

**The Oxnard Downtowners, the City of Oxnard and Community Sponsors presents the**

**Annual Oxnard Christmas Parade  
Saturday, December 4, 2010 - 10 AM**

**The 2010 theme is**

**"Christmas Around the World"**

**APPLICATIONS DUE: Tuesday, November 2**

**Instructions:** Fill out all **seven** sections of this application. See cover letter for full instructions. Incomplete applications will not be accepted. Questions? E-mail Sheila at [oxnardparade@aol.com](mailto:oxnardparade@aol.com) or call (805) 247-0197.

☀1. **Organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Eve. Phone \_\_\_\_\_

☀2. **Entry Category:** Check a category that best applies to your entry. Committee reserves the right to reassign your category based on entry description. All entries are considered "competitive." Decoration is required; expression of theme is strongly urged for consideration. High School Marching Bands use band application.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Antique Vehicles | <input type="checkbox"/> Classic Vehicle | <input type="checkbox"/> Color Guard (not with band) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial *     | <input type="checkbox"/> Equestrian *    | <input type="checkbox"/> Government                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mariachi Group   | <input type="checkbox"/> Musical Group   | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit Organization     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Novelty          | <input type="checkbox"/> Performer(s)    | <input type="checkbox"/> Service / Fraternal Groups  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School Group     | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Group     |  |

☀3. **\*Fees:** Entry fees are due for commercial entries and horses and other livestock. Entry fees will be waived for members of Oxnard Downtowners.

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|--|--------------------------|---|
| Non-profits & Member of Oxnard Downtowners | <input type="checkbox"/> | No Fee  |
| Non-member                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$25 Per Commercial Entry   |
| Vehicle(s) displaying commercial signage   | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$100 Fee for each vehicle with signage.<br>(Member and non-member; does not apply to vehicles towing non-commercial floats.) |
| Equine Entry                               | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$10 per animal cleaning fee. Fee waived if entry brings own sweeper.<br>Number of animals in entry _____                     |

Total Fees Due With Application \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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☀4. **Entry Description:**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Will your entry have music or other sound?    Yes         No

What is the source? (i.e., band, CD player, etc) \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your entry. Is it a float? Are you walking? Riding bikes? Tell the committee how you plan to express this year's theme, **Christmas Around the World**. Please be creative and accurate in your entry description. Attach additional sheet and/or drawing if needed.

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☀5. **Entry Dimensions:** This section **must** be completed. **Incomplete applications will not be accepted. Need overall length: length of float, tow vehicle, number of walkers.**

Overall length: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of walkers \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Vehicles \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Vehicle(s) (car, truck, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

**For vehicle(s): "I affirm the vehicle(s) in my entry are currently insured as required by State Law."**

**YES Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

☀6. **Narrative:** Our parade announcers need a description of your entry to read during the parade. Be creative. Print/type legibly; include participant name(s). We reserve the right to edit copy. Use another sheet if necessary.

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☀7. **Read and sign:**

**WAIVER OF LIABILITY.** I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate in the 2010 Oxnard Christmas Parade presented by the Oxnard Downtowners. I am aware that parade activities are hazardous and I am voluntarily participating in these activities with knowledge of the danger involved. I hereby agree to accept any and all risks of injury or death. This release is intended to discharge in advance the Oxnard Downtowners, its parade committee, agents, volunteers, City of Oxnard and community sponsors from any liability arising out of, or connected in any way with, my participation in said activity, even though that liability may rise out of the negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities mentioned above. I agree for myself, my heirs, sponsoring organization, administrators, executors and assigns, that I shall indemnify and hold harmless the persons and entities mentioned above and their respective elected and appointed officers, official agents and employees from any and all claims, demands, actions or suits arising out of or in connection with my participation in this event.

Contact Person Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you over 18 years of age?    Yes         No

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline for Entries:    Tuesday November 2, 2010**

**Four ways to turn in your application:**

Mail to:  
Oxnard Downtowners  
PO Box 1892  
Oxnard, CA 93032

Hand deliver to:  
Oxnard Downtowners  
445 South B Street  
Oxnard, CA 93030

Scan and Email to:  
OxnardParade@aol.com

Fax to:  
805-247-9282