# POC Christmas Boat Parade

Saturday, December 1, 2018

If you would like to participate in Port O'Connor's lighted holiday parade, please fill out the following information:

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Your Full Name	Name of Boat	
Boat Length Type	Cell Phone	
Mailing Address	City State Zip	

All boats and equipment must meet minimum Coast Guard Safety Requirements. A representative of each vessel must attend a Safety & Rules Meeting at 5:30 pm, Sat, December 1, 2018, at the Inn at Clark's. Awarding of Plaques will be shortly after the parade at Madden's Lounge. For more information, call Tigrett Real Estate at (361) 983-2671. Cut Along this line Please send this registration to:



Email Address

## **Boat Parade Registration**

Port O'Connor Chamber of Commerce PO Box 701 Port O'Connor, TX 77982. Or

Fax 361.983.4523 or email bill@tigrett.com or Drop the completed registration @Tigrett Real Estate

Late registration is at the Safety & Rules Meeting, Dec 1

**NO ENTRY FEE · Plaques Awarded For:** 

**Best Overall · Most Spirited · Most Unique Best Commercial · Best Large Pleasure** Best Medium Pleasure · Best Small Pleasure

Judges' decision is final.

Please practice safety on the water.

Participant is responsible for any damages or loss.



#### 5:30 PM - Safety and Rules Meeting at the Inn at Clark's (required by the Coast Guard)

1. Have a representative from your Boat to check-in and be present for the Safety and Rules Meeting. A VHF Channel will be announced for the Parade Use.

## 6:30 PM - Gather at the Starting Area

- 2. Coast Guard Cutter will be the First Boat. All other boats gather to the West according to the layout on the map.
- 3. Local Entrants will gather behind the Coast Guard Boat
- 4. Toy Run Boats will gather to the West of the Lead Toy Run Boat

## 6:45 PM - Coast Guard will Start the Parade

- 5. Next closest boat will follow and so forth. Keep Reasonable distances (150' 200' should suffice.) Best viewing of boats is when the boat is no further than midway in the ICW.
- The Main Viewing Areas are noted and that is where the masses will be. Interaction with the crowd is highly recommended
- 7. Continue the parade to the Command Post and Judging and Picture Taking. Slow and Pause for a Moment, Hold Up Your Placard with the Number Facing the Judges. A flash light signal will let you know when completed. Continue the parade until the Finish Turnaround Area.
- Have Fun and Be Safe Announcement by the Judges should follow shortly after the parade. Make sure we have a good Phone/Cell number to call you. Awarding of the Plaques will be at Madden's Lounge.