



KREWE OF DIONYSOS MARDI GRAS PARADE

Line up 3:30 p.m.-parade rolls at **6:00** p.m.

Staging Area: River South Commons Shopping Center (Stage Parking Lot)

GENERAL INFORMATION AND GUIDELINES

- ✓ Report to information table upon arrival for lineup information.
- ✓ All drivers must take breath test before parade. Drivers are to meet at 4:30 p.m. to be tested
- ✓ NO one may ride in the back of the trucks pulling the floats.
- ✓ Trucks pulling floats are allowed to have passengers ride in the truck but, limited to one passenger per door, for example two doors _driver and 1 passenger.
- ✓ Only parade participants are allowed in the staging area prior to the parade.
- ✓ See map for Parade Route, Return Route, Walking and Band Ending Area.
- ✓ Buses and cars are to park on the Police Jury lot located at Church & Third Street. Band members and other riders will meet there for return ride home. (See Map)
- ✓ Riders should arrive in uniform or costume (no dressing area at Shopping Center).
- ✓ Any float with children must have adult supervision at all times.
- ✓ All floats must have sides for safety purposes.
- ✓ Port-A-lets will be on site.
- ✓ Do not throw paper, boxes or other debris on parking lot. (Parade will not roll until the lot is clean).
- ✓ Masks are required for all riders. It is a Mardi Gras tradition that riders be anonymous.
- ✓ No lewd or obscene gestures or comments will be allowed (You will be removed from parade if any reports are made). This is a family-oriented parade.
- ✓ No throwing when parade is stopped. We do not want to encourage people to approach the floats.
- ✓ No throwing while on bridges. ***Do not throw trash off floats.**
- ✓ **No glass containers** are permitted in the parade. Plastic cups may be used for drinks.
- ✓ Notify a Krewe member in case of an emergency. Police will be on site.
- ✓ All vehicles must have lights; remember this is an evening parade. The more lights the better!
- ✓ Hold harmless forms must be signed by all participants and returned to information table.
- ✓ Share this information with your riders.

In the event your float is involved in an accident, ALL RIDERS must stay with float until information is taken from officer taken the report.

Let's have a safe and wonderful time... Laissez les bon temps rouler!

Rick Calvert