**2017 Ringgold Homecoming Parade**

**GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**Start Time**: The parade will begin promptly at 4:30

**Parade Assembly:** First come will line up first. All participants will wind the bus path around the football field.

**Parade Route**: The parade will line up along Sparks Street. When you come down Sparks please turn left onto Short Street to come around in front of the High School.

**No Stopping Along Parade Route**: Units are not allowed to stop during the parade route. We must maintain an equal distance of 50 ft. between each unit throughout the parade.

**Chaperones:** Chaperones must walk on the sides of the unit for floats with younger children.

**Line Up**: Ringgold High School floats and organizations will line up first. All other floats and organizations will follow behind.

**Notification of Acceptance: Receipt of the application indicates acceptance of the rules.**

**Minimum Age Requirements**: There is not a minimum age requirement for participants riding a float. Minimum age requirements for walking units will be 12 years old. This is a liability issue. **There will be no exceptions**.

**Horses**: Horses in the parade should have marched in a previous parade or be familiar with crowds. We recommend that horses wear diapers if at all possible.

**Not Acceptable**: Cars which “gun” their engines and squeal tires are not acceptable, for safety issues.

Ringgold High School provides no accidental injury or property damage insurance coverage for

participants.

\*\*\*\*\***DON’T FORGET TO SIGN BELOW\*\*\*\*\***

**INSURANCE WAIVER**

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Shall indemnify and hold harmless Ringgold High School, sponsors or their official and their employees from any and all loss, cost(including reasonable attorney fees and court costs), damages, expenses and liability arising from the parade. Ringgold High School accepts no liability for any actions that may arise. Any insurance protection may be necessary for accidental injury or property damage during the event is the sole responsibility of the applicant.

**Signing below indicates and acceptance of all rules and regulations as detailed above in the application.**

**Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**