

# Cañon City, Music & Blossom Festival Corporation

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Dear Friends & Neighbors:

Happy New Year! We hope this letter finds you well and as excited as we are for spring! Plans are already underway for the 80<sup>th</sup> annual Cañon City Music and Blossom Festival. As friends of the Festival, we would like to invite you to join our parade line-up and help us make the 2018 parade our best parade yet! We hope each and every one of you will seize this opportunity and join us in this exciting time!

The theme for the 2018 Festival will be a throwback to the 1980's! The 80's were a very unique era. They were full of colors, extreme fashion, sky-high hair, and iconic music. So break out those brightly colored leg warmers, parachute pants, and stone-washed jeans, fluff your hair and come celebrate Blossom's 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday May 2<sup>nd</sup>- 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018 because, "***Dude, it's the 80's!***"

The 80<sup>th</sup> annual parade will be on Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The parade will start at 1pm. Parade entry fees are \$50.00 for each entrant.

Visit our website at [www.ccblossomfestival.com](http://www.ccblossomfestival.com) to print out the parade entry forms and review the 2018 parade rules and regulations. All forms and fees must be received by **Wednesday, April 18, 2018**. General line-up information, rules & regulations, parade route map, parking information, and other important details will be posted on the website. This information along with your entry's specific line-up number will be emailed to you approximately 1 week prior to the parade.

When completing the forms for your parade entry, please ensure the forms are complete and include information about your entry. This information will be used by the parade announcers during the parade.

Please mail your completed parade entry applications along with your entry fee to the address shown below. Please make all checks payable to: ***Cañon City Music and Blossom Festival***.

**Cañon City Music and Blossom Festival  
Attn.: Parade Chairperson—Kristi DeGarmo  
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We look forward to hearing from you soon!

Sincerely,



Kristi DeGarmo, Parade Chairperson