Cheeseburger in Caseville PARADE OF TROPICAL FOOLS

Wednesday, August 16, 2017

Parade starts at 5:30 p.m. [Rain or Shine!]

**Line up on HURON St at Main Street [Recommend you be here by 3:00 p.m.]

1 CURRENT YEAR CHEESEBURGER FESTIVAL BUTTON PER ENTRY

PLEASE read all information included in this application.

- 1. Note the line-up and starting times of the parade first come, first placed in the line-up.
- 2. Deadline for entries: Entries registered by August 9th will be eligible for parade awards and the registrant must include a phone # or email address on the entry form (for contact purposes in case you win an award).
- 3. Persons **walking** may distribute samples along the parade route. Toss up & into the spectators instead of scattering on the road in front of the crowd. This is to keep kids from running out into the street.

4. NOTHING MAY BE THROWN FROM A MOVING VEHICLE OR FLOAT!

5. Be careful – be safe and WATCH OUT FOR THE CROWDS.

6. NO WATER BALLOONS, WATER CANNONS OR CROWD SPRAYING.

- 7. Alcoholic beverages are NOT to be displayed during parade. Use a designated driver! No glass containers. We reserve the right to refuse participation to impaired persons.
- 8. Attach a Banner or Sign w/ 6" lettering to each side of your entry to identify your entry. Our judges have to know WHO you are before they can designate award winners.
- 9. All participants must sign a registration form. A parent/guardian has to sign for minors (children).
- 10. Drivers of vehicles / floats must possess current valid operator's license and vehicles must be insured. Be prepared to produce the documents at the registration table prior to getting in line.
- 11. Animals must be under the control of their owner who is responsible for the immediate clean-up of any waste (use a diaper or pooper-scooper). Contact the Office for line-up details.
- 12. This committee reserves the RIGHT TO REMOVE AN ENTRY IF THE RULES ARE NOT OBSERVED.

Complete the entry form and return it to: Cheeseburger Parade Committee P.O. Box 122 Caseville, MI 48725-0122

For information call the Chamber office at 989 856-3818 or visit www.casevillechamber.com

Parade Of Tropical Fools PARADE APPLICATION

In consideration of the Caseville Area Chamber of Commerce, the City of Caseville and the Huron County Parks permitting me to participate in Cheeseburger in Caseville, I, the undersigned, do hereby agree to assume all risk and liability associated with my participation in this Event. I recognize and acknowledge that such risks of participation in an outdoor festival include, but are not limited to, personal injury and property damage due to crowds, vandals, traffic, inclement weather conditions, including rain, hail, lightening and wind, as well as losses related to theft. On behalf of myself, my heirs, successors and assigns, I do further agree to release, hold harmless and indemnify the Caseville Area Chamber of Commerce, its members, the City of Caseville, the Huron County Parks and their officials, employees, agents, and volunteers from any and all liability or responsibility whatsoever For injury (including death) to person, for any damage to any City and/or County property, or the property of others, arising out of, or resulting from, my participation in the 2017 Event. I do hereby waive, release and discharge the Caseville Area Chamber of Commerce, its members, the City of Caseville, the Huron County Parks, and volunteers from any and all claims, demand, actions, damages, and liabilities resulting or arising directly and or indirectly out of my participation in the 2017 Cheeseburger in Caseville Events. I also release with this signature the use of all photos, videos, and Internet publications for the use of the Caseville Chamber of Commerce and its members.

Agreed to this _____day of _____ 2017

Name of Organization / entrant_____

Printed Name:	Signature:		Address:	
	P. O. Box	_ City	ZIP	_
PHONE # ()	email: _			<u> </u>
DESCRIPTION OF ENTRY		Float LENGTH	# PARTICIPAN	ITS <u>.</u>

VEHICLE AND OPERATOR INFORMATION:

All drivers must hold a valid driver's license if driving a motor vehicle or float in the parade. Proof of insurance for private vehicles (as required by law) is required from participants. Please complete and submit with entry form: **TYPE OF VEHICLE**

	МАКЕ			
	Length			
	Lic. Plate #			
INSURA	NCE INFORMATION			
	VEHICLE Current dates of coverage:			
	Limits of Liability:			
OPERAT	OR			
	Driver License #	State		
	Expiration Date		-	

PARADE APPLICATION ADDENDUM

Signatures of all persons participating in the parade or parent / legal guardians.

