



# Touch of Dutch Pet Parade

DeMotte, IN

Friday, August 10, 2018

Check-in at 5:30pm – Parade begins at approximately 6:00pm

This is a FREE event brought to you by the DeMotte Chamber of Commerce. Call the Chamber office at 219-987-5800 or download an application at the Chamber website: [www.DemotteChamber.org](http://www.DemotteChamber.org).

PET OWNER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ WORK/CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

PET'S NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_ TYPE OF PET \_\_\_\_\_

CATEGORY ENTERING:  Best Owner Look-alike  Best Costume  Coolest Trick  Best Theme  
(Check only one)

**Below: Please furnish details about your entry. This will be announced by the Master of Ceremonies for judging.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Due to the limited space for the Pet Parade, large farm animals are ineligible for the Pet Parade; however, they may participate in the Touch of Dutch parade on Saturday. A separate entry form is available for that on the Chamber website.*

**Pet Entry & Owner Disclaimer:** All eligible pets requiring vaccines, must present copies of updated/current vaccine records. All pets must be in a regulation cage or on a regulation leash. Please make sure that your pet is properly fed and has been watered prior to the event. Waste baggies are required and your responsibility, please bring plenty. You must clean up after your pet from the time you arrive at the park, to the time you leave. Pet waste must be disposed of in a waste bag prior to putting into the authorized waste receptacle available at the event.

*I understand and waive any claim that the Town of DeMotte, Festival sponsors and the DeMotte Chamber of Commerce will not be responsible for any theft, loss, damage to property or injury to persons or pets.*

*I also understand that the DeMotte Chamber of Commerce or any entity may use, for publicity or promotional purposes, my name, photo or video of me and my pet without liability, obligation or reimbursement to me.*

*\*\*\* By signing below, I understand the above rules and regulations of the Touch of Dutch Pet Parade. I am enclosing a copy of my eligible pet vaccination records. I will abide by all rules explained herein.*

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_ PRINTED \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**This signed application is REQUIRED for ALL applicants. The attached Liability Waiver must also be signed and accompany this application. No exceptions.**

Thank you. We are looking forward to seeing you and your pet at the *Touch of Dutch Pet Parade*. Check-in begins at 5:30pm on Friday, Aug 10. No late entries after 6:00pm. **Deadline for entries is August 3, 2018.**

Questions? E-mail the Chamber at: [info@demottechamber.org](mailto:info@demottechamber.org) or call or text 219-405-6840.

Mail application to:

DeMOTTE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
Touch of Dutch  
P.O.BOX 721  
DEMOTTE, IN 46310

*The Chamber office is located at 327 N. Halleck St. (between Tysen's Market and Shear Designs in the DeMotte Plaza)*

# TOUCH OF DUTCH FESTIVAL

## PET PARADE LIABILITY WAIVER

Pet Owner/Handler Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(print)

Pet(s) Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
(print)

I understand that my attendance in/at the Touch of Dutch Festival and Pet Parade is not without risk to myself, my pet, other family members or viewers, and other parade participants (human or animal "pet"). These include, without limitation, risks of physical injury, mental injury, emotional distress, trauma, death, contact with other participants and their pets, and property damage. All risks are known and appreciated by me. I waive any and all specific notice of the existence of the risks. I shall assume responsibility for and pay my and my pet's medical and emergency expenses in the event of injury, illness, or other incapacity regardless of whether I authorized such expenses. I agree that I, as owner of the above pet(s), am solely responsible for the pet(s) behavior and physical control and agree to carefully monitor and control it at all times.

By reading, signing and dating this document, I hereby waive and release Touch of Dutch Festival and Pet Parade, its sponsor (DeMotte Chamber of Commerce) and the Town of DeMotte along with its agents, employees and volunteers, Dr. Liability Waiver and/or owners of any or all premises on which this event is held, and/or its employees, agents and volunteers of said organization, from any and all damages, losses, fines, claims, suits, expenses (including attorney fees and defense costs), judgments and/or liabilities of any form or nature resulting from any act or omission of any pet or pet owner participating in the parade and photo session conducted at Spencer Park and/or under the auspices of DeMotte Chamber of Commerce and/or the Town of DeMotte along with its agents and employees. This release of liability includes, but is not limited to any injury, death, sickness or personal injury or property damage my pet or I may suffer while on or around the premises where the parade is held. This release also includes specifically, but without limitation, any and all forms of personal injury (including death) and property damage to myself, other persons, and other animals resulting from the act or omissions of any and all pets or pet owners and I expressly assume the risk of such damages or injuries and losses throughout the duration of the curriculum.

I also agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless any Businesses, Organizations and/or owners of all premises on which this parade/festival is being held, and/or the employee's agents, and volunteers of said owners from any and all claims, suits, losses, damages, expenses (including attorney fees and defense costs) judgments, fines, penalties and/or liabilities, due to any and all forms of personal injury (including death) and property damage which my pet or I may cause, or be alleged to have caused, to any person, animal, or property while on or around the premises where the parade is carried out, or in connection with the instruction provided by parade organizers, their employees, agents and/or DeMotte Chamber of Commerce and the Town of DeMotte along with its agents, employees and volunteers.

***Touch of Dutch Pet Parade is for domestic/house hold pets. Pets are encouraged to be dressed in Festive Attire. Pets must be able to motivate their own power, and no wagons, carts or sleds shall be permitted. All pets will be leashed or carried at all times, and unless they are performing for the Judges. Owners will be required to clean up after their pets. Awards will be determined by the judges' final decision. Pets are permitted on park property on Friday only.***

By my signature below, I hereby state that I fully understand and agree to the above terms and conditions in consideration for the parade provided DeMotte Chamber of Commerce and the Town of DeMotte and their members, agents, employees and volunteers.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(must be signed by a parent or guardian if under 18)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_