

**16th Annual**  
***"Michigan's Original"***  
**Country Christmas**  
**Lighted Farm Implement Parade**  
**Friday, December 4, 2009, 7:00 pm**  
**Sandusky, Michigan**



**Parade Description:** Our parade is designed to capture the spirit of Christmas in Sandusky's rural environment. Sandusky is proud of its location in the center of the Thumb's agricultural region. "Michigan's Original" Country Christmas Lighted Farm Implement Parade pays tribute to the Thumb's agricultural heritage - past, present, and Future.

**Parade Line-up at 4:30 pm – Judging Begins at 6:00 pm**  
**Hospitality Tent Opens at 3:00 pm**

**Parade Entry Period:** Parade registration should be received by Friday, November 27, 2009. Applications must be submitted to:

**Sandusky Area Chamber of Commerce**  
**26 W. Speaker St.**  
**Sandusky, Michigan 48471**

**Suggested Parade Viewing Locations:** M-19 from Redmond Street North to M-46 intersection, from M-19 / M-46 intersection West to Dawson Street. **Handicap parking is available by calling the Sandusky City Police at (810) 648-4016.**

**Parade Divisions:**

- Antique Farm Equipment and Tractors
- Privately Owned Modern Farm Equipment and Tractors
- Agricultural Equipment Dealers and Commercial Farm Suppliers
- Non-Farm Business (a) Small (b) Large
- Service and Non-profit Organizations
- School Buses
- Religious Community
- Fire Department Division

**Divisional Trophies Awarded Prior to Parade**

**~RULES~**

- All entries must be completely lighted and lighting should represent "Michigan's Original" Country Christmas Lighted Farm Implement Parade theme. (Tractors, combines farm equipment, wagon, etc.).
- No candy or other objects shall be thrown from the parade vehicles or floats.
- All parade entries must be operated in a safe manner at all times.
- The ONLY live Santa Claus allowed in the parade shall be on the Sandusky Chamber of Commerce official entry.
- Each entry must have its own power source.

**\*\* Coming 2010 \*\***  
**Parade Date - Saturday, December 4th**