

BABY PARADE

September 17, 2026

Registration 6 PM ♦ Parade 7 PM

Rain Schedule:

During fair week, in the case of rain on Thursday evening, the Baby Parade will be scheduled for Friday morning at 10 AM. Registration at 9 AM, prejudging at 9:15 AM. Baby Parade would begin at 10 AM.

Parade Committee

Chairman

Barbara Tollinger - 1108 Dry Wells Road, Quarryville, PA 17566 ♦ 717-330-5749

Co-Chairman

Linda Bledsoe, Quarryville, PA 17566

Gifts for All Entrants

Compliments of Paul Risk Associates, Inc.

1. Any child 6 years of age and under is eligible to participate.
2. **PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED.** Division and class to be entered must be indicated on entry blank. Entry blanks shall be mailed to: Barbara Tollinger, 1108 Dry Wells Road, Quarryville, PA 17566. No phone entries will be accepted.
3. **Only one entry form is required for a pair or a group of children.** In walking division, more than one in a group will be classified as "Best Team."
4. All entrants must be registered and wearing a registration number to be eligible for prizes. Participants must complete the parade to be eligible for prizes.
5. All contestants in the Walking Division **MUST** walk or be carried. If a child is being pulled or pushed by another child or adult, they cannot enter the Walking Division.
6. All floats or vehicles on wheels must be hand pulled. Live animals are prohibited.
7. Entrants with platform built on wheels must enter Division B.I – Float (over 4'x4') or division B.II – Mini-Float (4'x4' or smaller). Division C – Vehicles on Wheels includes any decorated vehicle easily identified as a wagon, stroller, wheel barrow, etc.
8. The parade begins at 7 PM. **Contestants must report for registration at 6 PM. Prejudging at 6:15 PM at the fair grounds. Registration deadline is September 12, 2026. A category may not be changed after the registration deadline date.**
9. **No entrants will be accepted after prejudging begins.**
10. Only one person may accompany the entrant or two if someone is needed to pull the entry.
11. Judging will be based on 25% Theme and Overall Appearance, 25% Workmanship and Effort, 25% Costumes, and 25% Decorative Creativity.
12. The committee reserves the right to reject any entry not meeting their approval. Contestant parking will be available. Enter at upper driveway near the pond. Parking stickers mailed with entry verification should be put on windshield above inspection sticker.

Division A – WALKING

Best of Walking Parade – Trophy and \$50

Given by Ephrata National Bank, Quarryville, PA

Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Best Imitation of Nursery Rhyme or Fairy Tale.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
2. Best Characterization.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
3. Most Original.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
4. Best Team.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
5. Fancy Dress – Girl			
A. Birth – 2 yrs.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
B. 3 yrs. – 6 yrs.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
6. Best Dressed Boy			
A. Birth – 2 yrs.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
B. 3 yrs. – 6 yrs.....	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

Division B – FLOAT
Grand Prize Award: Best Float – Trophy and \$50
 Given by Debbie's School of Dance ~ 717-786-2177
 1409 Drywells Road, Quarryville, PA 17566

Division B.I – Float (over 4' x 4' or larger)

Class	1	2	3
1. Best Characterization.....	\$23.00	\$18.00	\$13.00
2. Miscellaneous.....	\$23.00	\$18.00	\$13.00

Division B.II – Mini Float (4' x 4' or smaller)

Class	1	2	3
1. Best Carried Out Theme.....	\$23.00	\$18.00	\$13.00
2. Nursery Rhyme, Fairy Tale or Storybook.....	\$23.00	\$18.00	\$13.00
3. Miscellaneous.....	\$23.00	\$18.00	\$13.00

Division C – Vehicles On Wheels
Best of Show, Vehicles on Wheels – Trophy and \$50
 Given by Southern-Belles Majorette Corps
 1108 Drywells Road, Quarryville, PA 17566 ~ 717-786-3799

Class	1	2	3
1. Best Carried Out Theme.....	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
2. Nursery Rhyme, Fairy Tale or Storybook.....	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
3. Miscellaneous.....	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00

BABY PARADE ENTRY BLANK

Full Name _____

Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Parent's Name _____

Address – Street, Box #, Town, State, Zip Code _____

Phone No. _____

Title of Entry _____

Division Desired

Class

Register No.

(Do not fill in)

Submit the above entry blank to: Barbara Tollinger, 1108 Drywells Road, Quarryville, PA 17566 by September 12, 2026. No entries will be accepted at anytime at the Fair Office. Please list additional names and addresses on separate paper if entry involves more than one child.