



## **33rd Annual** **4th OF JULY PARADE** **Blacksburg, Virginia**

The Mount Tabor Ruritan Club is sponsoring the Thirty-third Annual Blacksburg 4th of July Parade. We invite you to join us with your floats, bicycles, wagons, marchers, walkers, antique/classic cars, race cars, horses, fire engines, scouts, bands, sports teams, etc.

### **WHEN:**

Thursday, July 4, 2019, beginning at **2:00 p.m.**

### **ROUTE:**

Beginning at **Old Blacksburg Middle School, Eheart Street SE.**  
Parade will end on Alumni Mall, near Tech's Drillfield.

### **CHECK-IN & LINE-UP:**

1:30 p.m. — Line up on Eheart Street. (See attached map.) Line-up positions will be e-mailed to participants a few days before the parade. Mount Tabor Ruritan Club members will be on hand on Eheart Street to assist with line-up.

### **THEME:**

***CARING FOR THE LAND***

### **FLOAT LIMITATIONS:**

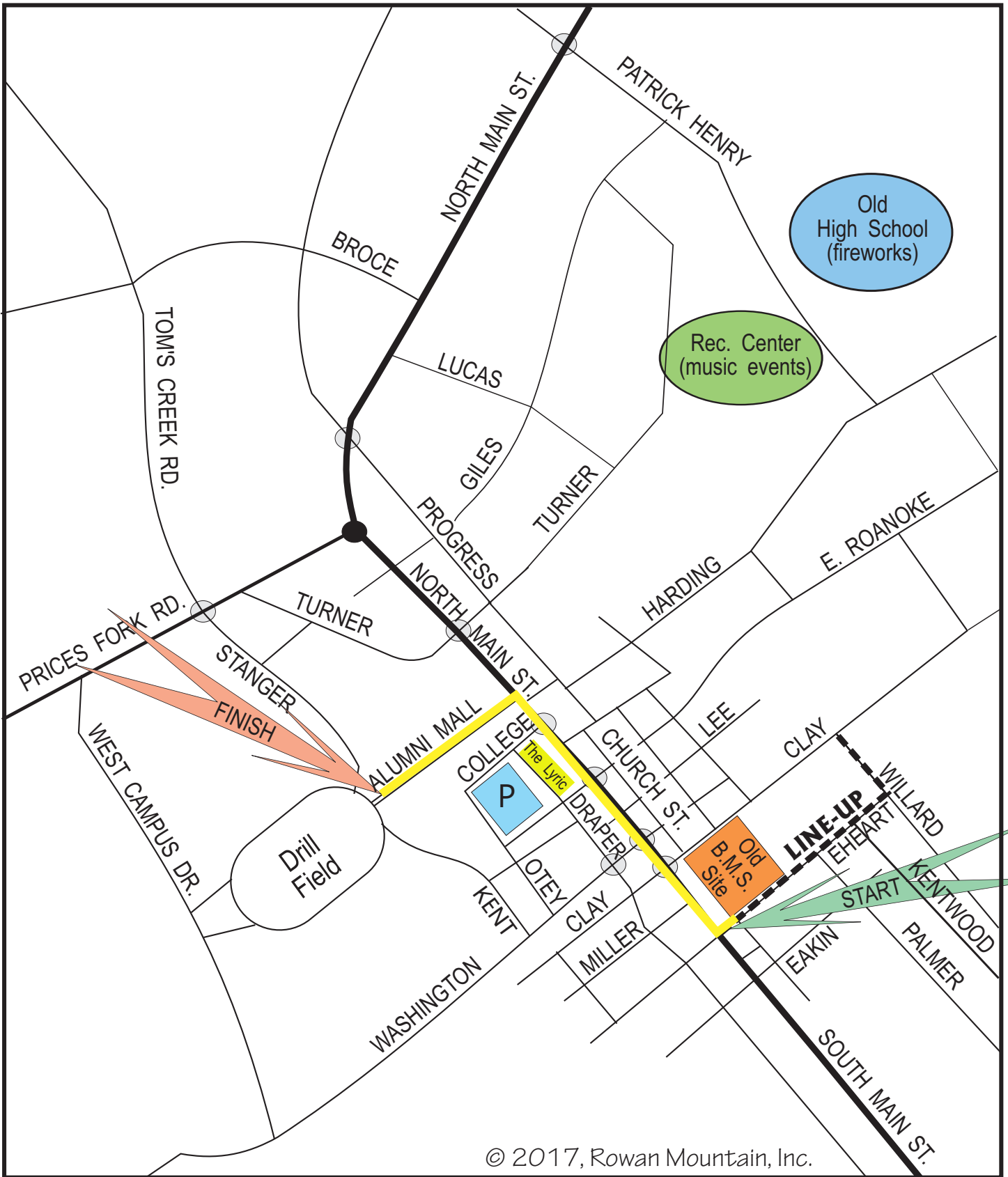
No more than 13 feet high. ***Candy may be passed out, but MUST NOT BE THROWN FROM VEHICLES.*** This is so that kids don't run into the street near vehicle wheels to pick up candy. Vehicles must travel at parade speed and not accelerate towards spectators.

Trophies will be awarded for Best Theme Representation, Best Youth Unit, and Best Overall Unit.

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Following the parade, the Lyric Theatre will screen a free movie, *Over the Hedge*, sponsored by Mount Tabor Ruritan Club.

Beginning at 6 p.m., the Blacksburg Parks & Recreation Department (540-443-1100) will have music, food and entertainment near the Blacksburg Recreation Center, ending with fireworks at 9:30 p.m.





THURSDAY, JULY 4TH, 2019

## PARADE ENTRY FORM

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON: \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF ENTRY: (Please check all that apply and give a brief description to help figure line-up)

TOWED FLOAT: \_\_\_\_\_

WALKING: \_\_\_\_\_

VEHICLES: \_\_\_\_\_

HORSES & RIDERS: \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER (Explain below)

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APPROXIMATE TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN ENTRY: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE SEND ENTRY FORM NO LATER THAN JUNE 21, 2019 TO:

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