



**“Berryville Celebrates” 225th Anniversary Parade  
Saturday, June 3, 2023 at 2 pm (Lineup at 1pm)**

**Rain or Shine**

Throughout 2023, Berryville and Clarke County are celebrating the Town’s 225th anniversary with special events that highlight the past, present, and future of our community. Clarke County clubs, school groups, marching bands, vintage vehicles, businesses, non-profit organizations, and others are invited to be part of the “Berryville Celebrates” parade on Saturday, June 3.

**To participate in the “Berryville Celebrates” parade on June 3, please complete application, and return it to the address on other side by Wednesday, May 22.**

Name of unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone & Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Website (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**Unit Type (check only one):**  Band  Drill Team  Dance Team  Military Unit  Color Guard

Local Organization (Floats Only)  Fire/Rescue  Special Guest  Antique/Specialty Car/Truck

Description of Unit (marching, float, antique/specialty car/truck etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Year, Make, Model, Special Awards: \_\_\_\_\_

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- Berryville anniversary themes and colors (blue and green) are strongly encouraged, but not required.
- There is no entry fee for parade participants or spectators.
- Participants may NOT throw candy. Throwing items from parade floats or units is prohibited.
- Following the parade, the community is invited to a free picnic in Rose Hill Park (rain or shine).

“Berryville Celebrates” Parade Committee RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DENY PARTICIPATION in the June 3 parade. Any unit that arrives on parade day and displays behavior, signage, or dress that is offensive to a general audience, to include minors, may be denied entry into the parade and/or be barred from participation.

**MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION BY MAY 22 TO:** Berryville Main Street  
 Attn: Parade Committee  
 109 W. Main St., Berryville VA 22611

**Or EMAIL TO:** [info@bvmerchants.com](mailto:info@bvmerchants.com)

**Questions?** Contact (540) 313-7467 or [info@bvmerchants.com](mailto:info@bvmerchants.com)

*By signing below, I/we:*

- *Agree and understand the Town of Berryville, Berryville Main Street, and 225 Celebration Committees are not liable for injury to persons participating in parades, spectators, or damage to vehicles and personal property; and*
- *Agree to indemnify, save, defend, and hold harmless Town of Berryville, Berryville Main Street, and 225 Celebration Committees from and against any claims of personal injury, including death or disease; loss of or damage to property; and*
- *Certify I/we have general liability insurance in effect during our participation; and*
- *Each member of this unit has been trained in and is responsible for the safe operation, use and/or control of any motorized vehicle he/she/they will use during the parade.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name, Title of Signee

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

**NOTE:** Parade participants will receive a confirmation email with entry number, staging location information, route map, and instructions.

**Please have your confirmation email ready for presentation at lineup.**