

ASHINGTON CARNIVAL RULES

The starting point for the Carnival will be in Foster Lane between the Community Centre and the School. The parade will start at 1.30 pm and judging will take place at the start and during the procession.

Participating vehicles are to enter the start area via Church Lane and arrive no later than **1pm to be judged.**

Walking Groups or people arriving to join a float are to enter the start area via The Sands and drop off at the bottom of the road. Drop-Off parking is available on the road running at the bottom of The Sands and is limited to **10 minutes.**

During the parade we would ask that all groups keep up with the group ahead. A number of stops are planned during the procession.

The Carnival will finish on the Recreation Ground. Please park along the hedge to the right as you enter the field. Marshall's will guide you. Please be aware of pedestrians on and entering the Recreation Ground. Vehicles are to leave the Recreation Ground via the Exit into The Sands.

FOR THE SAFETY OF PARTICIPANTS AND SPECTATORS

- **No water pistols or water devices are to be used**
- **Nothing is to be thrown from the floats into the crowds**
- **The Police have asked that NO alcohol is to be consumed on the Carnival Floats before or during the procession**
- **Children are to be supervised at all times, Please ensure there is an adequate number of adults on the float and in the walking groups. Children must be kept safe during the procession and at the start and finish.**
- **Please inform drivers that there are a number of speed bumps along the route, take care when negotiating these.**
- **Please make every effort to keep up with the group ahead**

Two representatives from each group are requested to report to the stage/arena at 2.30pm prior to the presentation ceremony on the main stage.

Thank you for your participation in what we hope will be a memorable day. For all enquiries phone Margaret on 01903 892633

Participants in the Ashington Carnival take part at their own risk. Ashington Festival Committee cannot accept responsibility for any accident that might occur before or during the Carnival Procession however caused.

ASHINGTON CARNIVAL
SATURDAY 20th AUGUST 2022

I WOULD LIKE TO ENTER A **FLOAT/WALKING GROUP**
IN THE 2022 ASHINGTON CARNIVAL.

(Please delete where appropriate)

NAME OF GROUP OR ORGANISATION

TITLE OF ENTRY

CONTACT NAME

ADDRESS

PHONE NUMBER

EMAIL

DO YOU HAVE MUSIC? **Yes/No**

NO COLLECTION CAN BE TAKEN DURING THE
PROCESSION

Thank you for joining in the Carnival this year we are awarding
£100 for the best overall winner of the Floats/Walking Groups, £75 for 2nd best and £50 for the 3rd.
Please read the attached Carnival Rules.

Please return this registration form to Margaret at 19, The Sands. You will need to collect your
number or letter from Margaret so you can be judged. Can you please give them back after the day,
thank you.