



Fredericksburg Christmas Parade

c/o Fredericksburg Parks, Recreation & Events 408 Canal Street,
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

(540) 372-1086 www.FredericksburgChristmasParade.com

Parade Volunteer Job Descriptions

The parade goes on rain or shine! Volunteers are encouraged to wear warm clothing and bring umbrellas and any other necessary outdoor gear for their volunteer shift at the parade.

Volunteers

- Safety Meeting (if unable to attend, please let us know and we will send you a copy of the recorded meeting)
 - Wednesday, November 19, 2025, from 7PM – 8PM
- **Parade Day:** must report at City Hall Council Chambers no later than 2:30 pm, and responsibilities last until approximately 9 p.m.

If you have questions about volunteering, email Julie Weber jtweber@fredericksburgva.gov or Courtney Mersiowsky at csmersiowsky@fredericksburgva.gov

Volunteer Parade Marshal

Job Descriptions

- Manning a street-closed barricade before, during, and shortly after the parade.
- Move barricades in an emergency
- Answer any question that the public might have.

Requirements

- Must be a minimum of 18 years old
- A mature and level-headed
- Must be able to address situations in a calm and controlled manner
- Must be able to move barricades

Division Volunteer

Job Description

- Work directly with City staff in the parade staging areas to help line up and organize the 10-20 units in your assigned division
- Working beside a parade organizer to help line up the event.
- Pedestrian traffic control, providing directions on where to report in the line-up, answering general questions from the public, and directing spectators

Requirements

- Minimum of 21 years old
- Be mature and level-headed
- Be able to project your voice

Floater

Job Description

- Fill in where needed
- Assigned to a designated area (floater zone A, B, or C)

Requirements

- Minimum of 18 years old
- Be mature and level-headed