

Dear Participant,

The Bourbonnais Friendship Festival invites you to participate in our 2018 Grand Parade, "Go GREEN Bourbonnais". The parade will be held on Sunday, June 24, 2018, with step off at 1:00 pm.

Applications are available at <http://www.bourbonnaisfriendshipfestival.com/>. Completed entries should include a brief description of your business or organization, that will be read as they pass the reviewing stand.

Please note the following changes for 2018:

- ❖ Entries are limited to 100. No entries will be accepted once we reach #100.
- ❖ Entries **MUST** be received by June 2, 2018. No entries will be accepted after this date, so the line up information can be released in time.
- ❖ Entries are limited to 3 motorized vehicles. The only exception to this will be the Shriners' Kamels. Any other exceptions will be at the discretion of the parade chair.
- ❖ Important guidelines will be sent along with your parade number, 2 weeks prior to the parade. We request that you share these guidelines with every person in your group. These guidelines **MUST** be followed in order to maintain safety during the line-up process. Any violations of these guidelines may result in removal from this, and future parades.

As always, parade entries should embrace the vision of the parade theme. We strive to choose fun and appropriate themes each year. This years' theme has a focus on celebrating our community and world through creating a greener planet and leaving a smaller carbon footprint. The judges are looking forward to seeing your creativity!

If you have any questions concerning the Grand Parade, Children's Parade, or the Bourbonnais Friendship Festival, please feel free to contact me directly. Please note, there is a direct email for all parade registration and questions.

Sincerely,

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Parade Chairman

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