

September 14 - 15, 2018

Dear Friends:

We cordially invite you to participate in our <u>Annual Karnes City Rotary Lonesome Dove Fest Parade</u>, which will be held on **Saturday, September 15, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. in downtown Karnes City**. This event is held in conjunction with this year's <u>25th ~Silver~ Anniversary Lonesome Dove Fest</u> that will be held at the Karnes County Youth Show grounds September 14th & 15th. The Lonesome Dove Fest includes youth day on Friday (closed to general public) and two days (Friday evening and all day Saturday) of activities for everyone including vendors, exhibits, games, entertainment, and more! This year's event is one week earlier than usual so please indicate the earlier date on your calendar. *********

For the Annual Karnes City Rotary Lonesome Dove Parade, awards will be given in the following categories: Local floats, Chamber of Commerce/Out of Town, Antique or Decorated Cars, Civic Organization/Club/Church, or Other. A Grand Prize & Reserve Grand Prize trophy will be awarded to the best entries. This year's parade and LDF celebration will have the theme of <u>Silver and/or 25th Anniversary</u> so we encourage you to decorate as such! We highly encourage music. Check in will start at 8:00 a.m. in front of the Karnes City Library at 302 S. Panna Maria Avenue, Karnes City, Texas 78118. No one will be at the library for check in BEFORE 8:00 a.m., so please don't expect to check in early, though you can start putting together your float or entry before 8:00 a.m. if you desire. Judging will begin promptly at 9:00 a.m. If you are not in place by 9:00 a.m. you will not be judged.

You have been a very important part of our parade in the past and your entry this year will be greatly appreciated. Help us celebrate this special event by your participation. Our goal this year is to have 100 entries in our parade!

The parade line-up will **NOT** be available before the day of the parade so please **check in at the library** to get your lineup number. Every parade entry is required to check in the morning of the parade in front of the Karnes City Library so we know you are there and so we can give you the number to place on your vehicle or entry for our announcer to know who is going in front of him as he announces your information. For the safety of the crowd, especially children, NOTHING (candy, giveaways, and etcetera) CAN BE THROWN FROM THE FLOATS OR PARADE VEHICLES, please.

If you require any additional information please contact me at 210-906-4083.

Thank you, Lavonne C. Murphy-Guzman

Lavonne C. Murphy-Guzman, MBA, LNFA Lonesome Dove Fest 2018 Parade Chairman



Annual Lonesome Dove Fest Parade Entry Form -September 15, 2018

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Name of Organization or Sponsor:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip Code:	
Email:	
Phone:	
PARADE DIVISION: Please CHECK the parade division in which y	ou are to be judged:
Antique or decorated cars Civ	amber of Commerce or Out of Town vic Organization/Club/Church
Will your entry have music? Yes No	
Estimated length of float (vehicle included/total amount of space	ce needed to park in the lineup)
share information about you and your entry to the surroundin room, type it out and attach it to this entry.	g crowdso make it great: if there is not enough
By signing below, I recognize that the Lonesome Dove Fest of the safety of vehicles or participants in the parade; nor is the Lones responsible for any damage or injury caused by participants in the children, NOTHING (candy, giveaways, beads, and etcetera) can thank you.	ome Dove Fest and/or Karnes City Rotary Club he parade. For the safety of the crowd, especially
Printed Name of Representative Sign	ature of Representative
Date	
Please return this entry form by email, f Regular Mail: Lavonne C. Murphy-Guzman, 1307 Fax: 1-866-582-6838 Email: la ******* If you want to be in our parade we must rece	Ruhmann Street, Kenedy, Texas 78119 avonnecmurphy@yahoo.com

****All parade entries MUST check in at the Karnes City Library the morning of the parade to get lineup number and to let us know you are present and participating.******

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