



DALLAS CARNIVAL MAS BAND REGISTRATION FORM BAND RULES, PROCEDURES AND GUIDELINES

- 1) Music truck and support vehicle must be in position on parade route by 1:00pm. If a Band's music truck and support vehicle are not in position on the Parade route lined up, 20 points would be deducted from the judge's final score for that band.
- 2) Band leaders will be given 25 wristbands total for masqueraders and their staff. Band leaders will be charged \$15 fee for each additional wristband. Everyone on the truck and support vehicle and masqueraders must be wearing a wristband to gain entry.
- 3) Wristbands will be issued after band registration fee has been paid in full.
- 4) If a Band fails to adhere to their designated starting position or does not move when ordered there will be a deduction of 15 points from judge's final score.
- 5) To be considered in the parade competition, costume bands must have a minimum of 15 masqueraders in full costumes and t-shirt bands must have a minimum of 25 masqueraders.
- 6) A synopsis of the presentation (summary description of the theme, sections, portrayals, color and other relevant information) must be received by 8:00pm on the date of band launch. This information must be typed and given to the band coordinator.
- 7) Band Leaders and their agent/representatives are advised that any deviation from the procedures may result in deduction of points and/or NON-PARTICIPATION in Dallas Carnival Parade.
- 8) The registration fee for t-shirt bands is \$250 and for costume bands it is \$400. All fees are non-refundable.
- 9) The parade starts at 3:00pm promptly. Bands are expected to be ready to start at this time.

We look forward to collaborating with you. Please contact us via email or phone for detailed information in the event you have any further questions.

Best Regards,

Lorraine Giddings

Band Coordinator

Dallas Carnival

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Email: masbands@dfwcarnival.com



DALLAS CARNIVAL BAND APPLICATION

MAS BAND INFORMATION (Please Print Clearly)																						
Today's Date																						
Mas Band Name																						
Band Leader Name																						
Band Leader Phone Number																						
Band Leader Email Address																						
Number of Participants																						
Road DJ/Musician																						
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I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I, MY EMPLOYEES OR VOLUNTEERS WILL NOT BE COVERED UNDER ANY OF THE SPONSOR LIABILITY INSURANCE FOR ANY INJURY INCURRED OR CAUSE AS A RESULT OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED EVENT/ACTIVITY BUT WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE THROUGH PERSONAL INSURANCE FOR ANY AND ALL MEDICAL EXPENSES INCURRED AS A RESULT OF INJURIES FROM THIS PARTICIPATION.

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I _____, give DALLAS CARNIVAL permission to use photos, video footage, and my voice taken at DALLAS CARNIVAL and related functions to be used for all promotional purposes (website, social media, magazine, flyers, posters, television, radio, etc.)

I HAVE READ ALL THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT AND UNDERSTAND THEM FULLY

DATE _____

Band Leader Signature _____

DALLAS CARNIVAL l will be professionally managed and produced. Standards of safety will be professionally and stringently enforced. This festival will be operated with the full cooperation of, and in full compliance with, all respective agencies of the City of Grand Prairie, including the Police, Sheriff, and Fire Department. All operations at this event will be licensed, insured, and will meet or exceed all governmental code requirements. Contact Lorraine Giddings (972) 814-5506 for more information.