

Krewe of Chemin Neuf | Mardi Gras Night Parade

January 31, 2026 | 6:00PM

Float Rental Application

Float Rental Fee: \$3,500

Includes: Driver CDL (Certified & Insured), Truck & Fuel, Generator & Fuel, Bathroom, Insurance, Signage, All Lights & Decorations, Entry Fee, \$500 worth of signature throws: Krewe of Chemin Pralines.

Rental Details & Important Information:

- The \$3,500 fee can be covered with as little as 20 riders at \$175/person. (Or, \$140/rider with 25 riders). This fee does not include throws.
- Each rider is responsible for their own throws; minimum of 1,000 beads or throws per rider
- 75% of throws are required to be lighted. 25% can be non-lighted items.
- Floats are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.
- All floats are priced equally, regardless of size.

Float Captain Responsibilities:

- Collection of money and all rider applications.
- Communication with all riders and being responsible for ensuring that riders follow parade rules.
- Attend at least 1 of 3 Zoom meetings regarding parade operations.

Payment Schedule:

- \$1,500 due by December 15, 2025
- Balance due by January 15, 2026
- Submit bead/throw purchase receipt from KCN or other outlet by January 15, 2026

Rider Policies:

- All riders must be 21 years old
- Children can ride if they are at least 12 years old and 48" tall (must be accompanied by an adult)
- All riders must complete a Rider Application
- Costumes encouraged; no face masks allowed
- All riders must sign the Family Friendly Adherence Policy (strict no vulgarity policy for music, attire, and throws)
- Violations will result in removal from the parade with no exceptions

Applicant Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Number of Riders: _____

Total Payment (Deposit): \$ _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

