



June 18th, 2024

Greetings from Worthington, Minnesota:

The King Turkey Day Board of Directors would like to invite you to participate in the 85th Annual King Turkey Day Celebration. The parade is scheduled for Saturday, September 14th, 2024, starting at 2:00 p.m.

There will be a float competition with awards given away for the top 3 entries. The theme will be *There's No Place Like Home*.

Enclosed is an entry form. **Please return the form by Thursday, August 1st.** Entries submitted after the deadline will pay a \$15.00 late fee in addition to the entry fee.

The King Turkey Day Board of Directors has created required guidelines to make this the most successful, safe and fun parade.

- All politicians are encouraged to ride in their vehicles. Should you walk, your vehicle must keep moving.
- All entries are limited to 3 units per paid registration. *Exceptions would be shrine /other entertainment units.
- Tractors are allowed if they are less than 100 hp, two-wheel drive, & not duals. Antique tractors are allowed.
- Please include a copy of Certificate of Insurance, if applicable.

- **No candy is to be thrown from the unit itself. For safety reasons, please walk along the curb and toss the candy to the children.**
- **Anyone handing out candy or other items needs to keep up with your parade entry**
- **There have been conversations about the abundance of candy, and we would encourage parade entries to consider alternative giveaways. Thank you!**

This year's entry fees are as follows:

Non-Profit or Civic Group Entry	No fee required.
Paycheck, Honorary & Turk of the Town Sponsors	No fee required
Business or Commercial Entries	\$50.00
Political Entries	\$50.00

Please make checks payable to King Turkey Day

All fees must accompany the entry forms. *No one will be scheduled without payment.

You will receive your lineup information and instructions one week prior to the event via email. *Please provide an email address on your parade entry form. If you are no longer the contact person or no longer participating in area parades, please notify Forward Worthington (formerly the Chamber of Commerce) at 507-372-2919, so that the mailing list can be updated.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Jessica Noble at 507-360-9401 or Anna Mahlberg at 507-360-7491.

Sincerely,

KTD Parade Committee