

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

- a) In the interest of safety, every local trailer entering the carnival should have a certificate of road worthiness: this must be displayed in the towing vehicle.
- b) Any local entry displaying a sponsorship sign will be disqualified, forfeiting their grant and the right to be judged. Entrants may display 'loaned by' signs for the following items only: tractors, trailers, generators and lighting.
- c) All persons **MUST** comply with Road Traffic Regulations.
- d) A safety chain must be fitted from towing vehicle to trailer. If one is not fitted the entry will be disqualified from the carnival.
- e) It is the responsibility of each entrant to ensure that they are in the correct class and to ensure they can get around the carnival route.
- f) Insurance details form to be displayed in the towing vehicle.
- g) **IN THE INTEREST OF SAFETY YOU MUST NOT JUMP ON AND OFF YOUR TABLEAUX WHILST IT IS MOVING OR DURING THE PROCESSION, UNLESS THERE IS AN EMERGENCY.**
- h) **STRICTLY NO ALCOHOL** to be consumed on any tableaux.
- i) **NO SUBSTANCES** including foam or articles must be thrown, sprayed or allowed to escape from any tableaux.
- j) **ALL TABLEAUX MUST CARRY A FIRE EXTINGUISHER.**
- k) In the interest of safety, some form of restraint or handhold **MUST** be fitted to floats for the use of participants. A rope should be provided around the trailer when a strap or handhold is not practical.
- l) The entrant to nominate one person walking beside the tableaux to wear a marshall's bib.
- m) The judge's decision is **FINAL**.

PLEASE NOTE THAT ON THE NIGHT ITSELF A CARNIVAL OFFICIAL **WILL** BE CHECKING **ALL** OF THE ABOVE.

ALL TABLEAUX ARE TO ASSEMBLE IN THE MARKET VIA A386 BYPASS, BY 5.45PM FOR JUDGING AT 6.00PM PROMPT. CLASSES 1-6 MAY ENTER VIA HOLE COURT.

ALL TABLEAUX ARE TO BE REGISTERED IN THE MARKET OFFICE BY 6.00PM. (Please collect your marshall's bib). If there is an unforeseen problem (such as a flat tractor tyre) then it should be reported to the Market Office by 6.00pm. Exceptions do not include the lights, music not working or the weather.

ANY TABLEAUX NOT IN THE MARKET AT 6.00PM WILL NOT BE JUDGED.