

# Ennis 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade Entry Form

## Theme: Ropin' and Reelin'

**PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO:** Ennis Chamber of Commerce

**MAIL:** PO Box 291  
Ennis, MT 59729  
406-682-4388

**EMAIL:** info@ennischamber.com

**OR DROP OFF:** Visitors Center at 201 E. Main St., Ennis

Name of Group:	
Contact Person:	
Phone Number:	
Email Address:	
All individuals you want named in the group:	

In 50 words or less describe your group or float. This information will be used to announce you during the parade. We like to recognize the individuals, so use names when appropriate:

We appreciate your cooperation in making this parade a wonderful experience. Please read the attached Parade Entry Information.

**\*\*Please try to register your entry by June 29\*\***  
**Entries are limited to the first 85**

# Ennis 4<sup>th</sup> of July Rodeo Parade Information

**Date:** July 4, 2017

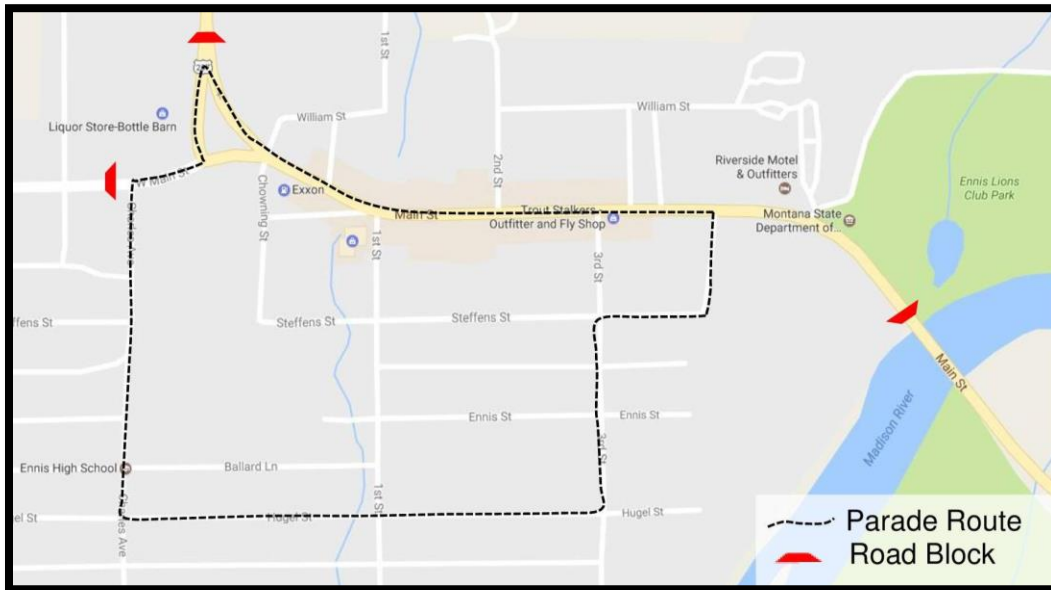
**Entries:** Limited to the first 85

**Arrival Time:** 9:00 am

**Parade Time:** 10:00 am

**Meeting Location:** Ennis High School Parking Lot

**Parade Route:** From the High School to the Nursing Home, then East on Main Street to the mortuary, turn right into mortuary parking lot, right onto Steffens, continue onto 3<sup>rd</sup> St, right onto Hugel, right onto Charles Ave, and end up back in the High School parking lot (this is a new route as of 2016).



**Restrooms:** Ennis High School Lobby

**Entry Numbers:** You will receive an entry number when you check in on the 4<sup>th</sup>. It is important that the judges and announcers can see your number at the former First Madison Valley Bank location. Your entry number does NOT indicate position; it merely identifies you with a description and name.

**Parade Order:** Your Parade entry number does not indicate position. Parade volunteer staff or Search and Rescue mounted riders will place entries in order based on safety and interest.

**Judging Criteria:** The judges are on the balcony at the former First Madison Valley Bank location.

**NO STOPPING TO PERFORM ALLOWED.**

100 points total

1. Theme – does it follow the parade theme? (25 points)
2. Originality – is it unique, imaginative, creative? (25 points)
3. Complexity – design detail and effort put forth (25 points)
4. Patriotic (25 points)

**Selection of Judges** – The judges are usually selected from RV Village. They are seasonal tourists that do not have any ties to the area, they are not members of the community.

**Local vs. Out of Town entries:** Local is considered Cameron, Jeffers, McAllister, and Ennis.

Anywhere else is considered “Out of Town”.

**Prize:** \$50 Chamber cash award to Best Local Entry and \$50 Chamber cash award to Best Out-of-Town Entry.

**Safety:** Please be conscious of vehicles, horses, and children – they don’t mix well. Please do not throw candy or trinkets. An adult must accompany children under 12.

# Release of Liability Agreement

**\*\*\*All entries are required to sign a Release of Liability Agreement\*\*\***

I/We, the undersigned (print name(s) of all individuals included in the entry)

agree to indemnify the ENNIS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE and hold it harmless from any and all loss, cost, damage, claim of damage, liability, or any injury or claim of injury to personal property of mine/ours, arising out of, or in any manner connected with, or expense arising out of my/our participation in the Ennis 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade.

I/We, by our signatures, understand and acknowledge that the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade is run by a not-for-profit corporation, and that my/our entry is entirely voluntary, and that we accept full responsibility for such participation; knowing that horses, vehicles driven by others, and other variables, will be involved in such event, and that there is a high risk potential to me/us and to my/our personal property. I/We personally accept this high-risk potential.

I/We agree to participate in this parade, and by my/our signature(s) acknowledge that I/we understand the terms of this agreement, and accept every provision herein.

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

**Signatures(s):**

**Signature of Minor's Parent. The Parent of EVERY minor must be included.**