

# ***Iowa State Fair Parade***

## ***All Volunteers***

- Direct participants, to the staging lots and to/from the dispersion area.
- Provide information to the general public about the parade route, times, and parking.
- Be prepared to explain parade rules.

## ***Barricade Volunteer***

- Set up and take down your assigned barricade(s) before and after the parade.
- Allow authorized vehicles into the staging area and direct to their lot.
- Redirect unauthorized traffic to an alternative location.

## ***Staging Area Volunteer***

- Greet and check in entries.
- Arrange the entries in numerical order and let each entry know who they will be following.
- Report entries that do not show to the lot coordinator.
- Encourage participants to clean up their trash before departing for the parade route.

## ***Volunteer Along the Parade Route***

- Ask spectators to move off the street and curb and stay behind barricades.

## ***Dispersion Area Volunteer***

- Distribute pop/water.
- Facilitate the exit of all entrants away from/off the parade route.
- Encourage clean up of the area using trash bins and garbage sacks.
- Provide directions to participants and the public for leaving the area and/or returning to a vehicle parked along the parade route.

## ***Judges Stand Volunteer***

- Assist with documenting parade results.
- Display hand-held instructional signs for entries.
- Ask spectators to move off the street and curb and away from the judges' stand.

***Job opportunities for all skill levels!***

YES! I am interested in volunteering at the  
**Iowa State Fair Parade**  
August 8th, 2012

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (daytime): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (evenings): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer Choices (please pick a first and second choice):

\_\_\_\_\_ Barricades

\_\_\_\_\_ Staging

\_\_\_\_\_ Parade Route

**Training that includes maps and detailed information will be provided to all volunteers at the end of July.**

Complete and return this form to:

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