



## **PARADE JUDGING CRITERIA 2023**

The panel of judges will base their decision on the following.

\_\_\_\_\_ **A. OVERALL APPEARANCE: 15%** (Give a rating 1-15 (15 is the highest))

This is based on how the whole float looks.

\_\_\_\_\_ **B. CRAFTSMANSHIP: 15%** (Give a rating 1-15 (15 is the highest))

The design, with all its ideas, is one part of quality; the other part is craftsmanship. The score will depend on neatness, solid construction, the proper working of parts and achievement of detail.

\_\_\_\_\_ **C. ORIGINALITY: 15%** (Give a rating 1-15 (15 is the highest))

Style, presentation, overall appearance, audience response and originality

\_\_\_\_\_ **D. ANIMATION AND SPECIAL EFFECTS: 20%** (Give a rating 1-20 (20 is the highest))

These criteria deal with anything on the float that adds to the total effect of the float. Motion and sound are examples of special effects.

\_\_\_\_\_ **E. TITLE AND THEME: 15%** (Give a rating 1-15 (15 is the highest))

This is the basic idea of the float. By making the basic idea and title conform to the Parade Theme. It will be adding to the unity of the parade. The other judging criteria measures how well this basic idea is developed.

\_\_\_\_\_ **D. PUBLIC APPEAL: 20%** (Give a rating 1-20 (20 is the highest))

Public appeal is the enjoyment of the float by the audience. People in our audience are of different age groups and of different backgrounds. Quality in all the first seven criteria will affect their enjoyment.