



Miles City Jaycees  
Parade Committee  
C/O Chamber of Commerce  
511 Pleasant Street  
Miles City, MT 59301

Howdy Friends:

This is your invitation to participate in the parade conducted by the Miles City Jaycees during the World Famous Bucking Horse Sale, May 16, 2015.

This will be the 65th anniversary of the Miles City Bucking Horse Sale, so come and enjoy the celebration May 14-17, 2015.

The Bucking Horse Sale parade will start at 9:30am on May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015, and will feature drill teams, floats, antique cars, antique machinery, marching bands, western stage coaches, wagons, horse mounted units, etc.

The entry fee is \$10.00 per unit (car/float/team/tractor).

Cash awards will be given in eight categories with the first prize of \$50.00 and second prize of \$25.00 in each category. An overall grand prize of \$100.00 will also be awarded!

An entry form and other information is enclosed. The Miles City Jaycees request that you pre-register if you wish to participate in the parade. You may mail or deliver your registration to:

Miles City Chamber  
511 Pleasant Street  
Miles City, MT 59301

The theme for this year's parade is "**Bulls, Barrels and Broncs**"

Sincerely Yours,

Miles City Jaycees Parade Committee

# Join the Parade

2015 Parade Theme  
"Bulls, Barrels and Broncs"

Name of Group or Individual \_\_\_\_\_

Number of People in Group \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Entry (See Category Descriptions) \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

We have enclosed a Check (Payable to Miles City Jaycees) Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Fee is \$10.00 per Unit**  
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## 2015 BHS Parade Guidelines

All entry forms may be returned to:

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As the entry forms are returned, we will assign a number and return it to the participant. This number will be made by the owner of the entry and placed on the left hand side of the entry. Each entry must have a number large enough to be seen by the judging platform which will be located on the south side of Main Street.

All entries will start lining up at 8:30am on designated streets. Streets to be waiting on before the parade are as follows:

Bridge Street – Floats  
Fort Street – Cars, Motorcycles, etc.  
Park Street – Horses and Animals  
Pacific Avenue – Tractors and Commercial Vehicles  
Riverside Park – All walking units assemble in the park

**South Fifth Street must be left CLEAR** – This enables all entries to turn into position without congestion

1. The parade will travel east down Main Street to Montana Avenue, then turn left onto North 12<sup>th</sup> Street for one block, turn left onto Pleasant Street and proceed to North 4<sup>th</sup> Street to end the parade. All entries must leave North 4<sup>th</sup> Street as soon as possible so the rest of the parade can flow through.
2. Try to make sure that everything on your float or automobile is in good working condition. Also, be sure to be at the line-up streets on time, this helps everyone have a better parade. Marching units are requested to have a forward moving routine to facilitate a smooth flowing parade. We hope that all entries will approve of the order on placement, as it is difficult to line everyone up ahead of time. Any unit planning to incorporate loud noises (bull whips, horns, music) please inform the person lining up the floats beforehand so that you may be placed accordingly.
3. Entrants wishing to distribute candy or toys are asked to do so by hand with **NO THROWING** into the crowd. This is because of the danger of children who may run into the street in front of units to retrieve the candy.
4. The Theme for this year's parade is “ **Bulls, Barrels and Broncs**”

2015 Bucking Horse Sale Parade  
Entry Categories

**1. Floats – Motor Driven & Pull Type**

Judges will judge on

- a. How closely the float follows parade theme
- b. The originality of the float
- c. The amount of construction of the float
- d. How well the float was put together (arrangement)
- e. The quantity of colors used to represent the them
- f. The relative size of the float
- g. Floats built from scratch are worth more points than floats that are just decorated. (An example is where a setting is built using wire and tissue, as opposed to a setting that is pre-manufactured and placed on top of a flat be trailer. Both are good ways to build a float, but credit is given to the more complicated.)

**2. Marching units**

Judges will judge on

- a. Music which resembles the theme of the parade
- b. Clothing which group members wear (Resembles theme)
- c. The execution of the marching throughout the parade – must have a forward marching routine
- d. Type of routine the drill team performs
- e. Keeping the form of the lines even and orderly

**3. Equestrian (Horse Mounted Units)**

Judges will judge on

- a. Grooming of horses
- b. Type of equipment the horse carries (saddles, blinders, blankets, etc.)
- c. How well the horses behave to riders commands
- d. Types of horse (Pure-breed, etc.)

**4. Horse or Animal Pulled Units (Wagons, Coaches, etc.)**

Judges will judge on

- a. Grooming of horses
- b. Type of equipment the horse carries (saddles, blinders, blankets, etc.)
- c. How well the horses behave to riders commands
- d. Types of horse (Pure-breed, etc.)
- e. Decorations based on parade theme

**5. Sports Cars/ Street Rods**

Judges will judge on

- a. How well the car is kept up
- b. Age of the car
- c. Original Body
- d. Type of Tires and Rims
- e. Detailing of the car
- f. Size of Engine

**6. Antique Cars – 1949 and Older**

Judges will judge on

- a. Age of car (oldest has precedence)
- b. How well the car has been kept up
- c. Was the car restored (a history of car helps)
- d. Original Body and Interior
- e. Original Engine

**7. Farm Equipment & Commercial Units**

**8. Miscellaneous & Political**