Christmas on the Grand

Dear Parade Participant:

The Yoakum Chamber of Commerce would like to invite you to join us in the 2026 "ILLUMINATED" Christmas Parade on Saturday, December 5, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. in downtown Yoakum, Texas. The arch which floats will travel through is 18 foot high and 23 foot wide. Please measure your entry to make sure your float will go through the down town area. **THROWING CANDY & OTHER ITEMS ARE PROHIBITED** due to child safety and insurance requirements.

All entries must be lighted in some manner, i.e. lights, flashlights or reflectors. Bicycles and walking groups are encouraged to participate. Please do not have any human Santa because the "Real" Santa will be on the Fire Truck at the end of the parade.

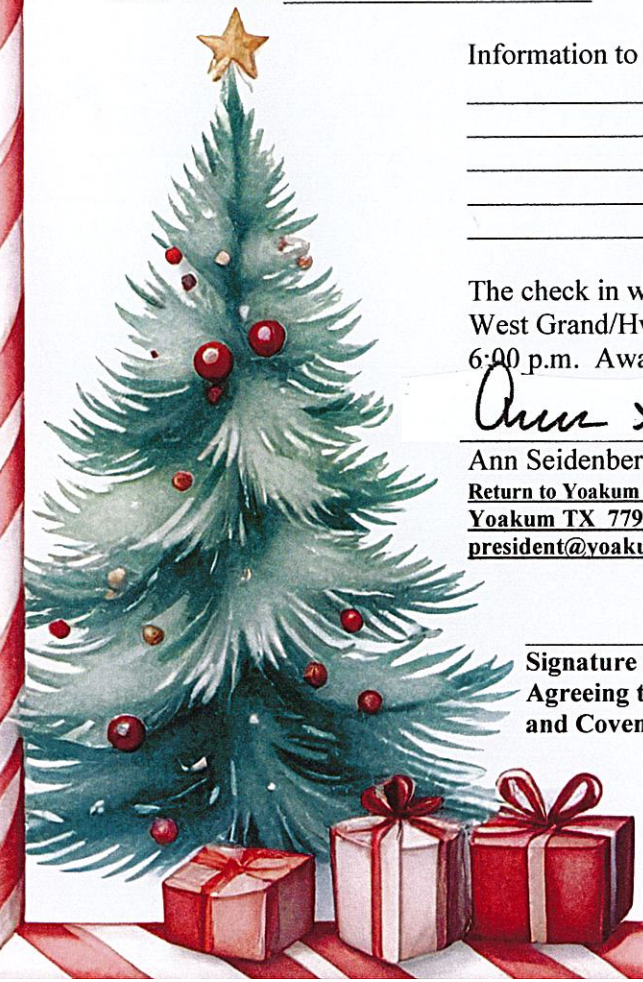
Awards given: Best Use of Lights, Most Lights, Most Original with Lights, Best of Show with Lights & Parade Marshall Award, as well as first, second and third in each category.

TYPE OF ENTRY
NAME:_____

Classification of entry:

_____ Chamber (less than 4,000)	_____ Chamber (more than 4,000)	____ Commercial floats
_____ Non Commercial floats	_____ Walking Groups	____ ATV
_____ Youth Group Floats _	_____ Car _____Trucks	____ Tractors
_____ Religious Floats	_____ Bicycles/Barbie jeep	____Motorcycles

Organization
Name_____
Telephone #_____
Email Address _____



Information to be read by the announcer in the parade:

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The check in will be at 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. beside Triple R Motors on West Grand/Hwy. 77A. Judging will take place immediately at 6:00 p.m. Awards will be given out before the parade.

Ann Seidenberger

Ann Seidenberger, Parade Chairman (361)293-1348
Return to Yoakum Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 591, Yoakum TX 77995 by December 2 or fax to 361-293-3507 or email to president@yoakumareachamber.com

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Signature of Parade Participant must sign above Agreeing to the attached Release, Waiver of Liability and Covenant Not to Sue: Date:_____

Release, Waiver of Liability and Covenant Not to Sue

By acceptance of an invitation to participate in the 2026 "Christmas on the Grand" 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 2026 "Christmas on the Grand" 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 2026 "Christmas on the Grand" 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 "Christmas on the Grand" parade.

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

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