

# 2025 Holiday Parade Entry Form

Saturday, November 29, 2025

Lineup & Check-In - 10:00am @ Baer Ave. Playground - must be checked in by 10:30am Parade Kickoff - 11:00am (No candy throwing and no Santa costumes)

Name of Organization/Group		
Contact Person		
Address		
Phone Number		
Cellphone Number		
Email Address		
Approximate Number of Participants		
Check here if you would like to donate any of your group's prize winnings back to the Christmas in Hanover Fund		
Entry Category		
Marching Band Float	Performing Group	
Walking Group Antiqu	ue Car	Sistemas in Hands
Please complete and return by November 15th		
Main Street Hanover Attn: Christmas Committee 40 York St, Hanover, PA 17331	Or via email: Heather Lunn hsheppardlunn@gmail.com	MAIN HANOVER

We look forward to hearing from you! For questions or more information please call or email:

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### **Parade Rules**

#### **Arrival Time & Judging**

- Arrive no later than 10:30 AM at the Baer Avenue Playground. (100 Baer Ave)
- Judging begins promptly at 10:35 AM please be in your assigned spot on time.
- Awards will be distributed before the parade begins and include:
  - Ray and Janet Black Spirit of Christmas Award
  - Best Float
  - Best Band
  - Best Walking Group

#### **Lineup Locations**

- Walking Groups: Line up on Terrace Ave (perpendicular to Baer Ave).
- Dignitaries (in cars): Line up in the alley near Middle Street, accessed via Fulton Street.
- Floats, Fire Trucks, Antique Cars:
  - Line up on Baer Ave behind Terrace Ave
  - DO NOT enter via Middle Street
  - Use East Hanover Street or Pleasant Ave for best access
  - Please stay to the right side of the road for safety

#### **Bike Riders (and Parents):**

- Riders may play at the playground but must remain with the Elf at the Carriage House (next to the alley).
- Parents may walk with their child, or check them in with the Elves at the Bike Corral (Teal area on the map).
- Pick-up is REQUIRED at the Cabin immediately after the parade.
  - Unclaimed children will be brought to the Fountain area
  - Elves are not babysitters, and the crowd is large—please help keep everyone safe!

#### Bands:

- Hanover High School: Line up in front of the playground and will march directly behind the Grand Marshall.
- South Western: Line up on Terrace Ave, just before Santa.
- A separate email will follow with details for performances around the Cabin.

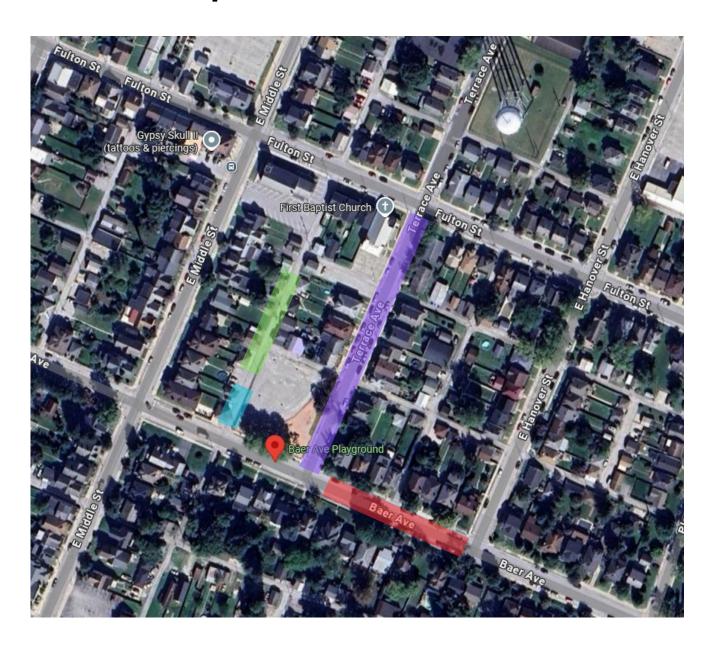
#### **General Reminders & Rules**

- No Santa costumes. There is only one Santa in the parade, and he will arrive at the end.
- Do not throw candy from floats or vehicles. (You may hand out items safely if walking.)
- All content must be family-friendly no obscene, vulgar, or inappropriate displays will be permitted.
- All floats, walking groups, and vehicle entries are strongly encouraged to include music in their display to keep the parade lively and joyful for spectators of all ages!

#### Map Key (see attached map):

- Teal: Bike Corral
- · Green: Dignitaries
- Purple: Walking Groups (South Western: Line up on Terrace Ave, just before Santa)
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## Parade Map



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