

# RIPLEY FALL FAIR PARADE REGISTRATION



Float Name: \_\_\_\_\_

We will be entering:

- Float with Vehicle
- Float with Horse(s)
- Motorized Vehicle
- Children's Entry
- Pedestrian

Tell us a little about your entry (for our commentator)

## PARADE INFO:

Saturday, September 28, 2024

**Parade starts at 11:30 a.m.**

Register at the 59 Park Street  
(Ripley Soccer Fields) by  
**11:00 a.m.**

Late registration starts at 10:15  
a.m.

If you plan to pass out treats to  
spectators, they must be handed  
out and not thrown.

*To ensure the safety of all, a  
walker must accompany teams or  
horses.*

## CONTACT INFORMATION:

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

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Town & Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline for pre-registration is Wednesday, September 25, 2024**

Email this completed form (and any questions to):

[jkthompson@hurontel.on.ca](mailto:jkthompson@hurontel.on.ca)

Julie Thompson, 519-395-4048


# MAMMOTH PARADE

(11:30 am September 28th, 2024)

## COMMITTEE IN CHARGE

Julie Thompson 519-395-4048, Joe and Brooke Neitzel, David Cook, Janelle Moffat, Brett Pollock, Ron Elphick, Kevin Taylor, Paul McDonald, Dwight Irwin

**NEW: Pre-Register online before Friday, September 27th, 2024 at [www.ripleyfair.ca](http://www.ripleyfair.ca)**

1. **We ask that parade entries pre-register online prior to parade day. Deadline for pre-registration is September 27, 2024.**  
-This is to cut back on congestion at the parade starts & to help lessen the load on our organizers during fair day. You can find the form here: [www.ripleyfair.ca](http://www.ripleyfair.ca) All registrants will receive their prize money via mailing address
2. **All parade entries & their float attendees must pay admission to enter the fairgrounds.** There has been some confusion about this in past years, although we appreciate all our parade entries, everyone needs to pay to enter our fairgrounds following the parade. We would like to gently remind everyone that our mainstream of funding for the entertainment during fair weekend comes from our gate entry fees. Our fair has so much to offer, the majority of which are included in your gate entry!
3. **Please, no alcohol!** No drinking and driving is permitted. We also ask that people on floats also refrain from drinking and driving due to safety concerns.
4. **Candy and/or toys MUST be handed out.** NO throwing objects of any kind.
5. **All farm animals & pets of all kinds must be leashed at all times.**
6. **Please observe farm safety rules when operating machinery.** No extra people are permitted to ride on tractors and/or other machinery during the parade route.
7. **There will be NO stopping in the fairgrounds at the end of the parade.** All parade floats must continue on from the fairgrounds. There will be no stopping inside the fairgrounds to let any float attendees off. 

**Drop off for the school float is at the soccer fields on Park Street.**  
**Note, Park Street will be where the other floats line up so it suggested to park on a side street and walk to the soccer fields.**

## A) FLOATS

Prizes in Sections 1-5 will be: 1st \$30.00; 2nd \$25.00; 3rd \$20.00 and \$10.00 for each additional entry.

1. **School/Church/Family Float**
2. **Float with live music**
3. **Commercial Float**
4. **Organizational Float**
5. **Antique Car or Tractor**

Prizes in Sections B, C, D will be: 1st \$15.00; 2nd \$10.00; 3rd \$7.00 and \$5.00 for each additional entry judged worthy.

**B) MOTORIZED ENTRIES**

1. Decorated Child's Motorized Vehicle (age 10 & under)
2. Decorated Child's Motorized Vehicle (age 11-18)
3. Decorated Adult Motorized Vehicle

**C) CHILDREN'S ENTRIES**

1. Decorated bicycle/tricycle
2. Costumed child with wagon, cart or stroller
3. Costumed child with pet

**D) PEDESTRIAN ENTRIES**

1. Best Costume (age 10 & under)
2. Best Costume (age 11-17)
3. Best Costume (18 & over)
4. Largest Costumed family with theme
5. Anything in the parade that did not receive a prize that the judges feel deserve a prize

Prizes in Section E will be: 4 horses \$35.00; 2 horses \$30.00

- E) HEAVY HORSE HITCHES** - Include on Heavy Horse entry form to receive prize money