

HOME COMING 2023

The _____ (organization) will have an entry in the Sherrard High School Homecoming parade on **Thursday, September 14, 2023.**

TYPE ENTRY (float, decorated vehicle, walking group, etc.): _____

SPONSOR: _____

PHONE: _____

WHERE FLOAT IS TO BE BUILT: _____

FLOAT THEME OR TITLE: _____

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PARADE PARTICIPANTS

1. Each float should not exceed \$150.00 in construction costs. The name of the organization or class must be clearly marked on both sides of the float.
2. The theme for this year's parade is Board Games "Game on, Rockets!". Sherrard's opponent is Rockridge. Their mascot is the Rockets and their colors are maroon and white.
3. Floats are preferable for the parade, but you may enter a decorated car or truck or a walking ensemble.
4. Float riders must be approved on an individual basis determined by float design and number of riders.
5. Vehicles pulling floats should be driven by licensed drivers who have proof of insurance in their vehicle.
6. Float decorating cannot be done during school hours and should be stopped by 10:00 p.m. Float construction may begin Sunday, September 10, 2023. **A class sponsor or other responsible adult must be present at each decorating session.**
7. The parade will start from THE OLD HIGH SCHOOL at 6:15 p.m. Thursday, September 14, 2023. The parade will assemble in the **GRASS FIELD AT THE OLD HIGH SCHOOL at 5:30 p.m. sharp.** The parade will end at the south end of the old school.
8. No items, including candy and gum, may be thrown during the parade. If you plan to pass out items, you may walk along the parade route and hand them to spectators. **IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT CANDY BE HANDED OUT BY WALKERS ALONG THE PARADE ROUTE AND NOT BE THROWN!**
9. After the parade, floats should be returned to where they were constructed for the purpose of dismantling.
10. **Immediately following the parade, the students and community members are invited back to the football field at Sherrard High School.** Here we will host the Best of the Classes competition, introduce royalty, announce float winners, and the 2023 King and Queen will be announced. If it rains, we will move our assembly to the high school gym at 7pm that evening.