Yadkin Valley Christmas Parade

Please complete the form to participate in the 2026 Yadkin Valley Christmas Parade on Sunday, December 13th, 2026. Once completed hand-deliver or mail application and registration fee to Yadkin Valley Chamber 257 Standard Street, Elkin, NC 28621.

Beginning at 3:00 pm line -up will be at the old bowling alley parking lot-200 S. Bridge Street, Jonesville, NC. Individuals leaving their vehicles to ride on floats or dropping off can park across the road in the Habitat for Humanity Restore parking lot-225 S. Bridge Street, Jonesville, NC. The parade will commence at 5:00 pm and end in the student parking lot at Elkin Middle School-300 Elk Spur St, Elkin, NC.

1. Parade Rules and Regulations:

For the 2025 Yadkin Valley Christmas parade, a list of rules and regulations are provided for each entry to abide by. The Parade Committee holds the right to remove any entry from the parade that does not abide by rules and regulations set out below.

The theme of the parade shall be ***"Parade of Lights***". All entries shall represent, to the best of their ability, a Christmas theme. This should be done through float décor, Christmas sweaters, etc. Be creative and represent what the season means to you.

Any float that consists of performers (dance, song, instruments, etc.) should have a routine and performing on their float, or while walking.

Judges will be placed throughout the parade route. Be sure to showcase your skills through song, dance, instrumentation, etc. during the entire route.

Applications are due no later than Thursday, December 10th, 2026. Any entry that does not have an application submitted prior to the deadline must contact the Yadkin Valley Chamber of Commerce 336-526-1111.

CONDITIONS AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY: The Yadkin Valley Chamber of Commerce, Town of Jonesville and Town of Elkin reserve the right to reject any application. By signing below I agree to indemnify, defend and forever save and hold harmless the Yadkin Valley Chamber of Commerce, Town of Jonesville and Town of Elkin and its affiliate and related entities, and their respective principals, shareholders, members, partners, officers, directors, employees, representatives, tenants, agents, contractors and volunteers from and against any and all damages, claims, losses, demands, costs, expenses (including attorneys' fees and costs) obligations, liens, actions and causes of action, threatened or actual which any one of the aforementioned parties may suffer or incur arising directly or indirectly out of or in connection with the provision of the products and services or the failure of anyone to provide the products and services in accordance with the terms of this agreement, except to the extent arising from the direct negligence or willful misconduct of any of the above. The foregoing indemnification shall survive any termination or the expiration of the term of this agreement. As well, I hereby grant full permission to the event organizers and/or agents authorized by them to use any photographs, videotape, recordings, or any other record of the event for any legitimate purpose. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the event as posted, announced, or otherwise presented. I certify that I have read this assumption of risk and liability waiver form, understand its significance, and sign it freely and voluntarily.

☐ I accept the Conditions and Waiver of Liability

2. **Business/Organization Information:**
   Name of business(s)/organization(s) or individual:
   _____

3. Contact Person Name: _____
   Phone:_____ Email: _____

4. Professional Floats will not be available for rent this year. We apologize for this inconvenience.

FEE SCHEDULE:

The registration fee is due with your application.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO YADKIN VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE – Check One Below

___ School, Church, Non-Profit - $10.00 **Emergency Vehicle** – No Charge
___ Large Vehicle with or without trailer - **$35.00**
___ Cruise Car/Golf Cart/Motorcycle/Small Vehicles/Etc. - $15.00
___ Vehicle Groups or Vehicle Clubs - $10.00 per Unit

All entry fees must be paid by CASH or CHECK

Anyone not pre-registered will be required to pay or not participate.

This is a rain or shine event; refunds will not be given for inclement weather unless otherwise noted by the Parade Committee.

I have read and agree to the rules and regulations set forth:

_____ Date:_____
Signature

Parade Committee

Yadkin Valley Chamber of Commerce 336-526-1111/info@yadkinvalley.org

Laura Gaylord – Town of Elkin 336-258-8900/communitymanager@elikinnc.org

Wendy Thompson – Town of Jonesville 336-835-3426/wthompson@townofjonesvillenc.com

For any questions or concerns, please contact one of the above at the number/ e-mail listed.