

General Information

Greater Issaquah Chamber proudly presents the Salmon Days Parade 10:00 am, Saturday, October 4, 2025 Entry Deadline: Friday, Sep. 12th

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

- No entry fee is required on applications submitted on or before September 12, 2025
- Applications received after the deadline will be required to pay a late fee of \$150.00
- Applications can be completed online <u>here</u>.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- The Greater Issaquah Chamber must approve all entries.
- Entries must observe all applicable rules and regulations and follow all instructions from law enforcement and parade officials. The Parade Committee, Issaquah Salmon Days Festival, and the Greater Issaquah Chamber of Commerce reserve the right to remove any entrant from the parade, prior to assembly, at assembly, or at any time during the parade.
- No items may be tossed or thrown out along the parade route for safety purposes. However, parade participants <u>may hand out items</u>, **including wrapped candy**, to parade spectators.
- **<u>NO Balloons</u>** of any size or type are allowed in the Parade
- Parade participants may not mingle with or accost parade route spectators.
- No items may be sold along the parade route.
- Marching units are permitted only forward movement maneuvers. All units are required to close the gap between units when instructed by the parade officials.
- Alcoholic beverages, vaping, or smoking are forbidden. Participants consuming alcohol prior to or during the parade will be removed from the lineup.
- Participants are responsible for their travel and lodging expenses, food, etc.
- All children in the Parade must be under the direct control and supervision of an adult(s).
- Parade participants must ensure they conform to the State's RCW49.60.030 Freedom from Discrimination law and that there is no posting, wearing of, or use of items that violate the anti-hate crime laws.
- A Certificate of Liability Insurance is needed and must be mailed to the Chamber Office. The Greater Issaquah Chamber of Commerce and Salmon Days Festival must be listed as additionally insured with a \$1,000,000 or greater liability.
- Entries with animals must ensure the animals are under control via leash and/or direct physical control. Animals must be comfortable around crowds and other animals. Owners are responsible for cleanup after their animals.

BAND, MARCHING & PERFORMING UNIT REQUIREMENTS

- All entries must be in full uniform.
- If a gap of 50 feet is created for any reason, bands, performance groups, and all other entries must increase their pace to maintain the maximum 50 foot gap.
- Marching bands must maintain a forward motion; no stopping or reverse motion will be allowed on the route.
- Entries may stop in front of the Announcer's Area and perform for a maximum of 60 seconds

PARADE ENTRY CATEGORIES

- Adult Sports/Wellness
- Animal Group
- Cheerleaders
- Civic Organizations
- Color Guard
- Community Business/Organizations
- Dance Team (school)
- Drill Team
- Marching Band High School
- Marching Band Middle School
- Military Marching Unit
- Military Marching Band
- Non-Profit Community Organizations
- Performance Groups
- Political Representative or Group
- Youth Groups
- Youth Sports
- Other