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McNeese State University Supporter:

On behalf of McNeese State University, we would like to invite you to participate in the 2021 Homecoming Parade. As a member of the Southwest Louisiana Community, we want to recognize your contributions to the success of this University and ask that you join us in celebrating Homecoming 2021.

This year's parade will be held on **Thursday, October 21, 2021 at 7 p.m.** A **\$50.00** entry fee is required. We prefer if you remit your payment by credit card, but cash or check are accepted as well.

The 2021 Homecoming Committee has selected "**Rowdy Rocking Through the Decades**" as the theme for this year's Homecoming. We suggest using your creativity in decorating your parade entry supporting the theme. The opponent for the homecoming football game is University of Incarnate Word Cardinals. Community organizations have the option of participating in our annual float decorating competition. Winners of the competition will be announced at the pep rally immediately after the parade, and press releases will run the following week.

The McNeese Homecoming Parade is one of the largest parades in Southwest Louisiana. We are ecstatic it is returning following the last 16 months of great challenges. **Parade applications are due Monday, October 18 by 11:59pm.** Submit your application online by visiting www.mcneese.edu/homecoming or <https://forms.office.com/r/YVbCdQSqJg>.

In compliance with City of Lake Charles ordinances and McNeese State University policy, **we declare all aspects of the 2021 Homecoming Parade to be alcohol free.**

There will be an optional meeting on Tuesday, October 19, at 5:00 p.m. for all parade entries, both vehicles and marching units. Each entry is encouraged to send one representative to the meeting. **Entries that attend the meeting receive priority lineup positioning.**

Please contact 475-5609 or email studentservices@mcneese.edu for further information.

On behalf of the Homecoming Committee,

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