



2026 Blue Lights & Bubbles Parade Application

August 20-23, 2026 | Lexington Community Park | Lexington, OH

Please complete this official parade application before submitting. Participation is subject to Festival approval, assigned placement, and parade safety requirements.

PARADE DATE	STEP-OFF	LOCATION	DEADLINE
Thursday, August 20, 2026	9:00 PM	Lexington Community Park, Lexington, OH	Return by August 1

Your Entry - Contact & Identity STEP 1

NAME OF ENTRY REQUIRED _____

ADDRESS REQUIRED _____

CONTACT PERSON REQUIRED _____ **EMAIL** REQUIRED _____

PHONE NUMBER REQUIRED _____ **BEST TIME TO REACH** _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME REQUIRED _____ **EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE** REQUIRED _____

Entry Type STEP 2

Marching Unit
 Novelty Unit
 Walking Unit
 Motorized Unit
 Other

IF OTHER, PLEASE DESCRIBE _____

Releases, Donation & Signature STEP 3

RELEASES

Photo / video release - I consent to Festival use of photos/video of my entry.

Supplemental materials enclosed or attached if requested.

All entries are subject to Festival approval. The Festival may use submitted entry information for parade planning, lineup, safety, and announcements.

Optional Parade Donation

Entry is free. Donations help support parade operations and Festival traditions.

No donation \$10
 \$25 \$50

CUSTOM AMOUNT \$ _____

SIGNATURE REQUIRED **DATE** REQUIRED **PRINTED NAME** REQUIRED

Make checks payable to Lexington Blueberry Festival of Ohio. Mail completed form and any donation to PO Box 3311, Lexington, Ohio 44904-0311. Questions: parades@lexblueberryfest.com.

Return this application by August 1. Please complete Page 2 so announcers have accurate information to read at the parade review area.



Waiver of Liability & Indemnification

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Waiver of Liability & Indemnification REQUIRED

This waiver applies to the applicant, parade entry, organization, owners, officers, representatives, members, employees, agents, contractors, volunteers, performers, participants, riders, drivers, passengers, invitees, guests, and any other persons or entities acting on behalf of or in connection with the entry.

In consideration of being permitted to participate in, attend, perform, display, volunteer, march, ride, drive, or otherwise take part in the Lexington Blueberry Festival of Ohio Blue Lights & Bubbles Parade, including staging, lineup, parade route, review areas, streets, sidewalks, park areas, facilities, utilities, or equipment, the undersigned agrees as follows:

The undersigned understands that parade participation involves known and unknown risks, including injury, illness, death, property loss or damage, weather, darkness, crowds, vehicles, trailers, floats, lights, sound equipment, bubbles or effects, utilities, slips, trips, falls, and acts or omissions of others. The undersigned voluntarily assumes all such risks.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the undersigned releases, waives, discharges, and agrees not to sue the Lexington Blueberry Festival of Ohio, the Village of Lexington, and their directors, officers, committee members, employees, agents, representatives, volunteers, sponsors, affiliates, insurers, successors, assigns, and anyone acting on their behalf, collectively the Released Parties, for any claims, damages, losses, liabilities, costs, attorney fees, judgments, fines, penalties, or obligations arising from parade participation, attendance, operations, or involvement.

The undersigned agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Released Parties from any claims, damages, liabilities, losses, costs, attorney fees, judgments, fines, penalties, or obligations arising from the undersigned acts, omissions, negligence, misconduct, vehicles, trailers, floats, displays, equipment, lighting, sound, participants, riders, drivers, passengers, volunteers, guests, invitees, or representatives.

The undersigned agrees to follow all Festival rules, deadlines, safety requirements, parade instructions, local and state requirements, and directions from Festival officials, the Village of Lexington, law enforcement, fire officials, health officials, or other authorized representatives. Festival decisions regarding participation, placement, approval, removal, safety, operations, and rule enforcement are final and binding to the fullest extent permitted by law.

The undersigned confirms they have authority to sign for themselves and, if applicable, their organization, group, employees, contractors, agents, volunteers, performers, drivers, riders, representatives, and participants. This agreement is governed by Ohio law. Any dispute or legal action related to this agreement or parade participation shall be brought exclusively in the appropriate court in Richland County, Ohio, unless otherwise required by law. If any part is found invalid or unenforceable, the rest remains in effect to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Acknowledgment

I have read and reviewed this Waiver of Liability and agree to comply with all Festival requirements, posted instructions, application terms, and Committee decisions.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE REQUIRED	DATE REQUIRED	PRINTED NAME REQUIRED
_____	_____	_____

ENTRY / ORGANIZATION NAME	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE / TITLE
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