

Bermuda Day 2021: Bermudian Resilience

Mini-Float Entry Categories

Art Float

- Design should be related to Bermuda Day theme: "Bermudian Resilience".
- Any float ineligible for the Natural Heritage or Upcycled categories will be considered in this category.
- Floats should be no larger in length and width than a shipping pallet; however, it can be any height.
- Judging for Art Floats will be based on: Artistic Impact of Design (45), Originality of Design (35), Inventiveness of Materials Used (20)

Natural Heritage Float

- Design should be related to Bermuda Day theme: "Bermudian Resilience".
- Local flora should be used as much as possible.
- No endemic plants should be cut but may be used when potted (e.g. Bermuda cedar).
- Sand may be used with consultation of Department of Parks but should not be the main element of the design.
- No moss. Any Old Man's Beard used should be returned to its original natural habitat.
- Papier-mâché can be used but must be covered by the natural foliage.
- Food colouring may be used.
- Spray paint may not be used.
- Paper and fabric may be used, but should not have unnatural patterns or designs. The intent is to mimic flowers if these materials are used.
- Floats should be no larger in length and width than a shipping pallet; however, it can be any height.
- *Some suggested materials: flowers, leaves, bark, fruits, vegetables, seeds, rice, beans, lentils, peas, nuts, egg shells, banana fiber, burlap, sawdust, etc. Contact the Department for more information.*
- Judging for Natural Heritage Floats will be based on: Artistic Impact of Design (35), Originality of Design (35), Variety of Materials Used (20), Condition of Materials Used (10)

Upcycled Float

- Design should be related to Bermuda Day theme: "Bermudian Resilience".
- All materials must be previously used and/or potentially destined for trash or recycling.
- Papier-mâché can be used.
- Sand may be used with consultation of Department of Parks but should not be the main element of the design.
- Paint may be used but should not be the main element of the design.
- Floats should be no larger in length and width than a shipping pallet; however, it can be any height.
- *Some suggested materials: aluminum cans, glass bottles, plastic bottles, plastic bags, newspapers, magazines, recycled clothing, old/broken toys, bottle caps, records, wrappers, coffee filters, milk cartons, old utensils, broken china, compact discs, and any other discarded materials.*
- Judging for Upcycled Floats will be based on: Artistic Impact of Design (35), Inventiveness of Materials Used (30), Originality of Design (25), Variety of Materials Used (10)