

Dear Friend,

Greetings! The 28th annual Ligonier Marshmallow Festival is scheduled for Friday, August 30th through Monday, September 2nd, 2019. This event always features lots of fun, entertainment, activities, rides, food, and much more.

THE 2019 GRAND PARADE WILL BE ON LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd at 2pm.

This year's theme is "A Galaxy of Marshmallows...Take Two!". 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 August 31st (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	

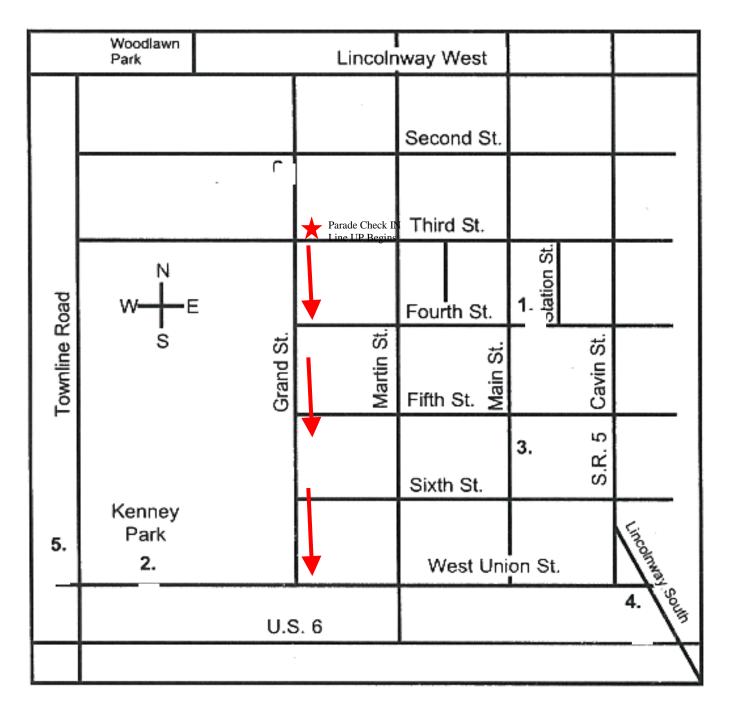
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If you have any questions about the parade, please call/text Donna Schwartz at 574-993-1924 or email <u>jdschwartz3@gmail.com</u>. If you have Festival questions, please contact the committee at <u>ligoniermarshmallowfestival@gmail.com</u>.

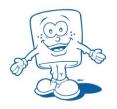
Sincerely, Ligonier Marshmallow Festival Committee



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 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 <u>jdschwartz3@gmail.com</u>



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. 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!!!!!!!PLEASE MAIL FORM TO:Email form to:Ligonier Marshmallow Festivaljdschwartz3@gmail.comP O Box 283Drop form at:Ligonier IN 46767H&R Block-Ligonier



2019 PARADE ENTRY FORM

Parade Theme – "A Galaxy of Marshmallows...Take Two!!"

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)

O - Commercial	O - Organizational/N	O - Organizational/Neighborhood	
	O – Use of Theme	O – Grand Marshall's Cho	ice
O - Antique Tractor	O - Horse & Pony/A	O - Horse & Pony/Animal	

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