

22nd Annual Parade of Lights Theme: Very Merry Prairie Christmas Monday, November 21, 2022 | Lineup: 5 p.m. Start time: 6 p.m.

Rules and Registration

Lineup and Judging:

Lineup and judging will take place at the Riggs High School parking lot at 5 p.m. Anyone not in place at that time will not be considered for a prize. All awards will be immediately distributed following judging so they can be attached to your float for the parade.

Judging and Awards:

The Parade of Lights committee will select any and all judges. The following will be awarded:

1st prize = \$100

 2^{nd} prize = \$75

 3^{rd} prize = \$50

Mayor's Award = \$50

Griswold Award = \$50

General Information:

- Pre-registration is appreciated by Monday, November 14, 2022. Entry forms are available at the Pierre Area Chamber of Commerce.
- Lineup and judging begins at 5 p.m. The parade will take place at 6 p.m.
- Lighted vehicles, golf carts, motorcycles, walking floats are welcome.
- All floats must have a display of lights. Entries should have no less than 100 lights.
- All parade entries with horses are required to clean up any manure their animals produce in the staging area prior to the start of the parade. Anyone not following this rule will not be allowed to participate in future parades.
- Please display your business/group name on both sides of your float or entry.
- Holiday attire is encouraged.
- Forward motion must be maintained throughout the entire parade. Please try to keep spacing at a reasonable pace behind the float in front of you.
- Jolly the Snowman will be the grand marshal of the Parade.
- <u>The Parade of Lights Committee will provide "Santa Claus" and no other "live" Santas will be allowed in</u> the parade.
- Vehicles not traveling in the parade will not be allowed in the staging area.
- Vehicles should turn off vehicle headlights while on the parade route in order to showcase the holiday lights on the parade entry.
- Alcohol is prohibited.

Call the Pierre Area Chamber of Commerce with questions at 605.224.7361.

There is no entry fee, but any donation you can include with your application to defray costs is appreciated. Checks can be made to the Pierre Area Chamber of Commerce

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CASH PRIZES to be awarded for the best decorated floats. For additional information call 605.224.7361

Registration fee for the parade is free, however donations are appreciated to offset costs.

Amount of donation: \$	<u> </u>		
Name:			
Organization:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Home Phone:	Cell:		
Email Address:			
Float Entry Description:			

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<u>Drop off completed information or mail to:</u>
Parade of Lights
Pierre Area Chamber of Commerce
800 W. Dakota Ave
Pierre, SD 57501

WAIVER/RELEASE

In signing this entry form I certify that I have read the rules and agree to comply with them. I further certify that I have full liability insurance coverage on the entry in the Parade of Lights and I waive and release all Parade of Lights committee members, sponsors, hosts, participants and spectators from any and all claims of injury, theft, or damage resulting from or occurring during the Parade of Lights. I also understand there may be camera crews filming this event, so any person involved in this event is subject to be filmed and used for publicity of this parade. It is understood that I enter this event at my own risk.

Signature: _	Date: