

# DWIGHT HARVEST DAYS 2024

## PARADE PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

:: **Important Dates:**\*\* Entries Returned NO LATER THAN: Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024 \*\*

**Parade Date: Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 1:00pm**

**Theme: Thanking Our Farmers**

:: **Contact Information:** Please call or email with any questions or concerns

o Parade Chair: Melissa Haller

▪ Phone: (815) 830-1662

▪ Email: [DwightHarvestDaysParade@gmail.com](mailto:DwightHarvestDaysParade@gmail.com)

:: **Entry Submission Options:**

▪ In Person or Mail to:

Melissa Haller -Parade Chair

132 East Main Street

Dwight, IL 60420

▪ Email: [dwiththarvestdaysparade@gmail.com](mailto:dwiththarvestdaysparade@gmail.com)

▪ Text photo of app to: 815-830-1662

:: **Judging:** Entrants and Participants will be judged based on the incorporation of this theme in their entry. Incorporation is inclusive of, but not limited to: themed decorations, clothing, music, etc. The more the theme is embraced in the entry, the more fun the audience will have watching the Parade and the better your score will be. Trophies will be awarded for the top 3 entrants!

:: **Cost:** There is no cost to participate in the parade.

::**Day of:** You will check in at the VFW between 10 and noon. From there, you will get your number and go to the staging area.

PLEASE KEEP THIS SHEET FOR YOUR PERSONAL REFERENCE

# **Harvest Days Parade Entry Application**

**:: Entrant:** \_\_\_\_\_

▪ **Entrant Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

▪ **Entrant Contact Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

▪ **Entrant Contact Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**:: Entrant Category:** Check appropriate option below

o Business Float/Walkers o Organization Float/Walkers

o Antique Vehicle/ Farm Equipment o Band

o Horse Group o Vehicle

o Politician o State/County Title Holder

o Other \_\_\_\_\_

▪ Brief description of float (i.e.: number of vehicles/trailers, approximate length, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

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▪ Quick announcement for the MC (i.e. persons to mention, vehicle description, upcoming event, recent award, ad etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

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▪ Will the float/vehicle have music playing? Yes No

▪ Will promotional items be handed out? Yes No

▪ **Driver Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

▪ **Driver Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

▪ **Driver Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

By signing and/or returning this entry form the entrant agrees to hold the City of Dwight and the Harvest Days Committee harmless for any and/or all negligent or maliciously intentional acts made by any participating HD Parade entrant throughout the duration of the Parade, which includes the initial line-up time through the disbanding of the Parade.

Entrant Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

PLEASE FILL OUT AND RETURN