

## Greetings!

The **71<sup>st</sup> Annual Hesper-Mabel Steam Engine Days** will be celebrated on **September 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023** in Mabel, MN. We are hoping to get back to the original way of things and have our 2 great parades, on SATURDAY and SUNDAY. Both days the parade will start immediately following the Tractor Parade. The Steam Engines parade down Main Street at 12:00 NOON and the Tractor Parade starts at 12:15 from the Steam Engine Grounds. We mention this because the actual start time of the Grand Parade varies from year to year.

The Hesper-Mabel Steam Engine Days Parade Committee cordially invites you to participate in either parade or BOTH, if possible.

Please complete the information sheet that is attached and either e-mail or mail it to me no later than August 20, 2023. Instructions regarding your parade number, line-up time and area, and dispersal area will be sent out to those who intend to participate after September 1, 2023. If your entry is received after this date, you will just be added to the end of the line-up. If you should have any questions or special requests, please feel free to contact the parade committee listed below.

We will not be judging parade entries.

If you are no longer chairperson or point of contact, please forward this letter to the proper person or let me know so I can get it to the right person. We look forward to seeing you on September 9th and 10th!

Hesper-Mabel Steam Engine Days Parade Committee

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**Hesper-Mabel Steam Engine Days  
PARADE ENTRY FORM  
September 9th and 10th, 2023**

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO:**

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We will participate on:

\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday, September 9th

\_\_\_\_\_ Sunday, September 10th

\_\_\_\_\_ BOTH

*PLEASE NOTE: Candy or giveaways MAY be thrown from moving vehicles.*

Name of Organization	
Contact Person	
Address	
City/State/Zip	
Telephone Number	
Email Address	
<b>Please supply information on your unit for our parade announcers:</b>	

**TYPE OF UNIT:**

FLOAT (circle one)                      YES                      NO

length \_\_\_\_\_

VEHICLE (circle one) YES                      NO

Yr/Make/Model \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR: \_\_\_\_\_

MUSIC (circle one)                      YES                      NO