

Yoakum's 96<sup>th</sup>  
Annual Tom-Tom Festival  
Grand Parade  
June 1, 2024

Dear Parade Participant:

The Yoakum Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce that the 96<sup>th</sup> Annual Tom-Tom Festival will be held starting Friday, May 31 through June 1, 2024.

We wish to take this opportunity to extend an invitation for you to participate in the Tom-Tom Parade to be held on Saturday, June 1, 2024.

Check in time: 7:00 to 8:00 a.m. at Dairy Queen (Hwy. 77A & Hwy. 111) – get your line-up number:  
Judging begins at 8:00 a.m. Parade starts at 10:00 a.m.

To enter, please complete the enclosed entry form and release and return to:

Yoakum Chamber of Commerce  
Tom-Tom Parade  
P.O. Box 591  
Yoakum, TX 77995

Deadline for entries to the Chamber will be Wednesday, May 29. No unauthorized entries may enter the parade. **THROWING CANDY & OTHER ITEMS ARE PROHIBITED** due to child safety.

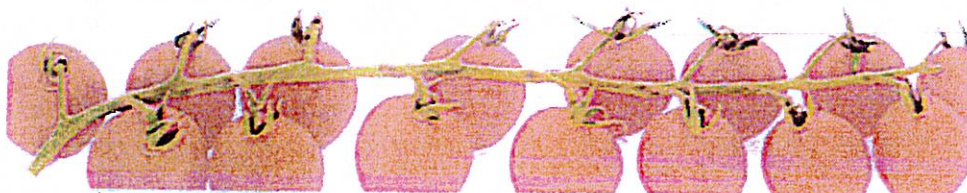
Please fill out the attached description sheet & release, and mail it back or fax it to (361)293-3507. This description sheet will be for the announcers to read. Please have it typewritten or neatly printed.

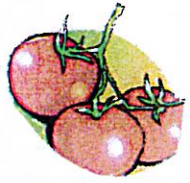
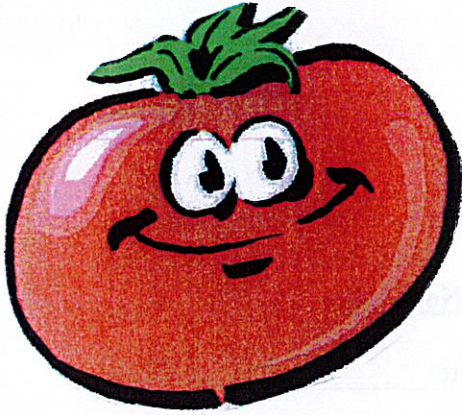
As a safety precaution, no one under the age of 18 is allowed to drive a vehicle. **No racing of motors!**

We would like to thank you for your participation and for making the Yoakum Tom-Tom Festival an annual success. We are looking forward to seeing you on June 1, 2024 in Yoakum, Texas.

Sincerely,

Ann Seidenberger (361)293-1348 cell  
Yoakum Tom-Tom  
Parade Chairman





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## ENTRY FORM

Name of Business or Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

### CATEGORY

Chamber pop 4,999 or less _____	Chamber pop 5,000 or more _____
(Clubs/Churches) Misc Local _____	(Clubs/Churches) Misc Out of Town _____
Trucks _____ Cars _____	Motorcycles _____ ATV _____
Tractors _____ Military _____	Horse Riders _____
Bands _____ (Marching or Truck & Trailer)	
Youth Local _____	Youth Out of Town _____
Commercial (Local) _____	Commercial (Out of Town) _____
(Business)	(Business)

AWARDS GIVEN: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> in each above category, along with Best of Show, Prettiest Float, Most Creative, Most Unique, Best Out of Town & Best Hometown

Brief

Description: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Queen, Princess, Duchess, etc. who will be riding on the entry (may attach):

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

The Yoakum Area Chamber of Commerce assumes **NO LIABILITY FOR ACCIDENTS** or loss of property, before, during or after the parade.

Contact Person Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 FAX#(361)293-3832 or (361-2933507 or mail entry to: Yoakum Chamber of Commerce,  
 P.O. Box 591, Yoakum, TX 77995.



Release, Waiver of Liability and Covenant Not to Sue

Parade Participant \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By acceptance of an invitation to participate in the 2024 "Tom-Tom" parade, I (we) accept and assume all risks and responsibility for any and all claims for property damage and/or personal injury to our participants (myself, my guests, invitees and/or employees) regardless of the nature or cause of the damage or injury and hereby release the Yoakum Chamber of Commerce and the City of Yoakum from liability for any and all property damage, personal injuries or other claims arising from my (our) participation in the 2024 "Tom-Tom" parade, including those that are known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen.

I (we) agree to indemnify, defend and hold the Yoakum Chamber of Commerce and the City of Yoakum harmless from any claim for property damage or personal injury in connection with my (our) activities in the 2024 "Tom-Tom" parade. I (we) further covenant not to commence or prosecute any action, suit or other proceedings against the Yoakum Chamber of Commerce or the City of Yoakum as a result of any property damage or personal injury received by participating in the "Tom-Tom" parade.

This document shall be binding upon myself (my/our) legal representatives, heirs, successors and assigns.

The undersigned has read and voluntarily signed this Release, waiver of Liability and Covenant Not to Sue and agrees to be bound by its terms.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Printed Name

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_