



# PARADE APPLICATION

## 2023 Claxton Rattlesnake & Wildlife Parade

Saturday, March 11, 2023, 10:00 a.m.

Parade Line-Up Begins at 8:30 a.m.

**Deadline for Applications – March 6, 2023**

Organization/Church/School/ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Queen Name & Title \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Float \_\_\_\_\_ Car/Truck \_\_\_\_\_ Walking Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Mule/Golf Cart \_\_\_\_\_ Horse

\_\_\_\_\_ Other (Please Describe) \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Parade Entry: (use additional sheet if necessary)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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I hereby assume responsibility and liability for any and all injury, damage, or other mishaps associated with my participation, or my minor child's participation, during the 2023 Claxton Rattlesnake & Wildlife Parade, including inherent risks of contracting COVID-19. I certify that I have read and understand the attached Parade Rules and Guidelines and agree to abide by same.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parade Participant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian (for minor child)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Return Completed Application by March 6 to:**

Claxton-Evans County Chamber of Commerce  
Rattlesnake & Wildlife Festival Parade  
302 W Railroad Street  
Claxton, GA 30417  
Email: [info@claxtonevanschamber.com](mailto:info@claxtonevanschamber.com)  
FAX: (912) 739-3827



## 2023 Claxton Rattlesnake & Wildlife Parade Rules, Guidelines, and Route Information

*Saturday, March 11, 2023*

Parade application with signature must be on file with the Evans County Wildlife Club/Parade Committee **PRIOR** to the start of the parade. Entries without a signed application will not be allowed to participate – no exceptions.

Application deadline is noon, Monday, March 6, 2023.

Parade units need to be clearly identified. Please ensure your entry in the parade displays your business, church, school, organization, etc. name.

Judging criteria (for float entries) includes creativity, originality, use of theme, spirit, and overall appearance. Parade judges will be appointed by the Parade Committee.

Cash prizes will be awarded to the 1<sup>st</sup> (\$300); 2<sup>nd</sup> (\$150); and 3<sup>rd</sup> (\$75) place float winners.

Entries other than a float (walking units, golf carts, automobiles, etc.) are welcome and permitted; however, will not be judged for prizes.

Drivers of 4-wheelers must wear helmets – no exceptions.

All drivers must be lawfully licensed and possess automobile insurance, in effect, on the date of the 2023 Rattlesnake & Wildlife Parade, scheduled for March 11, 2023. Please be prepared to show proof of insurance coverage during parade line-up. Drivers of all vehicles must abide by ALL traffic laws.

Drivers and responsible parties agree to immediately notify Larry Saylor, (912) 334-2114 or Tammi R. Hall, (912) 282-2789, in the event of any accident or injury incurred during participation in the 2023 Rattlesnake & Wildlife Parade.

If your group is performing during the parade, please ensure your performance does not impede the parade procession.

Parade line-up will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the area of the Evans County Board of Commissioners Administrative Building and the Evans County Public Library (Clark Street and James Street). All parade entries must be in place by 9:45 am.

You will be provided, via email or text, your line-up position number after the application deadline has passed. Parade officials will also be on hand at parade line-up to assist you.

Parade begins promptly at 10:00 a.m. at the intersection of Clark Street and Hwy 280 West (between the Evans County Public Library and Evans County Board of Commissioners Administrative Building).

Parade ends at the Claxton Square/Food Fresh Shopping Center (403 N Duval Street). You are responsible for providing transportation to return to the starting point of the parade.

**Parade Route:**

From the intersection of Clark Street and Hwy 280 (Evans County Public Library), turn left (East) onto Highway 280 /Main Street; travel 0.7 miles.

Turn left (North) onto Hwy 301 at the Hwy 280/Hwy 301 intersection; travel 0.7 miles.

Parade ends at the Claxton Square/Food Fresh Shopping Center.

Total Distance: 1.4 miles

Thank you for your interest in participating in the 2023 Claxton Rattlesnake and Wildlife Parade. If you have any questions regarding your parade entry, please contact Tammi R. Hall, (912) 282-2789.