



Hampshire Coon Country Days Inc.  
**2018 Parade Entry Form**  
Sunday, August 5, at Noon

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**The Festival is on State Street in downtown Hampshire, one block south of Allen Road.**

Welcome to the 2018 Hampshire Coon Creek Country Days, Inc. Parade which will be held this year on Sunday, August 5, at **Noon**. This year the parade will start at the corner of Warner Street & Washington Avenue and proceed west on Washington Avenue to State Street, heading south towards Terwillger Avenue, then turn right on Terwillger Avenue going west to Klick Street. The parade will then disband at the corner of Terwillger Avenue & Klick Street (**Note: Parade Route Subject to Change**). This year the Parade line-up runs from 11 to 11:45 a.m. and begins at the corner of Warner Street & Route 72 (by Casey's Service Station & Heartland Bank.) It is advised that if needed, you should use the restrooms at Casey's before the parade as there are no restrooms available on the parade route. Parade numbers are available on Saturday, August 4, at the information booth at the HCCCD Festival. They also will be available on Sunday morning, August 5. If you have a group that needs to gather, we suggest that you assemble at the Heartland Bank parking lot. On Sunday, please proceed to your assigned location, but **do not block** any driveways.

The Hampshire Coon Creek Country Days committee does have some rules by which you need to abide. There is absolutely **NO** water devices of any kind allowed in the parade. If you are throwing or handing out items in the parade, please make sure it reaches the curb—for the safety of the children in the crowd. We are also asking you to give us a brief description about your parade entry so that when you pass the reviewing stand, the announcer will be able to talk about your business/entry.

It only takes a few minutes to write down something for the announcer. Please fill out the parade entry form and mail it to: **Hampshire Coon Creek Country Days, PO Box 927, Hampshire IL 60140**. You may also **fax your entry form to: 847-683-3318**.

If you have a friend or someone who also would like to participate in the parade, you can duplicate this parade entry form or call and we will send you another one. **NOTE!** To participate in the parade, there is a **\$10 non-refundable application fee** per entry. (Multiple floats or vehicles in a party count as separate entries.) **This is an excellent opportunity to advertise your business.**

Thanking you in advance for participating in our annual parade for Hampshire Coon Creek Country Days. With all of us working together we can make our parade a safe, visually appealing and enjoyable event for the community. **To hold your entry for the parade, please submit your application by July 14.**

Any questions please call us at: **847-293-0285 or 224-535-1813**.

See you at the parade!

Connie Von Keudell / Toby Koth

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Evening \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate length of entry \_\_\_\_\_ Feet. Do you have a PA system or music? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have people walking \_\_\_\_\_ Number of those walking \_\_\_\_\_

Brief Description about your entry (*i.e.*, anything that you might like to have said by the announcer at the reviewing stand on State Street).

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Each entry or vehicle needs a form. If extra copies are needed please photocopy or ask for extra copies.

By signing this application, you agree to comply with and be bound by the **HCCCD** Rules and Regulations provided on this application.

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fee** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

For questions, please call **224-535-1813** or **847-683-3116** and leave a message. We will return your call as soon as possible.

**Note:** You can mail your application or fax to **847-683-3318**

**Remit to:** Hampshire Coon Creek Country Days, Inc.

P.O Box 927

Hampshire, IL 60140

Attn: Parade

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- Applicants are prohibited from selling, consuming or providing alcoholic beverages.
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\*\*\*\*\*This Copy for your records\*\*\*\*\*

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**Fax Application to: 847-683-3318**

## Parade Prizes

For the second year in a row, Hampshire Coon Creek Country Days will be offering prizes for the top vote-getters in the parade.

There is no additional cost to participate in the competition. You only need to check one of these boxes:

- Yes, please include this entry in the competition! Here is the one (1) category we are entering:
  - Spirit
  - Most Original
  - Best Business/Commercial
  
- No, not this year. Maybe next year, though!

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**Judging will be done by Hampshire Village Trustees and prizes will be awarded based on the following:**

**Spirit:** shows enthusiasm; good use of music, props, etc.; and positive response from the spectators.

**Most Original:** shows uniqueness and originality; demonstrates efforts for the design; and creates a positive overall appearance.

**Best Business/Commercial:** Name clearly visible; shows originality in advertising; and attractiveness of entry.

**Note:** the precise prizes are still in development. Further information will be made available as prizes are confirmed.

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