

# 2023 APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL STEMILT GROWERS GRAND PARADE AWARD WINNERS

## FLOATS:

### GRAND SWEEPSTAKES AWARD

(The highest float award. Given to most outstanding float in the parade, regardless of division.)

- Olympia Capital Lakefair #31

### COMMUNITY SWEEPSTAKES AWARD

(Presented to the outstanding float in the Community division.)

- Manson Apple Blossom Festival #100

### SPIRIT OF THE FESTIVAL AWARD

(Presented to the outstanding float in the Community/Volunteer Made Division.)

- Moxee Festival #109

### STEMILT GROWERS SPONSOR'S CHOICE AWARD

(Given to the Sponsors favorite float, regardless of division.)

- Deer Park #94

### ROYALTY CHOICE AWARD

(Apple Blossom Royalty's favorite float regardless of division)

- Marysville Strawberry Festival #45

### \*GOLDEN APPLE AWARD (IN MEMORY OF BEN FRITZ)

(Awarded to a float deserving special recognition.)

- Oroville #38

EQUESTRIAN UNITS: (Cleanliness of Horse & Tack; Riding Apparel; Crowd Appeal; Parade Presence)

**Best Royalty Equestrian**      Ellensburg Rodeo Queen #50

**Best Group Equestrian**      Ellensburg Rodeo Posse #51

**Judge's Award**      Miss Spokane Rodeo Queen #41

**Most Original Clean-Up Crew**      Miss Spokane Rodeo Queen #41

SPECIALTY UNITS: (Uniqueness; Crowd Appeal; and Costumes)

**1<sup>st</sup> Place Specialty**      Wenatchee Row & Paddle Club #106

<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place Specialty</b>	<u>Jensen's Farms #107</u>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place Specialty</b>	<u>Kindness Counts NCW #48</u>
<b>Most Original Specialty</b>	<u>Parque Padrinos #52</u>

**BANDS:** (Appearance; Music Ability; Marching; Audience Appreciation; and Pre-Parade Inspection)

<b>AAAA Division</b>	1st Place	<u>Mariner High School</u>
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	<u>South Kitsap High School</u>
<b>AAA Division</b>	1st Place	<u>Kelso High School</u>
<b>AA Division</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	<u>Othello High School</u>
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	<u>Ellensburg High School</u>
<b>A Division</b>	1st Place	<u>Wahluke High School</u>
	2nd Place	<u>Cashmere High School</u>
<b>BB Division</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	<u>Manson High School</u>
<b>B Division</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	<u>Entiat High School</u>
<b>Drum Major</b>	Overall	<u>Wenatchee High School</u>
<b>Sweepstakes</b>	Overall	<u>Kennedy High School</u>

\*\*Wenatchee & Eastmont (except drum major) do not participate in band awards as the hosts

\*\*Sweepstakes winner is best overall band, regardless of division

\*\*1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> places are indicated by division

\*\*Best Drum Major is awarded regardless of division

**AUXILLIARY/DRILL TEAMS:** (Precision; Appearance; Originality; and Audience Appreciation)

<b>AAAA Division</b>	1st Place	<u>Kennedy High School</u>
<b>AAA Division</b>	1st Place	<u>Kelso High School</u>
<b>A Division</b>	1st Place	<u>Sultan High School</u>
<b>B Division</b>	1st Place	<u>Entiat High School</u>

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