

August 1, 2011

Dear Royalty and Chaperones:

The Anoka Royal Ambassadors and committee would like to invite you to participate in the 2011 Anoka Halloween festivities! Attached you will find two items, (1) Royal Event RSVP and (2) Parade Registration Form.

To register for the 2011 Halloween festivities please complete the following:

1. ROYAL EVENT RSVP

Please indicate whether you will be attending the events listed. We need to know the number of people in your party in order to make sure we have enough space reserved. **DO NOT SEND PAYMENT.** All extra tickets needed may be purchased at the door. RSVPs should be received by September 15, 2011.

Royal Event RSVP should be sent to: Sonja Weiler 7351 149th Ave. NW Ramsey, MN 55303

2. PARADE ENTRY FORM

Note the dates and time of each parade, both require a non-refundable \$25 registration fee. The parade fee(s) should be sent along with all your entry form and photo or sketch of your unit by September 15, 2011 to be considered. Please note there will be **NO EXCEPTIONS** to this date. Receipt of application is **NOT** a guarantee into any of the parades. Applications will be reviewed and acceptance/denial letters will be sent out by October 1st.



2009 – ALL VISITING ROYALY UNITS <u>MUST</u> HAVE A FLOAT. FLOATS NEED <u>NOT</u> BE PROFESSIONALLY MADE; CREATIVELY DECORATED TRAILERS, BOATS ETC. WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE. CONVERTIBLES/TRUCKS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. **2010** – <u>LIMITED</u> ADVERTISING WILL BE ALLOWED ON FLOAT PULL VEHICLES. THE PULL VEHICLE SHOULD NOT DISTRACT FROM THE ROYALTY'S HALLOWEEN THEMED FLOAT. PLEASE INCLUDE PULL VEHICLE ON SKETCH WITH APPLICATION MATERIALS.

Parade Application Materials should be sent to: Anoka Halloween Parade Chairpersons 12 Bridge Square Anoka, MN 55303

QUESTIONS?

Many questions can be answered by referring to AnokaHalloween.com. For more specific questions contact:

Royal Event Questions
Email -- AnokaRoyalty@msn.com

Parade Questions Liz – 763-421-7130



2011 ANOKA HALLOWEEN ROYAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

October 21 Orange Tie Ball

This event features a formal dinner and dancing. Groups interested in attending should visit AnokaHalloween.com for more information.

October 22 Pumpkin Carving Contest

Royalty groups are invited to participate in the annual contest. The event begins around 3:00pm. Many groups participate in the contest, have dinner at a local restaurant, and then go to the parade line up.

October 22 Light up the Night Parade

Parade starts at 7:00pm with staging at 6:00pm (streets close). You are required to light up, have music, and have a novelty theme for this parade. A \$25 non-refundable registration fee is required to participate in this parade. A confirmation/regret letter will be sent by mail by October 1. A community bonfire is held following the parade near Anoka City Hall, parade participants are invited to attend.

October 29 **Pre-Parade Reception**

Anoka Legion (Beginning of Parade Route) 11:30am-Start of Parade All visiting royalty and their chaperones are welcome. An assortment of treats will be provided.

October 29 Grand Day Parade

Parade starts at 1:00pm with staging at 11:30am (Roads will close at 11:30am). Novelty themes are required for this parade. A \$25 non-refundable registration fee is required to participate in this parade. A confirmation/regret letter will be sent by mail by October 1.

October 29 Post Parade Dinner

Anoka High School 3:00pm

All royalty and one chaperone are complimentary, additional tickets will be available for \$10.00 at the door. ALL MONEY WILL BE COLLECTED AT THE DOOR. PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY PAYMENT WITH YOUR RSVP.

October 29 Royal Ambassador Coronation

Anoka High School 6:00pm

Coronation Attire: Formal

All royalty and one chaperone are complimentary, additional tickets will be available for \$10.00 at the door. ALL MONEY WILL BE COLLECTED AT THE DOOR. PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY PAYMENT WITH YOUR RSVP. There are large bathrooms available for changing.



2010 ROYAL EVENT RSVP

Please fill out this form COMPLETELY indicating the events that you will be participating in no later than September 15, 2011 to the address listed below.

<u>PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE ANY PAYMENT</u>, any additional tickets will be available for purchase at the door.

Community	Information
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Community Name	 	
Contact Person		
Address		
Phone Number		
Email Address		
Date(s) of Your Event		

Directions

Please check Yes or No indicating whether or not you will be in attendance at each of the events. If you check yes, please indicate the number of persons in your royal party.

EVENT	YES	NO	# ATTENDING
Pumpkin Carving Contest			
October 22, Riverside Park, 3:00pm			
Pre-Parade Reception			
October 29, Anoka Legion, 11:30am			
Post-Parade Dinner			
October 29, Anoka High School, 3:00pm			
Royal Ambassador Coronation			
October 29, Anoka High School, 6:00PM			

Please send this form <u>completed</u> to the following address by September 15, 2011:

Sonja Weiler 7351 149th Ave. NW Ramsey, MN 55303



Anoka, MN 55303

2011 PARADE ENTRY FORM FOR VISITING ROYALTY

COMMUNITY NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
PHONE:	CONTACT PERSON:
UNIT LENGTH:	# OF VEHICLES:
NAMES OF ROYALTY:	
BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF UNIT: (FOR COMMENTATOR USE.)	
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VEHICLE SHOULD NOT DISTRACT FROM THE ROYALTY HALLOWEEN THEMED FLOAT. PLEASE INCLUDE PULL VEHICLE SKETCH ON SKETCH OF FLOAT.

PARADE	YES	NO	\$25 CHECK & SKETCH ENCLOSED
Light Up the Night			
Saturday, October 22, 2011			
Parade 7:00pm, Staging 6:00pm (Streets Close)			
Grand Day Parade			
Saturday, October 29, 2011			
Parade 1:00pm, Staging 11:30am			
Roads close at 11:30am			
TOTAL ENCLOSED			

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY OR ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2011. VALID ENTRIES INCLUDE ENTRY FORM, FEE(S), AND SKETCH OR PHOTO OF UNIT (INCLUDING TOW VEHICLE). MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO ANOKA HALLOWEEN. RECEIPT OF APPLICATION IS **NOT** A GUÁRANTEE INTO ANY OF THE PARADES. APPLICATIONS WILL BE REVIEWED AND ACCEPTANCE/DENIAL LETTERS WILL BE SENT OUT BY OCTOBER 1ST.

MAIL TO:	Please indicate (X) wh
Anoka Halloween Parade Chairpersons	Class AA Float
12 Bridge Square	Class A Float (

Please indicate (X) which division your unit fits into:	
Class AA Float (Over \$3000)	
Class A Float (Under \$3000)	

If you have any questions regarding the **PARADES**, please call Liz at 763-421-7130.