



Business Improvement Council of Cocoa Beach
Serving BIC Members and the Community from the Port to Patrick
P.O. Box 320303, Cocoa Beach, Florida 32932-0303

October, 2006

The Business Improvement Council (BIC) of Cocoa Beach cordially invites your organization to participate in the 2006 Cocoa Beach Christmas Parade, set for Saturday, December 9th, 2006, 2:00 p.m.

Theme for this year is **"Christmas - From Here to Space"**

Check - in Time/Location:

Check - in is at 1:00 p.m. at the corner of Brevard Ave. and Third Street North. YOU MUST CHECK IN AT THIS LOCATION TO RECEIVE YOUR PARADE POSITION.

All children marching in groups will be directed to the appropriate areas in the Glass Bank/ Post Office Complex. All others (floats/cars/marching groups, etc.) will be staged on both sides of Brevard Ave. from Third Street North to Fourth Street North.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: NO PRIVATE VEHICLES OF ANY TYPE WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE GLASS BANK/POST OFFICE COMPLEX AREA PARKING LOT.

IF YOU ARE DROPPING OFF CHILDREN, GO TO BREVARD AVE. AND THIRD STREET NORTH. YOU WILL BE DIRECTED TO DRIVE SLOWLY NORTH ON BREVARD AND TO DROP YOUR CHILD OFF AT THE CORNER OF BREVARD AND FOURTH STREET NORTH, THEN PROCEED WEST IMMEDIATELY ON FOURTH STREET NORTH.

FOURTH STREET NORTH WILL BE CLOSED AT THE INTERSECTION OF A1A AND FOURTH STREET NORTH. FOURTH STREET NORTH WILL BE CLOSED AT WOODLAND TO ALL EASTBOUND TRAFFIC. BREVARD AVE. WILL BE CLOSED BETWEEN THIRD AND FOURTH STREETS NORTH EXCEPT TO PARADE TRAFFIC.

Note: Marching children may drop out of the parade on Brevard Ave. at Beckman-Williamson Funeral Home. Parents may want to park near the funeral home so kids can join them and watch the rest of the parade.

Route/Time Height Restrictions: Leaving from the Glass Bank into A1A south to First Street South, west on First Street South to Brevard and North on Brevard to the check in point. Parade length is approximately one mile; parade duration is just shy of one hour. Height clearance from street level is 18'.

Prize Categories: (1) Best Overall Entry; (2) Best Theme Float; (3) Most Original Float; (4) Best Auto Entry; (5) Best Walking Group; and (6) Best Band Entry.

Entry Fee/ Deadline: Fee is \$10 (schools, churches, Scouts and YMCA entries, No charge) Deadline is ASAP and no later than November 30, 2006.

General Rules/Information: (1) No candy will be thrown from vehicles. You must have someone walk alongside and hand out candy. (2) Judges will be located on the corner of the Minutemen Causeway, northeast side of City Hall. (3) VIP check in at the Glass Bank, at 1:30 p.m. (4) **NO SANTAS!** The "real" one will be bringing up the rear.

Please complete the entry card and return it in the enclosed envelope. If you have any questions, please call 783-2228 (leave a message). We look forward to having you as a part of our parade.

Peter Cunningham
Parade Chairman, Business Improvement Council



COCOA BEACH CHRISTMAS PARADE - SAT., DEC 09, 2006, 2P.M.

Sponsored by the BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL OF COCOA BEACH

☆☆☆☆ REGISTRATION FORM ☆☆☆☆

Organization/Business Name _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Float Decorated Auto Marching Group Band

Other (describe) _____

We will will not have music. Live Taped

Approx. length of entry _____ ft. • Approx. Number of people _____

Entry fee \$10.00 Check# _____ • Schools/Churches fee waived

☆☆Please Make Checks Payable To: "B.I.C." ☆☆ Return Envelope Enclosed☆☆

No private vehicles in parade assembly area.

For further information, call 783-2228 - leave message