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Name of Organization _____

Signature:	DATE:
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A LETTER TO ALL TROPICAL FOOLS!

THE PARADE OF FOOLS WILL BEGIN AT 5:30 P.M. WEDNESDAY, August 16, 2017.

PARADE ROUTE: Main St (M-25) from HURON to the Caseville County Park Beach. SPECTATORS: Bleachers will be set up along the route: at the beginning of the parade route and in the parking lot next to Independent Bank. No parking on Main. Keep the view open for everyone. HANDICAP VIEWING AREA IN FRONT OF THE ROLLER RINK.

PLEASE STAY BY THE CURBSIDE; NO RUNNING OUT ONTO THE STREET!

PARADE ENTRANT INFORMATION:

STAGING: The parade will start at <u>Huron Street</u>. **Enter** from Main (M-25) at Michigan. **Stop** at the registration table on Michigan and receive instructions for staging. **Line up**. We will have staging on both sides of Main Street. The lineup will start on Huron facing Main (M-25). The registration table will be open at 8:00 a.m.

Large floats / entries will be directed to E. Park Street - enter via Legion Drive off N. Caseville Road

Line-up is on a first-come basis. It is recommended you be in line by 3:00 p.m. Our marshals check for forms and buttons. We will have festival buttons for sale. There will be porta-pottys along the staging area. The City/Township Hall is open and has public restrooms available also.

ONE OFFICIAL 2017 CHEESEBURGER BUTTON IS NEEDED FOR <u>EACH</u> <u>ENTRY</u> IN THE PARADE. For those who wish to purchase Festival buttons, buttons will be available in the staging areas in addition to the uptown sale sites.

5:30 p.m. PARADE BEGINS with Honor Guard and veterans and ENDS at CASEVILLE COUNTY PARK. Float parking will be available on the beach at the end of the parade. Entries may proceed out of town on Main St. (M-25). No doubling back, if you leave the city, continue north to State Park Road to cut back to Kinde Road.

PARADE JUDGING: The judging stand will be by the intersection of Main & Michigan. "Strut your stuff", impress the judges and **KEEP MOVING**. We want the spacing tight to avoid large gaps in the parade.

PARADE ENDS AT THE PARK. The concert in the amphitheater is scheduled to begin after the parade. Parade awards will be announced during that concert.

QUICK REVIEW OF RULES - This committee reserves the RIGHT TO REMOVE AN ENTRY if rules are not observed

- 1. ONE Festival Button is required PER ENTRY. However, anyone who wishes to obtain a button may do so from our many volunteers in the staging area.
- 2. Everyone in the parade must complete & sign an entry form Parents or guardians sign for kids. WE NEED AN ACCURATE HEAD COUNT WITH EACH ENTRY.

Walkers may distribute goodies: **NO THROWING FROM VEHICLES!** This is a Safety issue for both spectators and participants. Toss up and over into the crowd rather than scattering on the road in front of them.

- 3. Target your handouts to those wearing buttons or the young children. Reward those who stay off the road by their families. We do not want kids running into the street to collect candies or beads.
- 4. No alcoholic beverages may be consumed or displayed during the parade. No glass containers.
- 5. All entries must be identified by a sign or banner with lettering at least six (6") in height. This must be displayed on each side of your entry.
- 6. NO THROWING FROM VEHICLES! This can't be stressed enough we want the crowd to stay on the sidelines. Toss up into the crowd rather than scattering on the road in front of them.
- 7. ANIMAL ENTRIES: Owners must clean up immediately; use pet diapers or pooper-scoopers but you are responsible for your own. Call the Office for additional information.
- 8. This is a family event: tacky but tasteful is the guideline. The Committee reserves the right to remove any entry.
- 9. HAVE FUN!

Thank you for joining our "PARADE OF TROPICAL FOOLS" Key North Style!!!!! CHEESEBURGER IN CASEVILLE PARADE COMMITTEE