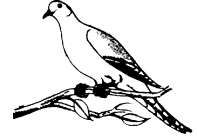


OLD WEST LONESOME DOVE FEST



Dear Friend:

We cordially invite you to participate in our **Annual Karnes City Rotary Lonesome Dove Parade**, which will be held on **Saturday, September 19, 2009 at 10:00a.m.** in downtown Karnes City. This event is held in conjunction with the Lonesome Dove Fest that will be held at the Karnes County Youth Show grounds. The Lonesome Dove Fest includes youth day on Friday and two days (Friday evening and Saturday) of activities including vendors, exhibits, games, entertainment, and more! Come join the fun!!!

Awards will be awarded in the following categories: Local Floats, Chamber of Commerce/Out of Town, Antique or Decorated Cars, Civic Org/Club/Church, or Miscellaneous. A Grand Prize & Reserve Grand Prize trophy will be awarded to the best overall entries. This year's parade will have an "Old West" theme. Use your imagination to promote your business/organization or just enter and have fun. **Add music to your entry to make the parade more exciting. We highly encourage music. Check in will start at 8:00a.m. in front of the Karnes City Library on Panna Maria Street. Judging will begin promptly at 9:00a.m. If you are not in place at 9:00 a.m. you will not be judged.**

You have been a very important part of our parade in the past and your entry this year will be greatly appreciated. Help us celebrate this special event by your participation.

Enclosed you will find your entry form. **Please return it no later than September 4th**, for a better parade position. Entries received after this date will be added to the end of the lineup. Remember **check in starts at 8:00a.m. & judging will begin promptly at 9:00 a.m.**

If you require any additional information please contact us at (830) 780- 3906.

Thank you,

Meredith Carter

Lonesome Dove Parade Chair
Lonesome Dove Committee