



Celebrating 40 Years of Heritage

The 2022 Macomb Heritage Days celebration takes place June 23-26, with ***The Bob Anstine Memorial Heritage Days Parade*** beginning promptly at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 25th.

This year's theme "*Celebrating 40 Years of Macomb Heritage Days*" recognizes the event's four decade milestone. The Macomb Heritage Days festival was inaugurated in 1982 by former Mayor Bob Anstine to celebrate the rich history and storied legacy of our cherished city. Now, after 40-years of tradition, the festival itself is an integral part of that heritage.

The Macomb Heritage Days Committee volunteers invite all community members, local businesses, non-profit institutions, political organizations, and service clubs to create parade entries as participants in this enduring annual tradition.

Parade entries are due by Friday, June 17th. Late entries will not be guaranteed a place in the parade.

For more information, contact the Macomb Area Convention and Visitors Bureau at 309-833-1315 or info@visitforgotonia.com.

2022 Heritage Days Parade Entry Form

Saturday, June 25th 10:00 a.m.

Parade line-up begins promptly at 9:00a.m. at the intersection of South Johnson and West Washington Streets. Positions for line-up will be posted on www.visitforgottonia.com and the Heritage Days Facebook Page by Friday, June 24th.

We want to provide everyone with enough space in the staging area, so please be VERY SPECIFIC and ACCURATE describing your entry.

Please circle all that apply.

Car	Wagon	Motorcycle/Scooter
Truck	Hayrack	Boat on Trailer
ATV/Golf Cart	Flat Bed Trailer	Marching Band
Bicycle	Gooseneck Trailer	Bus
Walking Group	Tractor	Horse

Other - Please Describe: _____

Total number of vehicles in entry: _____

Approx. number of parade walkers in unit: _____

Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

Cell number for contact person: _____

Email: _____

Return this form to:

**Macomb Area Convention & Visitors Bureau c/o Heritage Days
120 E. Calhoun St. (Train Depot), Macomb, IL 61455**

**For questions please call 309-833-1315
Monday - Friday 8:30am-4:30pm.**

PARADE RULES & REGULATIONS

For the safety of all spectators and every parade participant, any entry including horses must be accompanied by an adult.

NO CANDY OR ITEMS CAN BE THROWN INTO THE CROWD FROM VEHICLES OR FLOATS.

Each parade participant providing candy or other items must have walkers to hand out the candy/items to the spectators.

Groups seen throwing candy from vehicles will not be allowed to participate in the future parades.

In order to create a more positive experience for parade spectators, water activities will be limited to the designated water zones only. This will ensure that participants who are not interested in being wet will be safe from inclusion. The Macomb Heritage Days Committee also reserves the right to disqualify any entrants deemed inappropriate or offensive. Any offenders may also be excluded from future participation.

Please sign below in acknowledgment and compliance of all Macomb Heritage Days rules and regulation.

Kindly pass this information on to all participants in your group/organization.

Name (please print)

Signature

Date

PARADE ENTRY DESCRIPTION

This information will be used for the benefit of the live
Television Broadcasters.

Please write the name of your entry as you would like it
announced and a description in 25 words or less.
Any description exceeding twenty-five (25) words will be omitted.

Name of Entry _____

Description (25 words or less)

Name (please print)

Signature

Business/Organization