

The Great Lisbon FARMERS FEED THE HUNGRY Christmas Parade
Lisbon Christmas Parade . Saturday, December 10, 2016
Information for TRACTOR Parade Participants

PARTICIPATION: All entries must include some manner of motorized or mechanized farm equipment, so long as they have headlights and taillights.* Entries may haul hay wagons, floats, etc., wagon should either have lights or a “slow moving” reflective triangle affixed to rear. All entries must be decorated in holiday themes! Wagons or floats may include families, choral groups, bands, etc. Please note: The Great Lisbon Parade does not discriminate against tractor color.

REGISTRATION & FEES: No advance registration required. At the corner of Route 144 and Daisy Road, tractor operators will be invited to contribute a **donation of cash or check** (made payable to Lisbon Christmas Parade); amount of donation is at the discretion of the donor; a minimum of \$25 is recommended; and generosity is encouraged. All participants will be required to submit signed releases in advance or at the intersection of Route 144 and Daisy.

PRE-PARADE QUESTIONS: please contact Howie Feaga: [443-472-6264](tel:443-472-6264) or howie@merryacresfarm.com

PARKING: The Lisbon Shopping Center parking lot near intersection of Routes 94 and 99/Old Frederick Rd. Please be respectful of our hosts! Antique Tractors can park lot on southeast corner of Route 144 and Daisy Road, next to “official start.”

SCHEDULE: Rain, Shine or Snow!

3:30 PM Rally at the Lisbon Shopping Center parking lot

3:45 PM Leave Shopping Center parking lot in an orderly fashion, traveling east on Route 99/Old Frederick Road, south on Morgan Station Road; west on Route 144/Frederick Road.

4:30 PM Tractors idle at corner of Route 144 and Daisy Road for horse parade to finish passing by

5:00 PM **Approximately (dusk):** Tractor Parade officially starts

6:00 PM Roads re-open to traffic

DURING PARADE:

- Don't allow too much distance between you and the vehicle in front of you. Minimize gaps.
- Parade officials reserve the right to excuse any participant at any time.
- For safety, parade participants should not encourage spectators to come into roadway.

PARADE ROUTE:

- The route to queue up will begin on Route 99/OLD Frederick Rd leaving the shopping center
- East on Route 99/OLD Frederick Rd
- South on Morgan Station Road
- West on Route 144
- AT DAISY, “Official Parade” begins
- Route 94: parade ends, tractors/equipment to disperse, or park and participate in LVFD Christmas Festivities

AFTER PARADE: LISBON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT & NW CORNER OF ROUTES 144 & 94

- **Fried Chicken & Ham Dinner:** ADVANCE TICKETS (available at Fire Hall and other locations): \$12 per adult; \$6 per child | TICKETS AT THE DOOR: \$15 per adult, \$7 per child
- **LVFD Christmas Village Vendors & Pony Rides**
- **Bon Fire, Beer Garden & Music with Doug Phebus, “Karaoke with the King” plus Miranda Judd, our Locally-Grown “Maryland Musician”**
- **Raffle to Benefit the Food Banks: Drawings to begin at 6:30 p.m.**
- **Charity Drop-Off Areas**
 - Food Bank Donations (canned or boxed goods)
 - WFVFD Toy Drive (unwrapped new toys, please)

Be safe and have fun!