



Cortland Lions Club
70 South Llanos
Cortland, Illinois 60112-0549
www.cortlandlions.com

44th Annual Cortland Community Parade
Brought to you by the Cortland Lions Club
Sunday, October 13, 2024 1:00pm

Dear Parade Participant,

Line-up begins at 11:00am and ends at 12:30 pm. The parade will **step off promptly at 1:00pm**, rain or shine—the parade will go on!

Please check-in on Cortland Center Road at the Loves Road intersection. Please see the attached map for traffic flow directions, parade route, and ending location.

The 44th Annual Cortland Parade theme will be “Movie Matinee.” Floats will be judged on general appearance, originality, complexity, and how well they fit the theme. Float prizes will be: 1st place \$100.00, 2nd place \$75.00, 3rd place \$50.00, and 4th place \$25.00. We DO allow candy to be handed out during the parade—but NO STICK lollipops/suckers please!

As per tradition, the Cortland Lions Club will be serving a hot dog lunch for all parade participants at the Lions Den, 70 S Llanos St. from 1:30-3:30 pm as a thank you for your participation.

Please contact Heather Black at 815-739-7739 or hblack@cortlandlibrary.com or Dan Black at 815-751-5045 or CortlandLions524@gmail.com.

To participate, please complete the Cortland Parade Entry form and waiver found here:



OR complete the attached Form and Waiver and return to the Cortland Library (63 S Somonauk, Cortland) or email to hblack@cortlandlibrary.com



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CORTLAND PARADE ROUTE



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Step Off: 1pm



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CORTLAND PARADE WAIVER

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Cortland Community Parade, the undersigned hereby agrees to the following:

1. Participation in the Cortland Parade carries with it the potential for injury of a permanent and serious nature and, while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and
2. I am knowingly and freely assuming all such risk, both known and unknown, even if arising from the wrongful acts or omissions of the undersigned or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and
3. I willingly observe all rules regarding participation in the Cortland Parade and follow the direction of the appropriate authorities during its duration. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest town official immediately; and
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representative, and next of kin, hereby release and hold harmless the Cortland Lions Club, its officers, assigns, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors and advertisers (collectively "Releasees") with respect to any and all injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property, whether arising from the wrongful acts or omissions of the releasees or otherwise. I have read this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it, and sign it freely and voluntarily without any inducement.

Participant Name (please print) _____

Participant's Signature _____ Date _____

IF PARTICIPANT IS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility consent and agree to his/her release as provided above for all the Releasees, from any kind and all liabilities incident to my minor child's participation in or involvement with the programs provided for herein, even if arising from the wrongful acts or omissions of the releasees, to the fullest extent permitted under law.

Child's Printed Name: _____

Child's Parent/Guardian printed name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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PARADE ENTRY FORM
(There is NO fee for participation)

Parade Theme - "Movie Matinee"

Please fill out all that apply:

Business/Organization Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Contact Email: _____

Number of Walkers: _____

Band size: _____

Float (length): _____

Vehicle (length): _____

Float/Entry has music Y/N: _____

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