

8th Annual Holiday Parade of Lights!

The Perham Lions Club and Perham Area Chamber of Commerce are sponsoring the Eighth Annual **HOLIDAY PARADE OF LIGHTS**. The parade will be Friday, November 28, 2008 beginning at 5:30 pm at St Paul's Luthern Church.

HOLIDAY PARADE OF LIGHTS RULES

1. Entries must be received no later than November 21, 2008.
2. There is no entry fee to enter a float in the parade.
3. There is no theme for the parade but you are invited to decorate your float with the Holiday theme—Christmas in Candy land.
4. **We encourage float entries to hand out candy or other holiday items to the crowd; however due to the evening's darkness and possible ice, please do not throw candy from the float.**
5. **We encourage all float entries to include Holiday music.**
6. Floats must be lined up and ready to go by **5:00 pm** at St Paul's Church, 500 6th Ave SW, so the Parade can begin promptly at **5:30 pm**. You will be emailed or mailed a confirmation and directions. You will be given your parade number at check-in. Parade officials will be wearing reflective vests. You may also check the Perham Enterprise Bulletin for the Parade Route and Line-up point.
7. You will be judged on Lights, Holiday Spirit and Creativity.
8. Prizes will be awarded for the following categories:
 - 1st- Santa's Choice: \$300.00
 - 2nd- Mrs. Claus Choice: \$200.00
 - 3rd- Elves Choice: \$100.00
 - 4th- Rudolph's Honorable mention: Holiday Wreath

When lighting your float, please remember that the lights you place on your float are the ONLY lights observers will have to see your float, so remember to over light your float. Use spot lights or other holiday lights to light people and decorations on the float or to light posters and other items. Generally, double the number of lights you think you will need!

Please watch the paper for more information. If you have questions, please call The Perham Area Chamber of Commerce 218-346-7710.

The Holiday Parade of Lights Committee appreciates your support and involvement. With your help we can continue to make Perham an exciting place to live, work and play ALL YEAR!



2008 Holiday Parade of Lights Entry Form

Organization _____

Sponsor (if Applicable) _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Contact Person _____

Telephone Number (Day) _____ (Evening) _____

Fax # _____ E-mail _____

Description of Entry _____

Please return completed entry form by Friday, November 21, 2008 to:

Holiday Parade of Lights
% Perham Area Chamber of Commerce
185 East Main Street
Perham MN 56573
Fax: 218-346-7712 or email Chamber@Perham.com

It is understood that service groups and organizations have their own insurance. For those without insurance, we ask you to sign a release of liability:

I, the undersigned, agree that I will notify my participants that they alone are responsible for any personal injury and/or property damage resulting from participation in this HOLIDAY PARADE OF LIGHTS. I specifically release and discharge in advance the Perham Chamber of Commerce and the Perham Lions Club from any and all liability.

Applicant's Signature _____