



**WHITE ROCK**  
**SEA**  
**FESTIVAL**



**70<sup>th</sup> Annual White Rock Sea Festival**  
**Sunday, August 4, 2019**  
**Application Form**

# Rules & Regulations

## Float Safety

- All floats must be properly maintained to avoid the chance of breakdown during the Parade
- The float driver must be fully licensed and stay with the float
- All floats must carry an operational fire extinguisher (dry chemical, at least 5 lbs). The float driver must be familiar with how to use the fire extinguisher
- The local Fire Department may conduct inspections prior to the parade
- The exhaust pipe must be securely wrapped with fire protective material in case of any accidental touching of flammable decoration
- All those who travel on a float must wear a safety belt or hold onto a secure handhold while the float is moving
- You must have wheel spotters and a lead person to communicate with the driver/responsible adult in the front passenger seat in case the driver needs to stop in an emergency
- If there is an emergency requiring police, ambulance and/or fire personnel to enter the parade route, please pull as far over to the right as possible and follow the instructions of the parade marshals along the route for when you can proceed as normal
- Once the float reaches the disassembly area, everyone on the float must disembark prior to the float being driven away in order to follow the rules of the road

## Insurance

- All parade vehicles must be insured
- Insurance documents must be emailed in with the completed parade application form

## Participation

- Entry is by invitation and application. Ensure you complete the application form accurately as the measurements you provide are what we use to mark the street
- Ensure you provide information about your float as this is used by commentators
- You will receive confirmation of your participation when it's been approved
- Float drivers/vehicles will be directed to the end of parade route to park vehicles and festival volunteers will be at the car park to ensure an orderly park that will facilitate easy reloading.
- Festival volunteers will drive the float drivers back to their float.
- All other participants must report to the registration table by **5:30 pm**
- The parade begins at **7:30 pm** on Marine Drive at Oxford Street east to Semiahmoo Park.
- Parade entrants must observe 30 feet of space between themselves and the participant in front
- Parade Marshall Volunteers are placed along the parade route and they have the authority to regulate the spacing of participants and correct any inadmissible behaviour
- In the unfortunate event of a float breakdown, volunteers will help to move the float to the curb. Parade participants will manoeuvre around it and keep the parade moving
- All parade entries, including commercial entries, must be fully decorated and lit. **THIS IS A NIGHT TIME PARADE.**

## Inadmissible Behaviour

- Participants must not throw anything to the spectators
- Participants must not encourage spectators to leave the sidewalk and mingle in the parade
- Participants must not be in possession of any alcohol or drugs. Those found to be in possession will be reported to security/police and removed from the parade

## Admissible Behaviour

- Walkers are permitted to hand out candy/leaflets etc.
- Those collecting cash and food for the local food bank can mingle among spectators
- Participants can sing, dance, laugh, make music, inspire others and have a wonderful time

Animals

- Well Behaved Animals are welcome
- Horse entrants must have a diligent, costumed pooper scooper
- Dog entrants must be on a leash and have a diligent, costumed pooper scooper

Parade participants must observe these rules and, should an emergency circumstance arise, follow instructions from police and parade officials.

I/we have read and agree to comply with the rules and regulations of the White Rock Sea Festival Torchlight Parade. I/we further agree to save and hold the City of White Rock and its Board of Directors free from any action resulting from any loss or damage to persons or property arising out of my/our participation in the White Rock Sea Festival Torchlight Parade.

Name, please print: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit this page online with your application at: [www.whiterockcity.ca/seafestival](http://www.whiterockcity.ca/seafestival)