

# Santa says...



## SPECIAL EVENTS



...be a part of the fun!



The 41st Annual

# Christmas Parade

December 7, 2024



Join us in Ocean City for the 41<sup>st</sup> annual Christmas Parade, viewed by thousands of spectators each year. This parade boasts family fun in Maryland's only oceanfront resort town and, whether you have a float, musicians, a decorated vehicle or just want to walk in your festive holiday attire, we have space for you!

There is **NO ENTRY FEE** to participate. The Saturday Parade start time is 11:00 a.m. Upon completion of the parade, join us for family friendly festivities at the Carousel Hotel, 118th Oceanfront.

### Schedule of Events

- 8:00 a.m. Early arrivals begin-staging area
- 9:00 a.m. Arrival of large parade assets
- 10:00 a.m. Final arrivals
- 11:00 a.m. Parade begins
- 12:00 p.m. Final Parade assets depart northward
- 1:00 p.m. Parade ends. Festivities begin at the Carousel Hotel





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# REGISTRATION

This document must be completed to participate in the 2024 Ocean City Christmas Parade scheduled for Saturday, December 7, 2024. Approval of the registration form by the Town grants Registrant space in the 2024 event with space accommodations set at the requested size or a modified footprint as agreed to by the Registrant and Town. Any changes or additions shall be provided by the applicant in writing, approved in writing by the Town and added as modification to the Registrant's intent. Details related to the Registrant's participation are subject to use in marketing and advertising for the event. Registrations must be received by November 18, 2024 to guarantee consideration. Registrations should be emailed to Brenda Moore, the Special Events Coordinator at bmoore@oceancitymd.gov. Please include as much detail as possible when completing the registration form. Event is subject to weather and other variables.

### 1. CONTACT INFORMATION Official Parade Entry Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant/Organization: _____	Contact Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____	Contact Address: _____
Organization Phone: _____	Contact Ofc. Phone: _____
Organization Website: _____	Contact Cell Phone: _____
# of Years in OC Parade: _____	Contact E-mail: _____

### 2. DESCRIPTION OF PARADE ENTRY Provide details about your parade entry/asset(s)/group

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

includes live/amplified music     includes use of generator     includes hand-outs to spectators

**PARKING:** We strongly urge participants to limit the number of vehicles entering the staging area or providing pick-up transport. **Participant guests may NOT park in the staging or pick-up locations.** Permits will be provided to gain access to these two locations.

### FOOTPRINT OF PARADE ASSET (WxL): \_\_\_\_\_ Special Requirement: \_\_\_\_\_

*Include secondary asset needs in consideration of parade entry width and length such as staff walking or safety zones for maneuvering.*

**# OF PARKING PERMITS:** STAGING AREA \_\_\_\_\_ PICK-UP AREA \_\_\_\_\_ *Please limit requests for named areas*

# of Oversize Vehicles \_\_\_\_\_ # of Buses \_\_\_\_\_ # of Parade Participants \_\_\_\_\_ # of Parade assets in entry \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. REGISTRANT DESCRIPTION Provide description of Registrant for use in live broadcast at Parade (promos allowed)

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\_\_\_\_\_

Town will provide additional information via email to registrant including a staging arrival schedule and details related to the post-event activities. Email shall be the primary form of communication prior to event site. The cell phone number you provide will be the on-site contact number. Registrant agrees that the information provided herein is correct. There is no rain date for event.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

