

# *82nd Annual Watermelon Jubilee Parade*

## *Guidelines & Rules*

Date: June 20, 2026

Time: 9:00am

Check in Begins 7:30am

Deadline to Enter: June 10, 2025

1. Line- Up Time: Begins at 7:30am
2. Check In: Located at the corner of 6th Street and Salmon Street, as indicated on the map. The dressing/Restroom is located in the Stockdale High School Gym.
3. Parade Formation: The parade begins and ends on 2nd Street as indicated on the attached map. Certain side and adjacent streets will also be utilized. Numbers that correlate with your assigned entry number will be painted on the street.
4. Parade Time: Parade will begin at 9:00am so that entries reach main street by 9:15am. RAIN OR SHINE!
5. Judging: Begins promptly at 9:00am. All entries must be set-up, ready, and remain in place. Judging will be based upon general appearance, ingenuity, originality, and complexity of the entry. Winners will be presented their award prior on Main Street by the announcer.
6. Licensed Drivers: All vehicles will only be driven by licensed drivers.
7. Parade Participants: Are not allowed to leave their vehicles/floats/entries to demonstrate in the street or to stop/slow the flow of the parade traffic in any way.
8. Youth Groups: Each youth group shall be represented by an adult supervisor who will be responsible for his/her group following all parade rules.
9. Safety Precautions: Please DO NOT throw any type of candy, flowers, or samples. This rule will be strictly enforced. Samples candy may be handed from your entry during the parade.
10. Holders of Political Office: They are always welcome. However, no campaigning by any parade participant will be permitted (distributing cards, banners, requesting votes, and etc.)
11. Alcoholic Beverages: No alcoholic beverages may be consumed by drivers or participants before or during the parade. If seen violating this rule during the parade the entry will be immediately removed from the parade.