



2008 Lynchburg Christmas Parade
Hosted by the Lynchburg Fire & EMS Foundation, Inc.
December 6, 2007 - 5pm

MARCHING BAND INVITATION

July 1, 2008

Dear High School Band Director:

The Lynchburg Fire & EMS Foundation, Inc. cordially invites you to participate in the 2008 Lynchburg Christmas Parade Band Competition. The event will be held on Saturday, December 6th at 5pm in Historic Downtown Lynchburg. This year's parade will feature a high school band competition offering trophies and cash prizes totaling \$2,000.

Prize List

- Grand Champion (best overall appearing band): Trophy and \$500
- First and second place bands in each class (total of three classes): Trophy and \$300 (first) and \$200 (second)
- First and second place in each of the following categories (in each of the three classes):
 - Music
 - Colorguard
 - Drum Major
 - Percussion

Central Virginians of all ages love the annual Lynchburg Christmas Parade. Every December they turn out along the streets of historic downtown Lynchburg for two hours of marching bands, colorful floats, antique cars and motorcycle clubs, equestrian and military units, beauty queens, emergency vehicles, and much more. The Lynchburg Christmas Parade is the only annual parade in Lynchburg and it's even more exciting when it's held "under the lights" as dusk falls across Lynchburg.

We invite you take part in this exciting holiday event and competition. There is no registration fee for your participation. Simply fill out the enclosed registration form and return it by October 15th.

For more information visit our website at www.lynchburgparade.com or contact Jason Campbell at 434.942.6095. We look forward to your participation in this year's event.

Sincerely,

Jason D. Campbell
Parade Committee