Golf Cart Parade Route

Abacoa Shops

Florida Atlantic University
John D. MacArthur Campus
5333 Parkside Drive
Jupiter, Florida 33458
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BUILDING LEGEND
AD  Administration/Classroom
AR  Huckethorn Arboretum
DH  Dining Hall Commons
EC  Education and Classroom
HA  Hibel Fine Arts
HC  Wilkes Honors College
HM  Hibel Museum
LB  Library
LL  Elinor Bermon Rosenthal Lifelong Learning Complex
MA  Malitz Center for Education
PA  Perloff Administration
PC  Perloff Classroom
PH  Pool House/Recreation Area
RE  Scripps Research Expansion
RF  Scripps Temporary Research Facility
RH  Residence Halls 1 & 2
SR  Student Resources/Classrooms
WB  Wilkes Psychology

DRIVING DIRECTIONS
From I-95: take exit 83 (Donald Ross Road) east to Parkside Drive. Turn North on Parkside Drive and turn right into parking area.

From Florida Turnpike headed South take exit 116 (Indiantown Road) east to I-95 South. From I-95 exit 83 (Donald Ross Road) east to Parkside Drive. Turn North on Parkside Drive and turn right into parking area.

From Florida Turnpike headed North: take exit 109 (PGA Blvd) east to Central Blvd. North. Turn West on Donald Ross Road. Turn North onto Parkside Drive and turn right into parking area.
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General Information

The Golf Cart Parade is becoming a new tradition during Homecoming week on the MacArthur Campus and will take place during this year’s Homecoming Festivities. There are two categories: 1) Student Organization or 2) Departments, and Offices. Golf carts will be provided for the parade. ORGANIZATIONS MAY NOT USE PRIVATE OR INDIVIDUAL GOLF CARTS. The competition in this event will be based on the decorations shown on the golf cart. Participants must provide all decorations and materials. Groups are encouraged to play music, throw prizes, wear costumes relating to the theme, and display school spirit, and may be judged accordingly. NO DISTRIBUTION OR CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL DURING THE DECORATING OR ON PARADE ROUTE IS ALLOWED.

Entry Process

Complete the Golf Cart Parade entry form provided. Include a sketch of your golf cart design.
Place your entry form and sketch in an envelope and return your entry form to the Burrow (SR Building)
NO LATER THAN – 4:00 pm, Friday, October 31st.

Parade Timeline

All decorations must be in place and in working order by 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 5th. At this time, the Homecoming Committee and Judges will preview the golf cart’s appearances. The parade will begin approximately at 2:00 pm and will follow a predetermined route through the MacArthur Campus. Maps will be provided. The parade should be finished by approximately 2:30 p.m. at the Tennis Court. Any trash or decorations that have not been picked up or disposed of in the appropriate manner will result in a deduction of points from that sponsoring group.
General Rules and Regulations

- All decorations and materials must be in place and in working order by 1:00 p.m. in order to participate in the parade and be considered for judging. Judges will preview the carts at this time.
- Decorations must NOT damage or deface the golf carts. Decorations must be temporary and removable. Items including, but not limited to, paint, glue, screws, nails, or wood may not be used to attach items to golf carts.
- Decorations must NOT interfere with the proper mechanical functioning of the golf cart. For example, decorations that would excessively weigh down the golf cart or impair tire or steering wheel movements are prohibited.
- NO MORE than 3 people are allowed to ride in each golf cart at any time. Other members of the sponsoring organization are encouraged to walk alongside of the golf cart during the Parade.
- Each cart must have a sign CLEARLY identifying the sponsoring department/organization.
- Golf carts must stay on the parade route and in the assigned order at all times.
- NO standing or walking in between golf carts while they are in motion.
- NO passing other golf carts at any time.
- NO hitting, bumping, reckless driving, or ramming other golf carts.
- Any harm done to FAU property or any individual will result in disqualification and the party responsible may be subject to University sanctions.
- NO stopping or delaying the progression of the parade.
- Participants are expected to behave courteously and appropriately at all times.
- Any golf cart or group with questionable or distasteful costumes, music, or decorations will be asked to remove the said item(s), or will not be allowed to participate in the parade.
- NO abandoning golf carts along the route. Should mechanical difficulties occur, signal one of the Committee members for assistance immediately.

For students: Violations of any of the above rules and regulations or damage to any FAU property risk potential Student Life Referral sanctions by the Dean of Students Office


**Judging**

Golf carts will be monitored at different checkpoints along the parade route. The judging will be based on the following criteria:

- *Decorations applied to the golf cart*
- *Display of school spirit*
- *Use of the Homecoming theme*
- *Creativity*
- *Costumes pertaining to the theme worn by participants*

A maximum of 10 points will be awarded in each category for a maximum of 50 points. All groups who would like to be considered for judging must **CLEARLY** display their organization name on the golf cart. *It is suggested that groups bring plenty of candy and other prizes for the spectators.* Music is also encouraged. Judges will be looking for groups that are highly involved with the crowd.
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Judging Sheet

Decorations: (max 20pts)

SCORE: _____

Display of School Spirit: (max 20pts)

SCORE: _____

Use of Homecoming Theme: (max 20pts)

SCORE: _____

Creativity: (max 20pts)

SCORE: _____

Participants’ participation and costumes: (max 20pts)

SCORE: _____

TOTAL: _______________________

Comments: ____________________________
Golf Cart Parade Entry Form

Department/Organization name: ________________________________

Contact Person: ________________________________

Phone Numbers (Home and Cell): ________________________________

Email: ________________________________

Alternate Name/Number: ________________________________

Campus Address: ________________________________

***Please Draw a Sketch of your Golf Cart in the Area Provided below*
(Need more room? Use the back of this page.)

THIS FORM IS DUE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31st @ 4:00PM
to the Burrow (SR Building)