

Wickenburg Chamber of Commerce
 216 N. Frontier Street
 Wickenburg, AZ 85390
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74th ANNUAL GOLD RUSH DAYS & SENIOR PRO RODEO

February 10-12, 2023

PARADE APPLICATION

PARADE DATE: Saturday, February 11, 2023

THEME: ~~BACK IN BLACK~~ **GOLD**

STAGING TIME: 8:30 a.m.; parade begins at 10 a.m.

ENTRY FEE: \$20, *YOUTH AND YOUTH GROUPS ARE EXEMPT FROM ENTRY FEE*

Entry Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Length of Entry: _____ (ex: 10 cars, 30' float, etc.)

ENTRY CATEGORY (for awards):

_____ Large Horse Unit (over 20) _____ Small Horse Unit (2-20)

_____ Guest Ranch Entry _____ Western Entry

_____ Animal Drawn Entry _____ Adult Group

_____ Automobile Convoy _____ **Best Theme Entry**

_____ Individual Automobile _____ Adult Color Guard

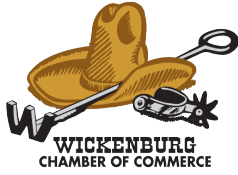
_____ Historical Entry _____ Youth Entry

_____ Church Entry _____ School Band

_____ Marching Unit _____ Royalty Division

_____ Commercial Entry _____ Wickenburg Business Entry

_____ Unique Entry



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It's that time of year again! Time to start making your plans to be part of the 2023 Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Parade. The parade will start at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 11th with over 100 entries participating. We are limiting the parade to 150 entries, so be sure to submit your application as soon as possible!

Plan on arriving in Wickenburg early on Saturday if you are traveling from the Phoenix area. Highways are congested and may cause delays in arrival. If you are planning on staying overnight, you should make hotel arrangements NOW!

This year's parade theme is **BACK IN ~~BLACK~~ GOLD**

The Mayor's Trophy, sponsored by Cox Communications, will be given to the Best Overall Entry. First Place custom leather plaques will be awarded to the winners in each category and ribbons for participating in the parade will be given to each entry. All entries are eligible for one prize. The awards will be announced in front of the Chamber office (Santa Fe Depot) on Frontier Street, 20 minutes after the parade.

ADDITIONAL RULES & INFORMATION

Alcoholic beverages are NOT ALLOWED in the staging areas or on the parade route.

It is prohibited to throw candy or anything to the crowds along the parade route.

If you are a performing group, you must perform on the parade route **WITHOUT** interrupting the forward motion of the parade. You may stop for a short performance by the Judges table on Frontier Street.

HORSE GROUPS: Make sure you have reserved your space with property owners when traveling ahead of parade date. There have been many changes in our community and overnight camping in residential areas is prohibited.

Entries must be submitted by January 31, 2023. Please fill out the attached waiver and type or attach your script sheet.

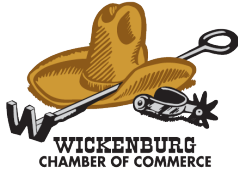
SEND YOUR ENTRY FORM TO:

- Wickenburg Chamber of Commerce, 216 N. Frontier Street, Wickenburg, Arizona 85390
- Or email to events@wickenburgchamber.com

Make checks payable to WICKENBURG CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

We will send you your parade position and confirmation by February 3, 2023.

Wickenburg Chamber of Commerce reserves the right of refusal of any entry and the right of final placement of all entries into the parade.



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GOLD RUSH PARADE ENTRY WAIVER - PLEASE SIGN BELOW

I, acknowledge that this and other events may be dangerous and may result in serious property damage, personal injury and/or any other claims arising out of my participation in the Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Parade.

In consideration of the acceptance of my application and being fully aware that my participation in the Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Parade contest, parade or any other part of the Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Parade is dangerous. I hereby release the following from any and all liability for property damage, personal injury, and/or any other claims arising out of my participation in the Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Parade. The Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Committee, Town of Wickenburg, all sponsors of the Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Parade, and any such entities, affiliated, related or subsidiary companies, as well as such entities, insurance representative, insurers, directors, officers, employees, representatives, agents, and assigns.

Furthermore, myself, spouse, dependents, representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns shall not prosecute, directly or indirectly, now or at any time in the future, any action, suit or proceeding arising from any injury, loss, or damage, suffered by me, or them regardless of cause, against the before mentioned entities during the contests, parade, or any other part of the Wickenburg Gold Rush Days Parade.

I HAVE READ, SIGNED, DATED AND AGREED TO THE CONDITIONS OF THIS CONTRACT.

PARTICIPANTS PRINTED NAME

PARTICIPANTS SIGNATURE

WITNESS

DATE

PHONE NUMBER

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT NECESSARY IF UNDERAGE

PARENT/GUARDIAN PRINTED NAME

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

WITNESS

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PHONE NUMBER

PHYSICIAN

PHONE

ADDRESS

PREFERRED HOSPITAL

INSURANCE PLAN AND NUMBER



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PARADE SCRIPT

This is the information that the announcers will read as your entry passes by each announcer stand. You can include information about your organization, float, etc. Remember that each entry has a limited time in front of each announcer stand. The announcers will read as much of your script as time allows, so include the most important information within the first 2-4 sentences.

Please include your script here or attach a separate sheet: