



Alpenfest 2010
Now This Is Swiss!

Grand Parade
SATURDAY, JULY 17, 2010 – NOON
APPLICATION

Please complete and mail or fax no later than June 20, 2010

Alpenfest Grand Parade Committee, P.O.Box 513, Gaylord, Michigan 49734 – fax: 989 732 7990
 Questions may be directed to Diane Pompei, 989 732 4619

Name of Organization: _____
Other Names Your Organization May Be Known As: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Telephone: Business: _____ **Home:** _____ **Mobile:** _____

Email address: _____

Type of Entry: ___ FLOAT
 ___ MARCHING/WALKING GROUP
 ___ VEHICLE
 ___ HORSE UNIT (Must have own clean up crew) _____ Number of Horses
 ___ OTHER: Please Explain _____

Number of People Participating: _____

Length of entire entry including tow vehicle and participants _____

Does entry have music? ___ Yes ___ No

If yes, what type? ___ Live ___ Taped ___ Style (polka, jazz, etc.) _____

Please tell us a little about your entry. List anything that is special or unique – *this information will be used for the LIVE BROADCAST of the parade.* Please include a description, even if you have been a participant in the past. Enclose a photo if available. Thank You!

Unable to attend? Please check one of the following:

_____ please keep us on the mailing list _____ please remove us from the mailing list

All entries are subject to approval by the Gaylord Alpenfest. The Gaylord Alpenfest reserves the right to refuse any entry that is not in good taste or in the best interest of Alpenfest, as ascertained by the festival committee.

Plain vehicles/entries with only a company logo are not permitted. Dress it up and let's have fun!

Violation of any rule may result in the immediate removal of an entry before or during the Grand Parade and make the participant ineligible for future Alpenfest parades.

In consideration of the acceptance of our entry in the 2010 Gaylord Alpenfest Grand Parade, we hereby release the Gaylord Alpenfest from any and all liability, as well as any and all injuries or damage arising from our participation in the afore mentioned Grand Parade.

I have read the above information along with the accompanying rules sheet.

Authorized Representative: _____ **Date:** _____

**2010 ALPENFEST GRAND PARADE
Rules and Information**

**Saturday, July 17, 2010
Formation – 9:30 am – 11:15 am
No vehicle entry after 11:15 per Police Order
Starting Promptly at Noon**

*The Grand Parade is a family oriented event that celebrates Alpenfest.
Entries are encouraged to “Alpenize” or decorate in accordance with the theme –
“ **Now This Is Swiss!** ”*

*The Grand Parade is not an opportunity to advertise, campaign or deliver an address.
Entries depicting a political organization or controversial issue will not be permitted.*

Currently seated political officials may participate by invitation only.

The parade committee reserves the right to dismiss any entry at any time for non-compliance.

- **NOTHING may be passed out at the parade**
- **Participants may not mingle with the crowd, shake hands, etc.**
- **All entries must be decorated**
- **Only decorated commercial equipment and vehicles are permitted**
- **There will be no stops along the parade route**
- **Each entry must stay as close to the previous entry as possible to avoid gaps**
- **Equine and other animal units must provide their own clean up equipment**
- **Maximum height may not exceed 13’, 6” in order to clear overhead wires**
- **Adequate safety chains must be used on all towed units**
- **Adequate vision must be provided for drivers**
- **No dangerous acts, fireworks, weapons or sudden noises**
- **No alcoholic beverages are to be consumed by participants**
- **Alpenfest will not provide cars for use in the parade**
- **Only participants will be allowed in the staging area.**

If you have questions or need additional information please call:

**Diane Pompei, Parade Chairman - 989 732 4619
or email – dipompei@hotmail.com**