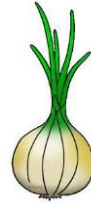


Glennville Sweet Onion Festival

Saturday, May 10th, 2025



Parade Entry Application

Thank you for your interest in participating in the 2024 Glennville Sweet Onion Parade!

Please complete the entry form below in its entirety and turn it in with \$25 payment no later than May 2nd, 2025. *All rules/instructions are on reverse.*

All entries are subject to approval before participation is confirmed. After approval, you will receive a confirmation email. If you have not received your confirmation email and/or entry instructions by Thursday, May 8th, or if you have any questions before then, please feel free to contact us. Thank you again for your support and participation!

Entry Name: _____
(Business Name, Title, etc.)

Type of Entry (Circle one, or multiple and please explain):

car/truck truck with trailer float golf cart/ATV walking

Multiple/Other (please explain): _____

Description: Please write exactly how you'd like it announced, no abbreviations or shorthand.

Contact Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

****Please make checks payable to *AnchorPointe Church*, with memo "Parade."**

If you have any questions or concerns, please call Paula Held at (912)492-1537. Thanks again!
For any other festival related inquiries, please contact the Glennville Chamber at (912)654-1616

To be completed by Office:

Form of Payment: Cash: _____ Check: _____ Received by: _____

- Registration will be located in front of South Tattnall Middle School (721 E. Barnard St.) at the tent/table in front of the parent drop-off "roundabout" at the front of the school. **Everyone must come to the registration table as soon as you arrive**, where you will "check-in" and receive a card with your line-up number. Please display that number in an easily visible location for line-up and judging. From the registration tent, you will be directed to your designated parking area for lineup. *The only exception for registration purposes is fire trucks, which will line up on Cowart St., and soldiers and TCHS band students. Only these entrants may go straight to Barnard Park to find & join their groups.

- **FLOATS:** All floats and large trailers will line up on Hwy 144/Barnard St. facing Glennville (west). We will have markers on the side of the road with the float name & number attached to it. Please park your float/trailer in its designated place, then **walk** to the registration table to check in.

- Pre-registration is HIGHLY recommended. "Walk-up" entries the day of the event MAY or MAY NOT be taken, depending on length of parade, type of entry, etc. Walk-up entries are at the discretion of the registration workers. Walk-up entries are responsible for paying all fees at that time by cash or check.

- **Parade line up starts at 8:00 am. ALL entries must be in place and ready to go no later than 9:30 am.**

Please try your best to be on time. It will be very busy that morning with closed roads and a lot of traffic. If you arrive late, you may be added to the back of the line-up or skipped if we are unable to fit you in order.

- The line-up will be submitted to presenters prior to Saturday, and any changes could potentially cause issues for all entries, so please understand no changes can be made the day of the parade. If you know you will be unable to attend due to an emergency or have changes, please let us know ASAP.

- Please only throw authorized objects in the parade such as candy, beads, etc. (no sharp or heavy objects). Water bottles may be handed out by walking members in the parade, but not thrown from vehicles. If in doubt, please ask (or just don't do it). Everyone's safety is our top priority.

- **Shriners will line-up in the "teacher" (back) parking lot as a group.** Someone will be in that area to line all Shrine Club participants up in order, then you will ALL exit as one group together at the appropriate time.

*This whole parking lot is designated for Shriner use. This is the ONLY exception to allow personal vehicles to be parked at the school. Please make sure not to block entries that will need to move.

- All approved ATVs will be given a specifically colored ribbon at registration. **Ribbon must be tied onto the ATV in a readily visible location at all times to participate.** Unapproved ATVs are restricted and law enforcement will be asking any unapproved ATVs to leave the festival/parade area, so those authorized for the parade must have ribbon easily visible and drive safely at all times. **ONLY THOSE APPROVED AT REGISTRATION OR PRE-REGISTRATION ARE AUTHORIZED, AND CONTACT INDIVIDUAL IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS IN THEIR ENTRY GROUP.**

- **ABSOLUTELY NO HORSES ARE ALLOWED IN THE GLENNVILLE SWEET ONION PARADE.**

- Parking for personal vehicles and trailers that need to unload (not in the parade) will be available at the Onshore/City auditorium (207 S. Tillman St.) parking lot which is only a few blocks away.

- Please do not unload or park non-parade vehicles on the middle school property or in the Department of Transportation parking lot! These areas will be VERY congested and are only for parade travelling vehicles!

IF THE VEHICLE IS NOT GOING THROUGH THE PARADE, IT CAN NOT BE PARKED AT THE MIDDLE SCHOOL OR ALONG SIDE/STAGING ROADS.

- With the festival moved downtown, the parade goes directly down the main strip full of not only parade watchers, but festival goers and vendors also. It will be crowded! It is also a tight fit in some places. Please make sure parade entries fit within the designated dimensions to travel these roads and make all turns, as well as under low power lines in places.

- We will have several volunteers scattered through the area helping line up & work the parade. Parade Staff will be wearing a bright **AnchorPointe "Volunteer"** t-shirt and will be assisting with the line-up. Please feel free to ask for help from these volunteers if needed. Please be respectful to these volunteers. Many are young adults or teens and are working hard to help make this parade a success for everyone. We need everyone to please be patient and cooperative; we have many entries in the parade and a lot going on in a short amount of time.

*****Anyone not obeying these rules, acting in an unsafe manner, or being disrespectful to parade staff volunteers (or other parade entrants) can and will be asked to leave, or further action may be taken depending on the severity. Let's have a fun and safe Glennville Sweet Onion Festival!!**