our annual Sorghum Festival and Parade on Saturday, October 27, 2018.

Time: The parade starts at **10:00 a.m.**

Line-up: The parade line-up is on old Highway 56. We ask that parade entries **arrive by 8:45 a.m. for line-up**, but you need to allow time for traffic. The parade route is approximately 8 blocks in length.

We know your participation in our parade would enhance it greatly. Come experience a good time with us at Wewoka Sorghum Festival.

Our festival includes food booths, arts & crafts, a car show, an art show, and free entertainment. All attractions are located from the Wewoka Chamber of Commerce to the Seminole Nation Museum on Wewoka Street.

If you have any questions about the parade please feel free to call Wewoka City Hall at 405-257-2413

We look forward to having you participate in our Sorghum Festival Parade.

Important: Please read back of this page for parade rules.

Return application form by deadline if you wish to participate.

2018 WEWOKA SORGHUM FESTIVAL PARADE RULES

Parade Date: Saturday, October 27, 2018 Application Deadline: October 17, 2018

Entries received after deadline may be placed at the end of the parade and not judged.

NO entry may throw candy, gum, toys, pamphlets or campaign materials from any vehicle. These items **may be handed out** by people walking along the parade route. Suggested distance between entries is three car lengths. Keep parade moving slowly and smoothly. **DO NOT STOP TO PERFORM.** Observe all traffic safety regulations. **No burnouts. We reserve the right to refuse entry to any application.**

PARADE LINE-UP

Parade line up will be on old Highway 56. You will receive your line-up number at parade check in from a parade official. After your registration form has been received you will be mailed a map of the parade area line-up, drop off, line-up and parking information.

Parade starts promptly at 10:00 a.m.

The theme this year is "How Sweet It Is".

PARADE ENTRANTS WILL BE JUDGED ON:

- **Theme portrayal**, use of theme in float
- **Originality**, something new or different
- **Construction & design**, difficulty to construct
- **Eye appeal**, pleasing to the crowd
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***1st through 3rd place awards will be awarded to parade entrants for:**

- **Commercial Float**, float built by business
- **Non-Commercial Float**, non-profit organizations, civic groups, churches and individuals
- **Youth**, float made by youth organizations with adult supervision
- **Dance/drill teams**
- **Marching Bands**
- **Equestrian/animal**

PLEASE NOTE: Proof of a current negative coggins test is required for all horses prior to entrance to parade line-up. All animals entered must be under physical control of the owner and/or trainer at all times.

**A Sweepstakes Trophy will be presented to float selected as
BEST OF SHOW.**



Parade Application

Must be returned by October 17, 2018 to qualify for trophies

Organization: _____
 Contact Person: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Below - Circle (Only One) Type of Entry including Division:

Float: Commercial Non-Commercial Youth Adult
Royalty: Queen Jr. Queen Princess Prince
Marching Band: High School Military Drum Line
Dance/Drill Teams: Elementary Jr. High High School
Specialty Unit: Clown Unit Fire Truck Unit Car Club
Politician: Federal State County Local Tribal
Equestrian: Riding Club Round-Up Club Horse Drawn Rider(s)
Other Animals: (be specific) _____
Other: (doesn't fit categories listed) _____

Dimensions of Entry: _____

(Marching Unites please list number of members)
 (Vehicles or Riding Units please list number and type of expected entries)

Will there be people walking? Yes _____ No _____ If so how many? _____

Announcer Introduction:

(This must be filled in or NO announcement will made, may be edited. Attach separate sheet if necessary.)

Liability Waiver on back of form must be signed before application can be accept.

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PARTICIPANT, PARENT, GUARDIAN WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

Program—Activity: Wewoka Sorghum Festival Parade

Date: October 27, 2018

Participant: _____

The above-named entries hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages that I may have against the above-named organization and its agents, employees, representatives, successors and assigns for any and all injuries suffered by the above-named entry that arise out of the above-named program sponsored by the above-named organization.

I warrant that I have the right to authorize the foregoing and do hereby agree to hold the above-named organization harmless of and from any liability of whatever nature, which may arise out of or result from such participation.

For the consideration stated above, I further agree that in the event that the above-named entry should make any claim against the above-named organization for damages arising out of the above-named program I will personally indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the organization and its agents, employees, representatives, successors, and assigns against any and all loss and damage occasioned thereby, including attorneys' fees.

I further state that I have read and agree to abide by the rules set forth by the Wewoka Sorghum Festival for participation in this event.

I have read and understand this agreement and have willingly placed my signature below as evidence of my acceptance of all the conditions contained herein.

SIGNATURE: _____ **Title** _____
(Authorized Representative)

Date: _____