



Middlebury Summer Festival

56th Annual Middlebury Summer Festival Parade

This year's Middlebury Summer Festival is June 27 and 28, 2025. The Festival is a tradition of the Town of Middlebury, located in the heartland of northern Indiana's Amish Country.

The Parade will happen on June 28 at 1:00 PM, with staging two hours before the start. PLEASE NOTE: The parade check-in location is on the East side of South Main Street (S.R. 13), just north of Orpha Drive (see map on back).

Because of limited turn-around space, Parade Units arrive at the check-in area from the SOUTH (see map).

We will have the check-in area marked, and people will be there to assist you in finding your staging area. We hope this will help reduce the congestion at the Elementary School, making staging stress-free. Thank you for being so helpful in making this year's Parade a success.

The Parade is a marching parade. Any parade units performing before the grandstand will NOT BE JUDGED.

All Parade units will be judged, and awards in the following categories will be given:

- 1) Band / Color Guard/ Drill Team 2) Historic/ Classic/ Sport Vehicle
- 3) Organization 4) Non-categorical 5) Commercial

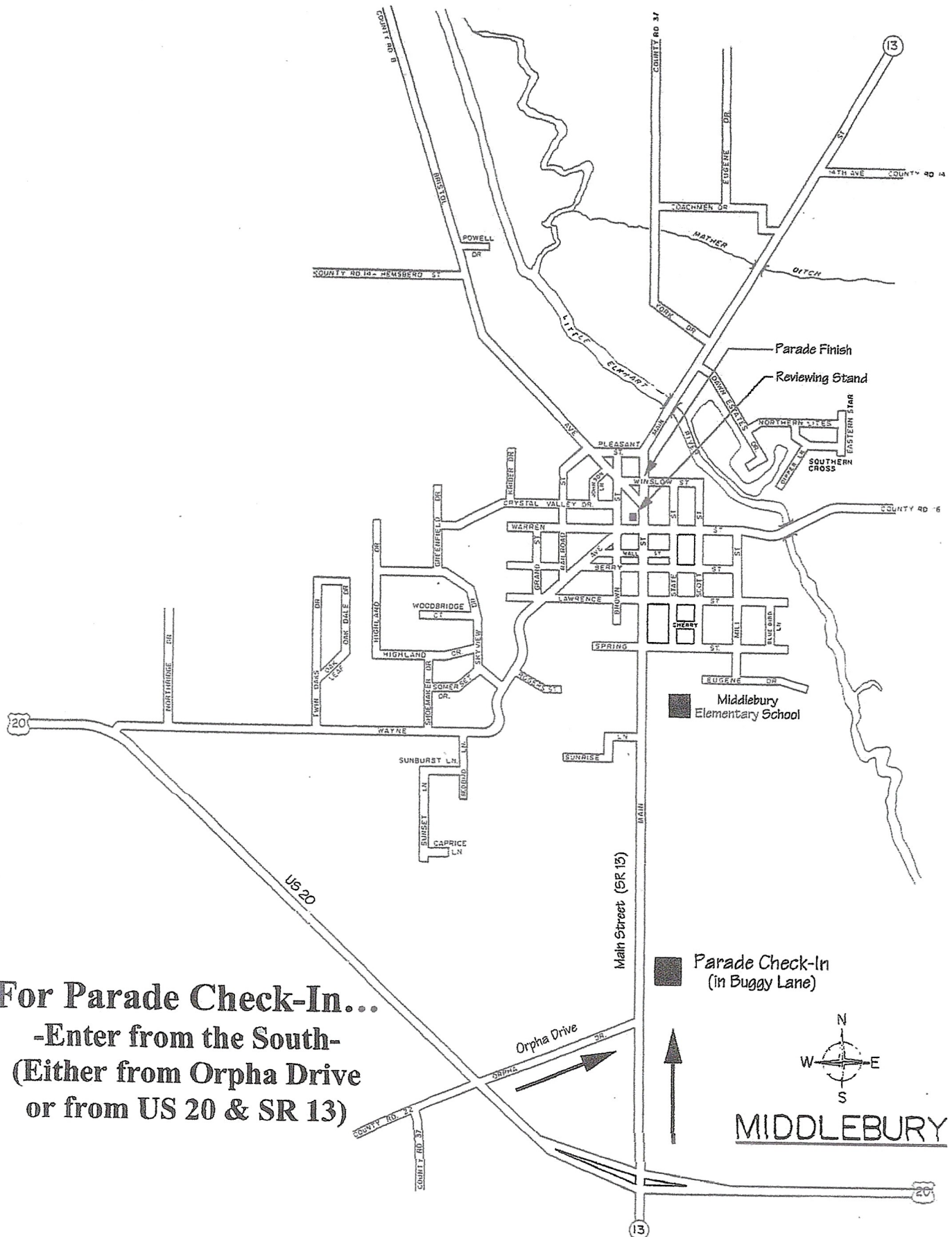
Throwing candy from the parade units is not permitted. Feel free to have people distribute the candy along both sides of the streets, but please do not throw it from your entry.

