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Parade TIMES & GUIDELINES!

WHISKEY FLAT DAYS™ ~ Saturday, February 14, 2009

Parade Theme: *“Everything Old is News Again”*

It’s FREE! . . . there’s no entry fee, as long as you send your registration so we receive it by January 30. (\$25 for late entries!) But . . . the Kernville Chamber may gun-down entries for improper behavior or for not following these simple guidelines. Please aim for tasteful decorations, (for wholesome family spectators), in keeping with our parade theme.

Be pleasant . . . and timely . . . and help us present an outstanding parade.

What’s my “Line-Up” number? Just ask us the morning of the parade at our check-in tables on Sierra Way. Please don’t call . . . and don’t visit the Chamber office. . . . they won’t know these answers.

Okay, but where do we check-in? We’ll be at the usual line-up area – on Sierra Way, down the road from the Kernville Chamber. To simplify turning around, we’ll have check-in tables at both ends of the line-up. Please don’t arrive before 9:30 am or you’ll be there ahead of us!

Helpful horse, mule, & donkey notes: Before you ride onto your line-up number, we’ll show you where to circle up, together, for a little early-judging of costumes and tack (10 a.m. sharp). To avoid the “after-parade” skittish backtrack amid the crowded bridge traffic, drop off those trailers at the designated parking by the rodeo grounds and Whiskey Flat Encampment (near the parade’s end).

Any Shootin’-Irons, Fellers? Everyone with a firearm (even unloaded) needs a visible, “approved” ribbon. They’re issued starting Friday at the Whiskey Flat Encampment just across the street from the rodeo grounds. They’ll also be available during the Saturday line-up in our equestrian judging area. (Look for the “Gun Check” signs.)

Avoid long gaps in the parade march -- once it begins, there’s **NO STOPPING, ANYTIME**.

No items, (candy, etc.) may be thrown to spectators (insurance requirements).

Make sure that your float or entry is **less than 15 feet tall** (to avoid overhead lines).

10:00 a.m. Check-in & line-up (check-in tables will open at 9:30 a.m.).

Note: New, improved time! – no longer 9 a.m.

But . . . please allow lots of time for the jam-packed Kernville traffic or bypass the main “west-side” bottleneck and come up the east side of the lake, instead.

10:00 a.m. sharp..... Equestrian judging in designated horse area on Sierra Way.

Note: Equestrian with wagons will be judged at your area/line-up number.

11:00 a.m.....Start of the Whiskey Flat Days™ Parade.

Start waving those hands and flashing that smile, pardner!

(New: Non equestrian judging will be done during the parade march, not prior to the parade.)

2:30 p.m.....Awards at the announcer’s stand in Circle Park.

Please remember to send registration & signed waiver to: Kernville Chamber of Commerce
PO Box 397
Kernville, CA 93238

email: info@kernvillechamber.org www.kernvillechamber.org (760) 376-2629

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Agreement to Hold Harmless, Defend, and Indemnify The Kernville Chamber of Commerce

In consideration of the Kernville Chamber of Commerce and/or its officers, directors, employees, sponsors, and agents (collectively known as "Chamber") allowing

(Name of person, organization, or business entity, collectively known as "Permittee")

to participate in the **2009 WHISKEY FLAT PARADE** ("Event"), which is sponsored by the Chamber, Permittee voluntarily enters into this agreement.

Specifically, Permittee agrees to and hereby releases and waives any and all claims for damages against the Chamber that Permittee, (and/or Permittee's officers, directors, employees, members, or agents and/or property, as applicable) may suffer in connection with my/our participation in the Event. These could be claims arising out of: negligence, recklessness, incorrect decisions, strict liability, breach of contract, or any act, in any way, associated with my/our participation. Permittee will hold the Chamber harmless without limitation or reservation whatsoever, from any such liability, cost, expense, loss or damage. My/our participation in this Event is purely voluntary and I/we elect to do so at my/our own risk. I/we expressly assume all responsibility and risk (both known and unanticipated) to myself/ourselves, others and to property.

Permittee further agrees to hold harmless, defend (with legal counsel reasonably acceptable to the Chamber), and indemnify the Chamber without limitation or reservation, against any loss, damage, liability, cost or expense (including attorneys' and experts' fees and costs) resulting or arising from, or related to, any injury, loss, damage, claim or expense suffered (or allegedly suffered) by Permittee or by any third party and arising from Permittee's participation in the Event, whether by any negligent or intentional action or failure to act by Permittee, and/or its officers, directors, employees, members, or agents. Permittee agrees that should any suit or action, (in connection with my/our participation in the Event) be brought or threatened against Permittee, and/or against the Chamber as defendants, Permittee will, upon request by the Chamber, tender defense (with legal counsel reasonably acceptable to the Chamber) of such suit to such person or entity, who may elect to undertake defense of such suit. Any such defense will be at Permittee's expense, including attorneys' and experts' fees and costs. If any portion of this agreement is judged invalid, the validity of the remaining portion(s) will not be affected.

I warrant, by my signature below, that I understand this document and recognize that it affects my/our legal rights. I also warrant that, if I am signing on behalf of a business or organization (whether a sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation, association, or school), I am duly authorized to do so.

Date _____, 200 _____

Your PRINTED Name

Business or Organization, if applicable

Signature

Title or Position of Authority

Please remember! Mail Application and signed Agreement to Hold Harmless so they arrive no later than January 30th to:
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