

THE SUN BOWL ASSOCIATION WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING FOR THEIR SUPPORT OF THE 81ST ANNUAL FIRSTLIGHT FEDERAL CREDIT UNION SUN BOWL PARADE

(We apologize for any omissions or misspelled names.)

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Parade Supporters: Alta Vista Optimist Club, Airmix Welding Supply, Anita's Flowers, Aziz Jewelers, Bel Air Optimist Club, Big Boy Concessions Inc., Canutillo Sun Up Optimist Club, Challenge Boot Camp, Cielo Vista Optimist Club, Country Club Optimist Club, East El Paso Rotary Club, El Paso Community College, El Paso Downtown Lions Club, El Paso Five Points Lions Club, El Paso Ford Dealerships, El Paso Sun City Lions Club, First Baptist Church of El Paso, Girl Scouts of the Desert Southwest, Harding Orr & McDaniel, Hawk Logistics, Inc., HB Travel Service, Highlander Optimist Club, Juvenile Probation Department, Keep El Paso Beautiful, Kelly Memorial Food Pantry, Lorna Pelton, Martin Funeral Home, Millennium Optimist Club, Javier Reyes, Optimist Club of El Paso, Sarabia's Portable Jons, Shaffer House, Skyline Optimist Club, St. Clements Church, Sun Bowl Association Board of Directors & Advisory Board, Texas Youth Commission, Trinity First United Church, Union Pacific Railroad, Vista Hills Optimist Club.

Band Judges: Alvin Garcia, Charles Angerstein, Nellie Ponikvar, Shawn Goggin.

Float Judges: Ricardo Barraza, Ismael Legarreta, Mary Alice Shashy, Rebekah Lisette Wierson, Sharon Vass.

Material Donations for Float Construction: El Paso Machine and Steel Inc., Harbor Freight, The Home Depot.



Parade Committee: Jim Lawrence (Parade Chairman), Albert Woo, Alfonso Campos Jr., Annette Torres, Art Munoz, Bernie Sargent (Judge Chair), Carolyn Lawrence, Charla McDaniel, Charles Thomas, David Thackston, Doug & Barbara Bevins, Eddie Ramirez, Estefania Torres, Guillermo Jauregui, Harvey Roberson, James, Abbey and Amanda Lawrence, James Camacho, Jennie Larder, Jessica Duarte, Jesus Gonzalez, Jim Booher, Joe Ramirez, John Donovan, Kimberly Stephenson, Lesly Guerrero, Megany Guerrero, Mellicent Campbell, Mike Higuera, Mike Hicks, Natalia Flores, P.C. Melendez, Pat Ortega, Patrick Berry, Patsy Achim, Paul Berry Jr., Robert Jeskey, Sharon Ponce, Sissy Byrd.

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**2017 Sweepstakes Award
"Mississippi Riverboat"**
*Sponsored by Evolve Federal Credit Union
& built by the Crystal Blue Unicorns*



**2017 Queen's Award
"Gobble Squatch"**
Sponsored & built by Olympic Fitness Center



**2017 Princess Award
"Casey Jones"**
*Sponsored by El Paso Electric Company & built by
the Sun Bowl Association volunteers*



**2017 Duchess Award
"Dia de los Muertos"**
*Sponsored by the
El Paso Downtown Lions Club*



**2017 President's Award
"Glasgow Love Story"**
*Sponsored & built by El Paso State
Supported Center*



**2017 General's Award
"Paul Bunyan"**
*Sponsored & built by El Paso Cowboys
Football Team*



**2017 Governor's Award
"Johnny Appleseed"**
*Sponsored & built by Life Savers Transplant
Survivor volunteers*



**2017 Grand Marshal's Award
"Ghost Ship"**
Sponsored & built by Challenge Academy



**2017 Judge's Award
"Alice in Wonderland"**
Sponsored by Wet N' Wild Water World



**2017 Honorable Mention
2017 Sun Court "Betsy Ross"**
*Sponsored by Simon Properties-Cielo Vista Mall
& built by the Sun Bowl Association*



**2017 Honorable Mention
"Day of the Dead"**
*Sponsored & built by
Southwest University*



**2017 Honorable Mention
"Golden Bear"**
*Sponsored & built by Edison Hope
Leadership Christian Academy*



**2017 Honorable Mention
"John Henry, The Steel
Hammering Man"**
Sponsored & built by Estine Davis



**2017 Honorable Mention
"La Llorona"**
Sponsored by Amistad



**2017 Honorable Mention
"Old McDonald's Farm"**
Sponsored Sarah Farms



**2017 Honorable Mention
"Our Lady of Guadalupe"**
Sponsored by St. Patrick's Cathedral



**2017 Honorable Mention
"Revolucion Mexicana"**
*Sponsored by Association Charrow
Emiliano Zapata & Escarmuza*



**2017 ROTC Award Winner
Jefferson High School JROTC**



**2017 Marching Band Award Winner
Irvin High School Marching Band**



**El Paso Mayor
Dee Margo**



**Sun Bowl Association President
Bill Coon and family**



**2017 Sun Bowl Queen
Macy McBeth**



**Grand Marshal
"Honoring our WWII Veterans"**
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