

Thank you for participating in the North Perth Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade

North Perth Chamber of Commerce
519-291-1551

Venue Layout

Starting at 4 pm, FLOATS can begin to stage for parade, by **entering onto Maitland Avenue South FROM BRIGHT STREET**, and park in open parking lots. You will be guided into areas, according to the float size. See Map. There WILL BE NO OTHER ENTRANCE FOR FLOATS OTHER THAN THIS. REVIEW THE ATTACHED MAP FOR QUEUING AND EXITING

FLOAT DRIVERS must pay attention to the float in front AND behind, to keep pace and move along, both while in staging, and while in the route.

Volunteers will be dressed in a reflective vest and blue winter hat.

PARTICIPANTS - IF at all possible - arrive with all participants of your float. If not, and there are drop offs happening, those vehicles can drive in by the highschool, and out on Clayton. Dropping into the walkers zone. Arrangements must be in place to meet up. Extra parking is at the school off Nicole Ave.

ALL PARTICIPANTS are responsible for reviewing the rules and regulations (next page)



Please position your PARADE PARTICIPANT SIGN in your vehicle where a Marshall can see ATTACHED. PAGE 3 (if you cannot print one, stop in the Chamber office for a printed copy)

Rules & Regulations (Safety) for Registered Floats

This is an outdoor event where most people gather in groups of family or friend groupings. Our number one concern is 'safety' for everyone.

PARTICIPANTS RULES

Please review the map indicating the float entrance and one way parking plan. PLEASE NOTE, limited area for extra vehicle parking. Please contact us if you require extra area for vehicle parking, unloading etc.

1. FLOATS are welcome to start arriving at 4 pm. All floats are responsible for the safety of their own equipment and volunteers. For safety of all, you are asked to enter from the SOUTH END of Bright Street onto Maitland and you will be guided into a staging area.
2. If there is an emergency contact 911 on your own and try to reach a Chamber volunteer for support.
3. **All vehicles must stay in format with walker speed, staying consistent with the slow roll 'together' – watch ahead and behind.**
4. FLOATS must be decorated in a **Christmas theme**
5. Only CHRISTMAS MUSIC can be played from your unit during the parade. NO horn honking will be allowed on the parade route.
6. **NO CANDY CAN BE THROWN FROM VEHICLES / FLOATS. Walkers may hand out candy**
7. **Fire Safety** - No open flames, or combustibles allowed.
8. All vehicles must be aware of their surroundings
9. **Santa** - There will be ONLY ONE Santa. He will be found at the end of the parade, positioned on his float. **There will be no other vehicle with a live Santa, or Mrs Claus**
10. **PLAN your exit route.** You can off load or disassemble float in Spinrite parking lot. See map.

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