

Nebraska's Official
VETERAN'S PARADE
BELLEVUE, NEBRASKA



“Defenders of Freedom”

10:00am Saturday - November 5, 2016

The 17th Annual Nebraska's Official Veteran's Parade

Please fill out & return your Entry Form with payment to: Bellevue Chamber of Commerce

ENTRY DEADLINE IS October 26, 2016 - FEE & NARRATIVE MUST ACCOMPANY FORM.

\$15 - Nonprofit Entry & Individual Entry (does not include political or business)

\$20 - Vendor (walking along or stationary to parade route) *plus city permit \$10.00*

\$30 - Business

\$50 - Political

No Charge - Active Duty, Veterans & Veterans Organizations, and Schools – **entry form required**

A FEW REMINDERS:

1. Checks should be made payable to the Bellevue Chamber of Commerce & **MUST** accompany entry.
2. Typed or printed 50-75 word narrative to be read as your entry passes the Grandstand.
3. Float Competition: We encourage float participation. Float definition: A vehicle onto which is built a decorated structure, a decorated platform or a flat bed/tandem trailer that is decorated and towed by a vehicle.
4. Equestrian Units: **Unload and Park** at Gemini Park 2402 Clay Street. Animals **MUST** be of a nature that noise and excitement will not frighten them. It is mandatory that either a waste bag be worn or an individual with a shovel & bucket must follow behind the entry. If waste is not probably handled, entry will be removed from parade.
5. Car Entries: The majority of the spectators feel that the antique and show cars should be mixed throughout the parade rather than in a continuous line. For this reason, you will be assigned an entry number. If you are an organization, please indicate the EXACT number of cars that are coming.
6. Safety & Law: Proper and lawful driving only– violators will be cited (no burn outs etc.)
Safety Helmets are required for anyone under 18 who is riding bicycle, scooter or skateboard.
Nebraska Helmet Law will be strictly enforced for all Motorcyclists and passengers
7. PARTICIPANTS ARE **NOT ALLOWED** TO THROW CANDY, COINS, OR ANY OTHER ITEMS FROM MOVING ENTRIES. PEOPLE WALKING ALONG SIDE OF THE ENTRY AND DISTRIBUTING THESE ITEMS **ARE ALLOWED**. Violators will be removed from the parade by the Bellevue Police Department.
8. Veterans may walk/ride for FREE BUT MUST REGISTER AN ENTRY FORM BY October 26.
9. **No refunds on cancellations.**
All lineup (excluding Offutt, BPS and car entries) will be on Mission Avenue.

HAVE FUN! You are the reason our parade is a success and we are looking forward to working with you and seeing your entries in the parade! THANK YOU

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PARADE ENTRY: _____
 (Organization, Business, Military Units - please spell out your unit designations)

ENTRY FEE:

- \$15/NONPROFIT \$15/INDIVIDUAL \$20 VENDOR \$30/BUSINESS \$50/ POLITICAL
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NAME OF CONTACT PERSON: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE NUMBER: () _____ FAX: () _____

E-MAIL _____

Will your Entry/Unit have music? Yes No

TYPE OF ENTRY:

- CAR - # of Cars _____ CAR & FLATBED Length: _____
 PICKUP Length: _____ PICKUP & FLATBED Length: _____
 TRACTOR Length: _____ TRACTOR & TRAILER Length: _____
 EQUESTRIAN UNIT: Number of Animals in unit: _____ Wagon: () Yes () No
 MARCHING UNITS/BANDS: Number in unit/band: _____
 OTHER: please explain here: _____ Length: _____

NARRATIVE FOR ENTRY: 50 to 75 words. This narrative will be read as your entry passes the Grandstand.

Please print or type. If you need additional space, feel free to use the back. (We reserve the right to edit):

OK to use last year's description

Please return this completed entry form & entry fee to:

Bellevue Chamber of Commerce
 1102 Galvin Road South Bellevue, NE 68005
 Fax: 402-291-8729

For information: contact Doris at 402-504-9774 or Doris@BellevueNebraska.com

No refunds on cancellation.

Office use:

Date Recd: _____

Check #: _____

Amount: _____