

**RIDGEFIELD PARK BABY AND YOUTH PARADE 2009**  
**THEME: Ridgefield Park Salutes Our American Heroes**

**DATE: Saturday, July 4, 2009**  
**RAINDATE: Saturday, July 10, 2009**

**CHAIRMEN: MAUREEN MCELROY**  
**TERRY MCELROY**

**DIVISIONS**

**1<sup>st</sup> DIVISION (walking singly)**  
1 to 5 years  
**2<sup>nd</sup> DIVISION (walking singly)**  
6 Years to 12 years  
**3<sup>rd</sup> DIVISION (Pairs, groups, walking)**  
Birth to 12 years  
**4<sup>th</sup> DIVISION (Decorated carriages or strollers)**  
3 ft x 4 ft maximum  
**5<sup>th</sup> DIVISION (visiting children)**  
Up to 12 years old  
**6<sup>th</sup> DIVISION (Floats)**  
5 ft x 6 ft. Minimum size  
FLOATS MUST HAVE 4" WHEELS  
And MAY NOT EXCEED 11 FT IN HEIGHT  
**7<sup>th</sup> Division Decorated Bicycles**  
(No entry form is needed for Division 7)

**PRIZES**

*Trophies for all divisions*

**QUEEN'S TROPHIES**

*Most Attractive*  
*Most Humorous*  
*Most Original*

**PRIME MINISTER'S TROPHY**

*American Hero Award*

**COMMISSIONERS' TROPHY**

*Most Patriotic*

**SPECIAL AWARD FOR YOUNGEST BABY FROM**  
**RIDGEFIELD PARK**

**SEND ENTRY FORM TO: Maureen McElroy, 102 Gordon Street, Ridgefield Park, NJ 07660 or EMAIL TO: mam.4thofjuly@yahoo.com NO LATER THAN July 1, 2009 (ENTRY FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE PARADE+ PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

NAME OF ENTRY \_\_\_\_\_ DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF ENTRANTS \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

FIFTH DIVISION VISITING FAMILY OF (town, state) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH FOR YOUNGEST BABY \_\_\_\_\_

PARENTS' NAMES \_\_\_\_\_ HOSPITAL \_\_\_\_\_

**ALL CHILDREN MUST BE PRESENT TO RECEIVE PRIZES. THE DECISIONS OF THE JUDGES ARE FINAL.**  
**ALL ENTRIES MUST BE AT THE CORNERS OF EUCLID AVENUE AND POPLAR STREET BY 8:45 AM SHARP.**  
**ALL FLOATS MUST BE HAND PULLED. NO MOTORIZED ENTRIES.**

**ALL ENTRANTS ARE INVITED TO ENTER THE MAIN PARADE. FLOATS MUST HAVE WHEELS LARGER THAN 4 INCHES--THIS IS TO INSURE A SMOOTH SAFE PARADE. IN ADDITION, NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE PERMITTED IN ANY PARADE ROUTE.**

To ensure we have enough prizes, all children need to be pre-registered (except Division 7).  
You are welcome to march in the parade, but to be eligible to win a prize you need to be pre-registered.

*For additional information, please email mam.4thofjuly@yahoo.com*