

2007 OVERBROOK OSAGE COUNTY FAIR PARADE

Friday, August 10
Saturday, August 11

June 22, 2007

Greetings From Overbrook, Kansas

It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm that we announce the dates and the theme of the "Almost-World-Famous" Overbrook Parade. This year's parade will be at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, August 10 and 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 11. We appreciate your assistance in our on-going effort to make our parade "world-famous". The theme this year is:

America's National Parks!

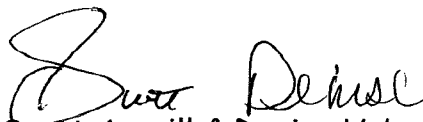
Both the parade and float rules are enclosed on the reverse side. Please note that all entries need to be called, e-mailed or snail-mailed to Scott Averill or Denise Hoback at Brookside Retirement Community (785-665-7124) or (785-224-3453) by Monday, August 6th. Please fill out the enclosed entry form and mail or drop it off at Brookside Retirement Community, 700 W. 7th Street, Overbrook, Kansas, 66524 or fax to 785-665-7277; sgaverill@hotmail.com If you use e-mail, be sure to include ALL requested information.

PLEASE NOTE: We are again offering "Special Entertainment Cash Awards": 1st - \$500; 2nd - \$200; 3rd - \$100.00 They will be awarded both nights to the group or individual who provides the *Best Entertainment* while they march in the parade. The same group or individual can win both nights. Criteria will be: creativity, enthusiasm and crowd response. A panel of judges comprised of a resident from Brookside Retirement Community along with other impartial and unbiased individuals will select the winner each night.

We encourage participating schools to bring flag corps, cheerleaders, drum lines and drill teams. All participating groups are eligible for the cash awards.

We appreciate your ongoing support and we are thrilled with the prospect of you joining us in our on-going endeavor to make Overbrook's parade "World Famous!"

SEE YOU IN AUGUST!



Parade Co-Chairpersons: Scott Averill & Denise Hoback

Parade rules and award information are on reverse side

SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT SPONSORS

Brookside Retirement Community, O'Bryhim's Thriftway, Kansas State Bank;
First Security Bank, Overbrook Fair Board and Wheat State Pizza

OVERBROOK FAIR PARADE 2007

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THEME: AMERICA'S NATIONAL PARKS

GENERAL RULES

- o Please, nothing is to be thrown from vehicles during the parade.
- o Registration: entries must be received or called in to a Co-Chairperson by Monday, August 6th.
- o Designate category and title when registering a float.
- o Schedule: Parade starts at 6:30 Friday the 10th and 6:00 Saturday the 11th.
- o Floats must be on Market, west of Maple at least 30 minutes before parade time.
- o Entries of political nature must pay a parade chairperson before parade, \$15.00 for one night or \$20.00 for two nights.
- o Fair Board representatives will review all entries each night before parade time and reserves the right to refuse any entry.

RULES FOR FLOAT ENTRIES

1. Any vehicle 8 feet or longer, appropriately decorated and carrying out the theme will be considered a float.
2. No sign or other identification of sponsor will be allowed on floats during parade on Friday.
3. No two floats with the same portrayal of the theme will be allowed in the same category.
4. All floats must participate in the parade **BOTH** nights to be eligible for prize money.
5. Only floats following the theme are allowed in the parade.
6. No entry will be eligible for more than one prize.
7. No limit to number of entries by an organization.
8. No club or organization will be allowed to use the theme, basic idea or set design from the previous year.

The following points will be considered by judges when awarding prizes:

THEME PORTRAYAL:	10 Points	NEATNESS & ARTISTRY:	10 Points
COLOR SCHEME:	10 Points	SKIRT DESIGN & ARRANGEMENT:	10 Points

AWARD INFORMATION

	<u>BEAUTIFUL</u>	<u>COMIC</u>	<u>REALISTIC</u>	<u>4-H</u>
First Prize:	\$50.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
Second Prize:	\$45.00	\$35.00	\$35.00	\$35.00
Third Prize:	\$40.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00
All other Floats:	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00

MINI FLOATS

Any vehicle under 8 feet (Small trailers, golf carts, etc.)

These must follow float rules with exception of skirt.

First Prize:	\$20.00	Second Prize:	\$15.00	Third Prize:	\$10.00
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BEST ENTERTAINMENT

The individual or group who "best entertains" the crowd while marching in the parade will be eligible for the following "cash" awards each night: 1st - \$500 2nd - \$200 3rd - \$100. The same group or individual can win both nights!! Criteria will be creativity, enthusiasm and crowd response.

CHILDREN IN THE PARADE

Children can walk in the parade on BOTH FRIDAY & SATURDAY. They will follow the COLOR GUARD. Assemble at the Overbrook Clinic parking lot no later than 6:00 p.m.