

Oklahoma City

HOLIDAY
RIVER PARADE

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARADE SET FOR DECEMBER 18TH

OKLAHOMA CITY (August 20, 2016) – The Oklahoma City Christmas Parade will take place at 6 pm on Sunday, December 18 on the Oklahoma River. An annual tradition, the river parade is the largest free family holiday event in Oklahoma City.

This year the parade festivities will include “Santa’s Elves River Show,” a parade of boats, the arrival of Santa and a spectacular fireworks show. The river parade festivities begin at 6 p.m. in the Boathouse District located at 700 South Lincoln Boulevard.

Anyone with a boat can enter the parade, and there are no entry fees to participate. Entry forms can be found on the parade website at www.okcparade.com. Boat entries must be appropriately decorated and participants must abide by all parade rules.

The Christmas Parade attracts thousands of people annually to the shoreline of the Oklahoma River. The inaugural parade took place in 2004 to officially open the Oklahoma River and to celebrate the completion of the MAPS 1 initiative. Due to construction of the new shoreline to support boathouse row, the parade was not held in 2010.

For parade sponsorships and general parade information visit www.okcparade.com or contact parade chairman Mike McAuliffe at 405.630.7668.