

Light Up The Night

HOLIDAY BOAT PARADE ♦ BEAUFORT, SOUTH CAROLINA REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

Join “**Main Street Beaufort and the Beaufort Sail and Power Squadron**” as we celebrate another festive holiday season on the Beaufort River. The 2017 Light Up The Night holiday boat parade takes place Saturday, December 2, 2017 in historic downtown Beaufort, South Carolina.

Participation Fee ~ \$20.00—All Recreational and Commercial Boats Welcomed

PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

- Who: Come One! Come All Large Boats & Small !!!
- What: **Each boat must have lights.** Participants are encouraged to be creative in designing their boats for the parade. Prizes will be awarded in six (6) categories.
- Award Categories: Best Decorated Power Boat Under 25'; Best Decorated Power Boat 25' & Over; Best Decorated Sailboat Under 30'; Best Decorated Sailboat 30' & Over; Best Decorated non-motorized vessel and Commercial Boats.
- Where and When: **Non-motorized vessels** will gather at the Downtown Marina Day Dock at 5 p.m., Saturday, December 2, 2017. Boats will make two passes by the seawall..
- Power Boats and Sailboats** will gather in the river in the vicinity of Buoy # 244 near **Port Royal Landing Marina at 5:15, Saturday, December 2, 2017.** The lead boat will arrive at the seawall at the Waterfront Park by 6:15 p.m. Boats will make two passes by the seawall. Winners will be announced at the end of the event. A winners list will also be sent to area news media
- How & How much: **Complete registration form and a \$20.00 entry fee must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, November 27, 2017.** Only **pre-registered boats with paid fees are eligible for prizes.** Each class must have two entries to compete for prizes. Applications will be accepted in person at the office of Main Street Beaufort, USA, 101 West Street Extension. or mailed to **Beaufort Sail & Power Squadron, 8 Blue Heron Circle, Beaufort SC 29907**

Questions about the event or application? Call Beaufort Sail & Power Squadron P/C Charles Borrmann, Jr. (843)812-8613 or (843) 522-3634

Forms may be mailed to **Beaufort Sail & Power Squadron, 8 Blue Heron Circle, Beaufort SC 29907.** Please return the application form and fee no later than 5 p.m. on **Monday November 27, 2017.**

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Please fill out the following application and return it with your \$20 registration fee. Please print or type.

Captain/Owner's Name _____ Boat Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ E-mail _____

Type of Boat (Power / Sail / Non-motorized/Commercial) _____ Length of Boat _____

Please provide a detailed description of your entry: ie, hull color, theme. (Non-descript entries will not be judged):

I certify that my boat or vessel is seaworthy and that as Captain, I will be responsible for it and my crew and passengers. I have all equipment required by the Coast Guard for a vessel of my size on board and a life jacket or flotation device meeting Coast Guard approval for each of my passengers. Also, I understand that I am responsible for my actions and those of any person on my vessel, before, during, or after this event. I further agree to follow the directions of the Coast Guard, Beaufort Sail and Power Squadron and the Beaufort Search and Rescue while participating in this event. The boat owner, boat captain, guests and crew agree to hold harmless the City of Beaufort, Main Street Beaufort, USA, the Beaufort Sail and Power Squadron and all event sponsors, named and unnamed, and associates for any damages or injuries or any civil liability resulting from their participation in the **2017 Light Up the Night holiday boat parade.**

Signature of Boat Owner or Captain _____ Date _____

Make checks payable to: Beaufort Sail & Power Squadron

**Mail checks & application to: Beaufort Sail & Power Squadron
8 Blue Heron Circle,
Beaufort SC 29907**

Final deadline to participate is Monday, November 27, 2017.

I agree to participate in the safety meeting at at 6:00 pm on Thurs, November 30th at Port Royal Landing Marina.

**My crew and I will participate in the after parade chili party at Port Royal Landing Marina
Yes # _____ or No _____**