

**44th Annual Sons of Erin St. Patrick's Day Parade & Festival**  
**Water Street District, Henderson**  
**March 11 – 14, 2010**



☘ Dear Parade Participant:

As we begin preparations for the **44th Annual Sons of Erin St. Patrick's Parade & Festival**, we look forward to the continued support of those who have been involved with our parade in years past, and to new participants, to continue its' success.

The parade will start at **10:00 AM. Saturday, 03/13/10**. It will be in the same location as last year, in Henderson, starting at Ocean and traveling South on Water to Victory.

Due to the size and popularity of the parade, it is important that we get the parade entries in as soon as possible. We are limiting the parade to 100 entries. The deadline for the entry is February, 12, 2010. You will be sent a confirmation of your entry as soon as we receive it. Entry numbers, staging times & maps will be sent out no later than March 1<sup>st</sup>.

This year's parade theme is "Rainbow & Pot of Gold". All entries will be judged for Best of Theme, Prettiest, Most Original and Greenest. Trophy presentation will be held at 1:00 PM Saturday at the amphitheatre.

We are once again asking for an entry fee of \$50 for each parade unit. This fee goes toward offsetting our costs for facilitating the parade each year. Also available this year, are program ads and sponsorship opportunities. Parade entries will receive a 50% discount on their program ad. Please visit our website for more information.

You can e-mail the parade entry form, fax it, or you may send the attached parade entry form along with your entry fee(s) to: **Sons of Erin P.O. Box 749 Las Vegas, Nevada 89125**. You can also pay on line with our pay-pal link, <http://www.stpatricks2010.com/paradeentry/payhere/>

All of us at the Son's of Erin are hoping to make this the biggest and best parade that Southern Nevada has ever seen. We need your support to make that happen. We look forward to seeing you at this year's event.

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## **44th Annual Sons of Erin St. Patrick's Day Parade Entry Form**

Water Street District, Henderson, Saturday, March 13, 2010

To participate in this year's parade, please fill out & submit this form by Feb. 12, 2010

**Organization Name:**

**Contact Name:**

**Phone:**

**E-Mail:**

**Address:**

**Type of Entry:**

**Will your entry have either recorded or live music?**

**Approximate length of entry:**

**Script for announcers: (Not more than 5 lines)**

**We have to ask that items not be thrown to the crowds from vehicles. You may walk & hand out items, but please do not throw them. Our children's safety comes first.**

**All entries must move in a forward line of march/direction. If you are handing out anything, or intermingling with the spectators, in any way, please allow the parade to keep moving past you and you can catch up with your group.**

In order to lend additional color and flavor to the occasion, and to increase spectator appeal, we request the following minimum decoration requirement:

- a. All autos and trucks should be decorated from window down (except special industrial equipment, antique autos and special interest autos).
- b. Entries must not be wider than 20 feet or taller than 17 feet.
- c. You may display any number of suitable identifying cards relating to your business or organization.
- d. In order for the announcers/commentators to identify your entry, your entry number must be displayed.

Absolutely NO objects may be thrown from the parade entries. No alcohol will be allowed in the parade staging area or is to be consumed or carried by the parade participants during the parade.

All participants must be dressed in FAMILY ACCEPTABLE dress code. Also, there will be NO Water Guns, Water Balloons or Spraying of Water or Silly String from entries.

Thank you again for your parade entry. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me by e-mail or phone.

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