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Gulfport, MS 39506**

**2025-2026
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Dear Parade Participants:

The Krewe of Gemini invites you to join us the 2025 Mardi Gras season and celebration of our 57th Anniversary. This year's theme is "MAD AS A HATTER"

Our Annual Parade will take place on Saturday, February 14th and roll down the streets of Downtown Gulfport.

Attached please find the required paperwork to participate. Along with the parade route. Both the Parade Application and Liability Indemnification forms **MUST** be completed for your float/vehicle to be registered to participate. We also require the following:

- A copy of your up to date vehicle insurance that will be used to pull a float and/or convertible vehicle you will be driving. We also will require a valid driver's license.
- Check or money order made out to the Krewe of Gemini. **NO CASH.**

Please return your paperwork to:

Krewe of Gemini P.O.
Box 6374
Gulfport, MS 39506

Assignments will be based on the order applications, appropriate paperwork and fees are received. If you have a preference where you'd like to be in line (front, back, middle), please include that on your application. If you have any questions, please email us at kreweofgeminigulfport@gmail.com. We look forward to you joining us as we celebrate Mardi Gras in Gulfport. See you at the parades.

Laissez Les Bons Temps Roulez!

Chase Moses
President
Krewe of Gemini

Jennifer Myers
Parade Captain
Krewe of Gemini

Enclosure:

Krewe of Gemini Parade Rules and Information

- It is expected that all participants will be in position no later than **ONE** hour prior to the start of the parade (late arrivals will be subject to placement at the end of the parade).
- The parade starts 2:00 PM on Saturday, February 14, 2026.
- Titles and position numbers of all units must be located on the top most section of the float on the passenger side. (Vital for line up and viewable to reviewing stand).
- Judging will be based on the following: Theme, Creativity, Uniformity and Spirit, and Parade Captain's choice.
- Please throw away from the floats; Please do not encourage spectators to come close to the floats for the safety of participants, drivers and spectators.
- The Krewe of Gemini will NOT be liable for any injury, accidents, or property damage caused by, or suffered by any participants in the parade. (Any injury, accident, or property damage caused by, or suffered by any participant, is the sole responsibility and liability of the participant ; therefore, your unit must be properly insured).
- Participants dress, and behavior are expected to be decent, and respectful. This is a family-oriented event and the behavior of the participants should reflect that. Inappropriate behavior or attire, may result in your removal from the parade and your Krewe not being allowed in future Gemini events.
- All drivers **MUST** refrain from the use of alcohol, drugs, or intoxicants of any form, and must not be under their influence while driving in the parades. Drivers must be in strict control of their vehicles at all times. The parade committee and the Gulfport Police Department will strictly enforce this rule.
- Drivers are not allowed to throw anything. This is for the safety of all participants.
- Vehicles pulling any float must be in good working condition so as not to break down and cause any delays in the parade. Any float or vehicle determined to be unsafe will be subject to removal from the parade.
- All units must stay within 30 feet of the unit in front of them, please keeps the parade moving.
- Please post a copy of these rules on your float so all Krewe members are aware of them.

Thank you for your participation in Mardi Gras 2026!

KREWE OF GEMINI
2026
"MAD AS A HATTER"
MARDI GRAS PARADE ENTRY FORM
GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI



Return Entry form to: Krewe of Gemini
PO Box 6374
Gulfport, MS 39506

Questions – kreweofgeminigulfport@gmail.com

Organizations Name: _____

Contact person: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone No.: _____ Email: _____

Type of Entry: _____ Float(s) _____ Marching Unit: _____ Convertible/Antique Car(s) _____
Length (tractor & float) _____ # of participants (marching) _____

MAKE ALL CHECKS TO THE KREWE OF GEMINI

____ Saturday, February 14th at 2:00PM **Float(s) - \$125.00 First unit \$50.00 for additional unit**

____ Saturday, February 14th at 2:00PM - **Marching Unit(s) –\$50.00**

____ Saturday February 14th at 2:00PM - **Convertible(s) & Antique Car(s) – \$40.00**

- **High School/College Bands and JROTC Units will not be charged to enter Parades.**
- MUSIC:** Float/Marching Unit/Vehicle Unit **WILL WILL NOT** have music. (Please circle one)

IMPORTANT:

- **The Krewe of Gemini is NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INJURIES.**
- **No Political or Pornographic Themes will be allowed.**
- **No Obscene gestures will be allowed.**
- **No Explicit lyrics**
- **Throwing or spraying of beverages from unit on parade attendees will not be allowed.**

Please fill out and return the "Indemnification and Hold Harmless Affidavit Form"



PLEASE GIVE A BRIEF NARRATIVE OF YOUR KREWE, FLOAT, ORGANIZATION, ETC.
PLEASE LIST ALL PRIOR AWARDS, SPECIAL RECOGNITION, PAST ROYALTY, DIGNITARIES
OR CELEBRITIES ON BOARD, ETC. THIS INFORMATION IS PASSED ALONG TO THE MEDIA
AND IS USED AT THE GRAND REVIEW STAND. YOU MAY ALTERNATIVELY EMAIL YOUR
NARRATIVE TO KREWEFGEMINIGULFPORT@GMAIL.COM AND MARK BELOW THAT
NARRATIVE HAS BEEN EMAILED. (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

NAME OF KREWE/FLOAT : _____

YEARS PARTICIPATING: _____

CITY: _____

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LIABILITY INDEMNIFICATION

For Participants in the Krewe of Gemini Parades

To Whom It May Concern:

I/We, _____, as participants of the Gemini Parade agree to Indemnify and Hold Harmless The Krewe of Gemini of Gulfport, Mississippi, including its Officers, Trustees, all individuals hired and/or assigned and appointed to assist with the parade, and the Owners and Drivers – from all claims, including but not limited to bodily injury, property damage and any other circumstances that may occur during the period of my participation, beginning with parade assemblage and line up and continuing during after the parade(s) end and until disassembly.

I/We have read and understand the rules listed in this application, and agree to abide by them, and any other instructions given by Parade officials, Krewe of Gemini officers, and law enforcement officers.

Witness

Authorized Signature

Date: _____

Date: _____

2026 Gemini Mardi Gras Parade

