Nelson Mandela Bay Pride
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FLOAT APPLICATION FORM
14th November 2026
Closing Date: 30th October 2026

SELECTION PROCESS:
We may assess all applications to determine which entries will be accepted into the NMB PRIDE Parade.
LGBTQIA+ and other organizations are encouraged to apply, and all applications will be assessed on meeting the eligibility criteria and providing a well-designed, creative & save concept.

FLOAT LEAD AND MARSHALL:
Each individual entry must provide one designated Float Lead and Marshall to act as the official liaison and emergency contact.
Marshalls must check in with our NMB PRIDE officials and ensure that their participants are at the starting point at the assigned time.

GIVEAWAYS & HANDOUTS:
Objects of suitable size or materials (e.g., small soft items) may be handed out on the Parade route to audience members. Please note: We ask entrants to consider the impact of rubbish along the parade route.

Liability for injuries to spectators remains with each entrant group.
NMB PRIDE reserves the right to prohibit items deemed unsuitable.
MEDIA: The Parade may be recorded and broadcast on television, as well as photographed from various media outlets.

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Your Entrant group's participation in the Parade constitutes permission to authorize official NMB PRIDE media partners to video, photograph, record and transmit the messages, signage, participants and vehicles/floats in your group during the Parade. You are responsible for notifying the individuals in your group about this section and that they may be captured on film for broadcast use.
USHERS: We need to keep the parade moving so we need to make sure each FLOAT LEAD keeps your group moving.

PARTICIPANT PERSONAL SAFETY:
Please follow all instructions of NMB PRIDE guidelines and Volunteers; they are there to help you. The parade will proceed in all weather conditions.
Please ensure your participants have sufficient sunscreen, water or weather protection that suits the conditions of the day.
NMB PRIDE retains the right to remove from the Parade any persons who appear intoxicated or under the influence of drugs OR alcohol.
ENTRANTS BRIEFING: All Entrants must attend the mandatory briefing session to be informed on Parade Day operations, logistics and safety. Entrants will be supplied with their group specific briefing pack which contains maps, designated parade position, arrival time and location.
Failure to attend the briefing session will forfeit your right to participate in the Parade. Successful Applicants will be notified of the confirmed date, time and venue of the briefing session.

RESTRICTIONS:
Restricted items open flames, pyrotechnics (fireworks), flares, fire batons, fire breathing (unless by trained professional with public liability cover), sparklers, sparks, weapons or imitation weapons, hazardous or flammable goods and goods prohibited by law. We also strictly control the use of projectiles and remote-controlled devices including any kind of drone, remote controlled helicopters, planes and cars.
Other restrictions include all forms of nudity, solicitation of funds, and campaigning.
Laws relating to the use of public space, car registration, driving under the influence, the consumption of alcohol and other drugs all remain in place during the Parade.
The Parade and start area are alcohol and drug free zones.

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Please fill out the following form-

Please tick what your float fall under -

Business float/group
Non profit or club float/group Individual float/group o Sporting Group
Other (Specify please)_____

Float Name – _____

Describe your float theme –
_____
_____
_____
_____

How many people will be in your float - _____

NMB PRIDE encourages participants to think big with their costumes, props, flags, inflatables, signs and portable elements. So how will you make your float be seen-
_____
_____
_____

Reference Pictures -
Please attach any pictures to clarify your theme.

Public liability cover details:
Please attach public liability details

Float Cost R0.00
Please Fill Out the following details:
Team Organizer Name
_____
Business/ Organization Name (if applicable)
_____

Contact Details
Phone Number – _____
Email - _____
Applicant Signature - _____

Please email your application back to
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