

Dear Friend,

Greetings! The 27th annual Ligonier Marshmallow Festival is scheduled for Friday, August 31st through Monday, September 3rd, 2017. This event always features lots of fun, entertainment, activities, rides, food, and much more.

THE 2018 GRAND PARADE WILL BE ON LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd at 2pm.

This year's theme is "A Galaxy of Marshmallows". Have fun using your creativity and imagination!

The entries will be judged accordingly and winners will receive **cash** awards for '**Best Of**' the following 8 categories:

Use of Theme, Grand Marshal's Choice, Commercial, Organization/Neighborhood entry, Antique Auto, Antique Tractor, Horse and Pony/Animal, and Walking Unit entries

Entry deadline: 12:00 p.m. noon on Saturday September 1st (no exceptions)

Submit your Entry form and Waiver form:

Via mail:	Ligonier Marshmallow Festival, PO Box 283 Ligonier, IN 46767,
Via email:	Donna Schwartz Jdschwartz3@gmail.com
Drop off:	H&R Block – Ligonier 1430 Lincolnway S Ste 1 Ligonier, IN 46767

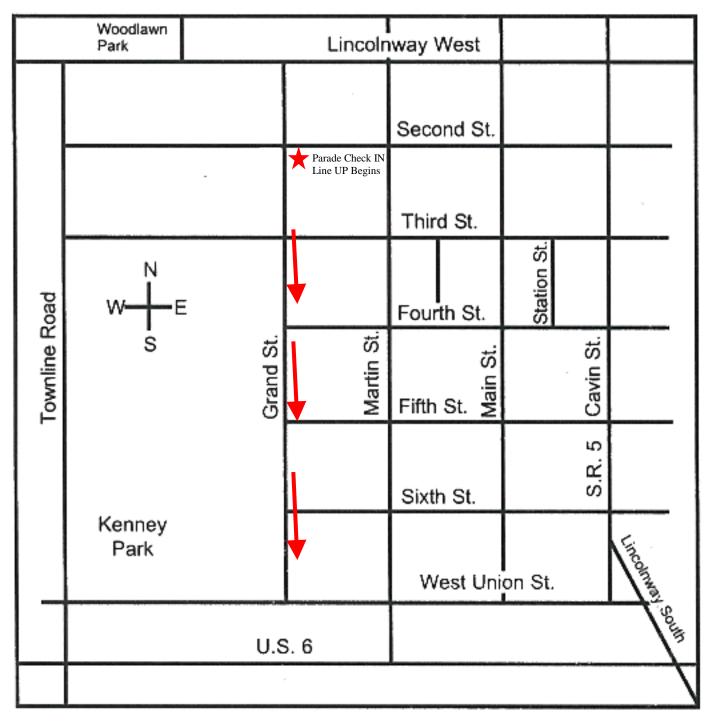
****** Print legibly or type. Please plan to arrive early for line-up and check in at the registration table. Winners will be announced at the grandstand shortly after the parade.

If you have any questions, please call Donna Schwartz at 574-993-1924 or email jdschwartz3@gmail.com.

Sincerely, Ligonier Marshmallow Festival Committee



Ligonier Marshmallow Festival, Inc.



Lineup will start promptly at 12:00pm on Grand Street. Please enter from Lincolnway West as someone from the festival committee will be there to sign you in and direct you to your spot. Do NOT try to enter from Union Street as that will be closed off and also very difficult to get you turned around. FFA tractors and Fire trucks should park at West Noble Primary as always. If you have any questions, please call Donna Schwartz at 574-993-1924 or email jdschwartz3@gmail.com

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LIGONIER MARSHMALLOW FESTIVAL PARADE WAIVER

Rules and Regulations:

- 1. The festival committee reserves the right to deny parade participation to any individual or group found to be harassing or endangering other participants or spectators.
- 2. Entries must include completed form, completed waiver & description. Incomplete entries will not be accepted
- 3. Entries are limited to 200 feet in length.
- 4. Animal entries <u>MUST</u> provide clean- up or you will be dismissed/disqualified.
- 5. NO candy, balloons, brochures, etc. are to be thrown from a moving vehicle. If you are handing out something, please walk along the curb.
- 6. We need to keep moving so please DO NOT STOP along the parade route to dismount participants or disassemble entries. Lineup will start promptly at 12:00 pm on Grand Street.
- 7. Any performances at the judge's stand, please limit to no more than 4-minutes including set up. Please have all music marked, cued and at the stage for the DJ before the parade. Also, don't forget to pick up your music.
- 8. Please enter from Lincolnway West (see map on back). At the end of the parade, entries are to continue on Third Street to Grand Street to dismount or disassemble.
- 9. In order to make the parade line-up run smoothly, we will need to know the length & height of your entry for staging purposes. You will find a place on your entry form to mark this information. If you do not mark your entry form AND you do not include a contact number, your entry will be placed at the end of the parade line.
- 10. Deadline for your entry form and waiver form is Saturday September 2nd at 12:00 pm, noon.

RELEASE AND WAIVER MUST BE SIGNED TO PARTICIPATE

I______, in consideration for permission and authority to participate in and be a part of the Ligonier Marshmallow Festival Parade, do hereby release, waive any discharge in connection with my/our participation in the parade. I knowingly entered into the agreement and understand the significance and consequences. I understand that as a participant in the parade, I can be injured by a fall, actions and inactions of other parade participants or bystanders, imperfections in the streets, sidewalks or curbs, hazards from motorized vehicles, and all other hazards. I enter into this release and waiver on behalf of myself and my heirs, descendants, ancestors, dependents, executors, administrator and assigns.

IT IS MY SPECIFIC INTENT TO RELEASE LIGONIER MARSHMALLOW FESTIVAL, INC. FROM ANY LIABILITY WHAT SO EVER IN CONNECTION WITH ANYONE AND/OR MYSELF IN MY GROUP IN THE PARADE.

Dated this _____day of _____20____

Signed: _____

Thank you for your participation in this year's festival!!!!!!!

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PLEASE MAIL FORM TO:

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Email form to:

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2018 PARADE ENTRY FORM

Parade Theme - "A Galaxy of Marshmallows"

Organization Name	
Contact Person	
Address	
Home Phone	Cell Phone
Email Address	
Length of Entry (limited to 200 Feet)	

Description (must accompany entry) this will be announced as you approach the stage. **LIMITED TO 60 WORDS.

(Please print or type)

Categories (please circle one)

Commercial

Organizational/Neighborhood

Antique Auto

Antique Tractor

Horse & Pony/Animal

Walking Unit

Deadline to submit entry is **Saturday, September 1, 2018 by 12:00pm (no exceptions)** If you have any questions, please call Donna Schwartz at 574-993-1924 or email jdschwartz3@gmail.com

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