Please return your entry form before June 9, 2025. You may mail, email, or drop off your completed form using one of the options listed below. We will contact you with your parade entry number and staging information the week before the Parade. Please see the reverse side for the map of the staging area. We hope to hear from you and see you on June 28, 2025.

Thank you,

Middlebury Chamber of Commerce Please return the entry form to:
Middlebury Chamber of Commerce
PO Box 243, Middlebury, IN 46540
Or drop it off at 118 S. Main Street

For Parade Check-In...
-Enter from the South-
(Either from Orpha Drive
or from US 20 & SR 13)





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2025 PARADE ENTRANT HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

_____ I and those involved with my entry hereby release the Middlebury Chamber of Commerce and Town of Middlebury, a municipal corporation of the State of Indiana, from any claims for damages on account of injury to either my person, property or livestock in conjunction with the above event. I hereby agree to abide by the Parade's rules and regulations and conduct myself accordingly. I acknowledge that I am participating in a parade requiring safe equipment, floats, vehicles, or livestock. I will not do anything that would pose a substantial risk to any participant or spectator at said event and take full responsibility for those in my entry. I also agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless. The release said Middlebury Chamber of Commerce and Town of Middlebury, in addition to that from any claims or responsibility in case I should be injured while participating in the said event, including any injury I may cause to any spectator.

The undersigned further agrees to indemnify the Middlebury Chamber of Commerce, the Middlebury Summer Festival, and its committee members and hold the Middlebury Chamber of Commerce, the Middlebury Summer Festival, and its committee members harmless from and against any claims of whatever nature (including, but not limited to, personal injury or death) and all costs and attorney's fees.

I AGREE THAT I OR THOSE INVOLVED WITH MY ENTRY WILL NOT THROW ANY TREATS OR MATERIAL TO THE CROWD ALONG THE PARADE ROUTE. I have read the release and hold harmless agreement, agree to its terms, and voluntarily executed it.

Parade Entrant Signature: _____

Date _____

Parade Entrant Print Name: _____

Address: Street _____ City _____

State _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Driver's License# _____ (if applicable)

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Official Entry Form

Saturday, June 28, 2025

Being the duly authorized representative of the unit described below, I hereby enter said unit in the Middlebury Summer Festival Parade to be held on June 28, 2025, commencing at 1:00 PM Eastern Time. Further, I understand and agree to have our parade unit at the parade check-in area located north of Orpha Drive on Main St (SR 13) two hours before the start of the parade.

For the Safety of the Children

We ask that candy and other items NOT BE THROWN from Moving Entries.
Items may be HANDED OUT, but NOT THROWN.

Please TYPE or PRINT

Name of Entry: _____

Company Name: _____ Contact Name: _____

Contact Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Contact Telephone: _____

Hometown of Entry: _____ Number of Pieces (Vehicles) in Parade Entry: _____

Number of People Walking (est.): _____ Number of People Riding: _____

Type of Entry

(Example: "tractor pulling wagon"), Limit One Tractor-Trailer per Entry)

Category

(Please Check One Only)

- ☐ Color Guard/Drill Team/Band
☐ Historical/Classic/Sport Vehicle

- ☐ Commercial
☐ Organization

- ☐ Non-Categorical
☐ Most Creative Float

Description of Entry

(For announcer to read as unit passes Judges Stand. If left blank, only the name of the unit will be announced)

Special Instructions or Requests

All efforts will be made to honor your requests, but we CANNOT guarantee special requests due to the size of other units and limited staging space.

Please Return the Form by June 9, 2025

Email to: amanda@middleburyinchamber.com

Mail to: Middlebury Chamber/ Parade: PO Box 243, Middlebury, IN 46540

Phone Number: (574)825-4300