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Cranfest Parade Winners Announced

WARRENS, Wisconsin, October 5, 2009—Warrens Cranberry Festival is pleased to announce the winners of its 2009 parade.

This year's best of parade winner is Mauston High School Marching Band. Best of parade is chosen based on overall presentation and execution throughout the parade.

Marching band winners for the 37th Annual Cranfest parade included Elk Mound High School with a first place win in the 1A category. Onalaska Luther High School took second, and Gilman High School won third place in the same category.

In the 2A category, West Salem High School won first place, with Onalaska High School winning second and Black River Falls taking third.

Mauston High School were awarded first place in the 3A category. Medford Area Senior High marched into second place, and Sparta took third.

Waukesha South High School won first place in the 4A category.

Middle school band winners included first place West Salem Middle School and second place Adams Friendship.

In the drill category, La Crosse Pipes & Drums won first place, and Wisconsin Challenge Academy was awarded second.

Royalty winners included first place City of Durand Royalty, second place Sparta Butterfest and third place Cashton Fall Fest.

First place in the commercial category went to Jellystone Campground, with second place being awarded to Union Pacific's railroad car and third place to Deer Creek Dental.

In the service organization category, Monroe County Relay for Life won first place, Monroe County Tavern League won second place and Monroe County Crime Stoppers won third.

Kathy Hemmersbach took the top prize in the draft horse category with her Cinderella Carriage. She also claimed second place with her Percheron Horses and Show Wagon, while Brookside Clydesdales were awarded third place.

Clubs & organization winners included first place Tomah Lions Club and second place Star Gazers 4-H.

First place in the veterans organization category went to the U.S. Marine Corp Memorial, with second place being awarded to VFW Post 8494 in Alma Center and third to the Tomah VA.

In the specialty category, Click'n & Grin'n cloggers took first place, Zor Shrine Funsters won second and Zor Tin Lizzies won third place.

Eugene Kerska won first place in the adult novelty category. PJ Kazoo the Clown was awarded second, while Julie Pierce won third place.

Commercial novelty winners included first place Paul's Tire and second place Bog Restaurant.

First place in nonprofit novelty went to Monroe County 4-H Ambassadors.

Congratulations to all our winners, and we look forward to seeing you next year!

For more information about the Warrens Cranberry Festival parade, visit www.cranfest.com, or contact the office at 608-378-4200.

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The purpose of the Warrens Cranberry Festival shall be to promote the common good and general welfare of the community of Warrens, including holding an annual community festival and