

PARADE STANDARDS and DECORUM

Rowland Heights Buckboard Days Parade

The following rules are to ensure that everyone attending the parade, whether a participant or spectator, has an enjoyable, safe day. We will be there to help you complete your part successfully so you can enjoy the wonderful parade & festival we have planned for you and all visitors. These rules will be strictly enforced. Non-compliance will result in elimination from this and possibly future parades.

Solicitation, Distribution, and Throwing of Materials - is prohibited. ABSOLUTELY NO SOLICITATION, of any kind is allowed in the assembly or along the parade route by ANYONE.

For safety reasons, **DO NOT throw or distribute items of any kind.**

This includes candy, written/printed materials and other items. Papers litter our streets.

The Buckboard Days Parade is a Non Political Parade: Do not include political, prejudicial, or racial comments or statements on your entries.

THIS WAS A PROBLEM FOR 2 ENTRIES IN 2018.

Animal Entries must arrange for someone (a scooper) to clean up after their animals along the parade route, unless arrangements have been made in advance with the Parade Committee. As all equestrian owners know, it is important not to feed or water animals immediately prior to the parade. If your entry includes dogs or other animals, please ensure they are confined, or on a lead or leash to protect them & others along the route. Make sure you have insurance on your animals.

Spacing:

All entries must stay in their assigned numeric placement throughout the parade to maintain proper order for the announcer, media, & bystanders. Use the street light posts as distance markers: as the entry before you passes a street light, you should be passing the next street light in line. This will keep the entries spaced 100 feet apart for safety, and eliminate entertainment conflicts. No person shall join or participate in the parade unless they formally lined up with the group. **NO LATE JOINERS.**

Do not impede or interfere with the parade progress. No parents or others "tag along" walking in the parade with groups are allowed, unless they are assigned and dressed to participate.

PLEASE OBEY PARADE STAFF TO KEEP THE PARADE MOVING SMOOTHLY.

Performance – THIS IS A MOVING PARADE.

DO NOT stop unless the entry in front of you stops. There will be plenty of time for you to be judged and seen by spectators.

DO NOT perform using any actions that would endanger spectators along the street.

DO NOT use any obscene gestures or language.

Noise--For safety reasons there will be **NO** firecrackers or loud, popping noises allowed in the parade.

There are young children, horses, and other animals in the parade that may be noise sensitive.

Political candidates and their participants must be good sports and act in good taste.

This is not a political parade. It is a community parade, so include a **neat sign** on the door of your vehicle. No campaign posters or banners in the parade.

Maps to RHts. Park to avoid road closures



(MAP 1) Go south on Otterbein. Turn left at the last street before Otterbein ends (Aguiro). Turn right on Alexdale. This will take you to Pathfinder road. You can then take Pathfinder Road to Brea Canyon Cutoff. Turn left (north) and continue past Colima where BCCutoff changes name to Fairway.



(Map 2) To access from the back of the park. From BC Cutoff (or Fairway), turn left just past the McDonalds onto the Brea Canyon Cutoff Road. Turn left on Searls. When you reach the end turn left onto Lindengrove. This street ends at the back entrance to the park. 

Directions to exit park when Colima is closed

On Parade day 7AM-11:30PM only, vendors and parade participants can use the instructions below when Colima is closed . Sheriffs will be monitoring the area.

Take Banida north (away from Colima. Turn right on Waterfall Way.

Turn right on Cronin/Fortune Place, then left on Kingsmill.

Kingmill ends at Walnut Drive South, turn right and proceed to Fairway. Turn to the right to reach Colima.

