

# 2024 PACE CHRISTMAS PARADE GUIDELINES

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**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 AT 10:00 AM**  
**(RAIN DELAY DATE: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 AT 10:00 AM)**

The following guidelines apply for organizations desiring to participate in the 2024 Pace Christmas Parade scheduled for December 7, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. in Pace.

**FLOATS:** Floats shall be decorated using a holiday theme. One adult shall be designated for each axle of the vehicle as a spotter. Each spotter is responsible for ensuring safety of the float participants, and to ensure throws are tossed appropriately to spectators. Spotters are to remain alongside the vehicle near the wheels to prevent spectators and/or participants from being struck. All spotters must be 21 years of age and must be sober for the entirety of the parade.

**PLACEMENT:** The parade committee decides placement of entries. Priority is not given to past participants or for early applications. This is a holiday themed parade, and floats shall be decorated accordingly. NO SANTAS other than decorations. Santa will be on the firetruck at the end of the parade.

**THROWS:** Throws are strongly encouraged from floats. However, they must be thrown underhanded, in a friendly manner. Any person observed improperly throwing items will be immediately removed from the parade procession. Throws must weigh 2 ounces or less and be without sharp edges. Soft stuffed animals are the exception to weight. No brochures or loose paper confetti are allowed.

**MARCHING:** Marching units are defined as a group with all participants marching to cadence in formation. For example, bands, military units, flag corps, drill teams, dance teams etc. Marching units are encouraged to perform for spectators during the parade. Can not stop for more than 30 seconds.

**MUST HAVES:** Your completed Pace Christmas Parade application must be submitted by November 20<sup>th</sup>. It must include the following:

- Your Parade Application form with signed indemnification and hold harmless agreement, and photography release.
- Vehicle Application form
- Signed Parade Guidelines
- Copy of Driver's License for each Driver
- Parade Entry fee (Check made payable to Pace Band Boosters)
- Proof of vehicle insurance and policy information

**We strongly encourage you to keep a copy of all submitted materials for your records.** Applicants will be notified regarding their acceptance and parade position by November 30<sup>th</sup>. Your organization must carry liability insurance for its own protection. If you have questions, please contact [pacechristmasparade@gmail.com](mailto:pacechristmasparade@gmail.com)

Mail this application to: Pace High School  
ATTN: Pace Band Boosters  
4065 Norris Road  
Pace, FL 32571

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_