



Claremont's 4th of July Past Honorees

2024

Grand Marshal - Brett O'Connor
Honored Citizen - Kevin Ward & James Martin
Honored Community Group - Kiwanis Club of Claremont

2023

Grand Marshal - John Neuber
Honored Citizen - Raul Rodriguez
Honored Community Group - Carmen Flores and Tatiana Guerrero

2022

Grand Marshal - Shelly Vander Veen
Honored Citizen - Robin Leonhard
Honored Community Group - Claremont Community School of Music
Community Heroes - CLASP Tutors and Techies
Rising Star - Kelly Xu

2021- No Celebration

2020- No Celebration

2019

Grand Marshal - Lissa Petersen
Honored Citizen - Cindy Sullivan
Honored Group - Woman's Club of Claremont
Blue Ribbon Special Honoree – American Legion Keith Powell Post 78

2018

Grand Marshal - Sister Terry Dodge
Honored Citizen - Barbara Rugeley
Honored Group - Uncommon Good
Blue Ribbon Special Honoree – Kim McCurdy

2017

Grand Marshal - Paul Cooper
Honored Citizens - Sam & Barbara Mowbray
Honored Group - Community Senior Services
Blue Ribbon Spirit Award – The Claremont Irregulars



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2016

Grand Marshals - Chester & Eileen Jaeger
Honored Citizen - Charles Farritor
Honored Group - Claremont Educational Foundation
Blue Ribbon Special Honoree – Florence Cohn

2015

Grand Marshal - Marilee Scaff
Honored Citizens - Jerry & Maury Feingold
Honored Citizen- Robin Gottuso
Honored Group - Pilgrim Place

2014

Grand Marshals - Fritz & Mary Weis
Honored Citizens - Leo & Rosie Bister
Honored Group - Friends of the Claremont Library

2013

Grand Marshal - Chuck Freitas
Honored Citizen - Hal Hargrave Jr.
Honored Group - CERT
Blue Ribbon Spirit Award- Claremont Museum of Art

2012

Grand Marshal – Mike Alpert
Honored Citizen – Sandy Baldonado
Honored Group – Sustainable Claremont

2011

Grand Marshal – Linda Elderkin
Honored Citizens – Chris & Barry Ulrich
Honored Group – CHS Wolfpack Alumni Society
Blue Ribbon Spirit Award – CHS Theatre Department

2010

Grand Marshals– Paul & Kay Held
Honored Citizen – Rita Wodinsky
Honored Group – CLASP



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2009

Grand Marshal – Dennis Smith
Honored Citizens – Roberto & Judy Flores
Honored Group – Meals on Wheels
Blue Ribbon Spirit Award – Marguerite McIntosh

2008

Grand Marshal – Charlene Martin
Honored Citizen - Theodora "Teddie" Warner
Honored Group – The Economy Shop
Blue Ribbon Special Honoree – Milford Zornes

2007

Grand Marshal - Ginger Elliot
Honored Citizen- Suzanne Thompson
Honored Group- Community Friends of International Students of the Claremont Colleges

2006

Grand Marshals - Butch & Rosemary Henderson
Honored Citizen - Jess Swick
Honored Group - Katrina Claremont Red Cross Volunteers
Special Honoree - Dick Guthrie

2005

Grand Marshals - Randy & Rhonda Prout
Honored Citizens - Bob Fagg & Sonja Stump
Honored Group - Claremont Hills Conservancy Corporation
Blue Ribbon Committee Special Honoree - Maribeth Jacobs Ellsworth

2004

Grand Marshal - Karen Rosenthal
Honored Citizen - Kathy Ables
Honored Group - Claremont Teen Committee

2003

Grand Marshal - Algird Leiga
Honored Citizen - Captain Russ Brown
Honored Group - Committee on Aging



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2002

Grand Marshals - Ellen & Marshall Taylor

Honored Citizen - Mary Ann Barkery

Honored Group - Ranch Santa Ana Botanic Gardens Volunteers

2001

Grand Marshal - Suzan Smith

Honored Citizens - Nick & Joan Presecan

Honored Group - Claremont High School Key Club

2000

Grand Marshals - Jack & Jil Stark

Honored Citizen - Muriel Faith O' Brien

Honored Group - Veterans of WWII

1999

Grand Marshal- Diann Ring

Honored Citizen- Helaine Goldwater

Honored Group- Claremont Heritage

1998

Grand Marshal- Sue Keith

Honored Citizen- John & Billie Maguire

Honored Group- EDNET

1997

Grand Marshal- Judy Campbell Wright

Honored Citizen- Marilee Scaff

Honored Group- Claremont Chamber of Commerce

1996

Grand Marshal- J. Michael Fay

Honored Citizens- Martin & Jan Weinberger

Honored Group- Claremont P.F.A.

1995

Grand Marshals- Jim & Mary Jane Merrill

Honored Citizen- Joan Bunte

Honored Group- Claremont High School Chorale Group



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1994

Grand Marshals- Betty & Sandy Sanford
Honored Citizens- Caroline Beatty & Monsignor William Barry
Honored Group- League of Women Voters

1993

Grand Marshal- Gordon Curtis
Honored Citizens- Raymond & Edna May Soper
Honored Group- Claremont Kiwanis

1992

Grand Marshals- Jill & Warren Schimpff
Honored Group- Claremont Red Cross

1991

Grand Marshals- George & Katharine Benson
Honored Citizen- Hank Maxwell
Honored Group- Desert Storm & all Veterans

1990

Grand Marshal- Richard Kirkendall
Honored Citizens- Bob & M.L. Stafford

1989

Grand Marshal- D.A.R.E. Program
Honored Citizen- Ann McIntyre

1988

Grand Marshal- Alex Hughes

1987

Grand Marshal- T. Willard Hunter
Honored Citizen- Harmon "Bud" Day

1986

Grand Marshals- Fred & Alice Bentley
Honored Citizen- Enid Douglass

1985

Grand Marshal- E. Wilson Lyon
Honored Citizens- Residents of Pilgrim Place



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1984

Grand Marshal- Monsignor Barry

1983

Grand Marshals – Dwight & Jo Smith

Honored Citizen – Gus Kitterle

1982

Grand Marshal – Stan Larson

1981

Grand Marshal – Jerry Voorhis

Honored Citizens – Jan Phares & Dr. Joe Platt

1980

Grand Marshals – Red & Carmen Corson

Honored Citizens – Rosa Torres & the Junior Women's Club

1979

Grand Marshal – Judy Kern

Honored Citizens – Hester Powell & Robert Bernard

1978

Grand Marshal – Edward Malan

1977

Grand Marshal – Doc Blanchard

1976

Grand Marshals – Angelo Agos & Jeanette McSweeney

1975

Grand Marshal – Bob Frampton

1974

Grand Marshal – Ed Boynton

1973

Grand Marshal – Colonel John Stavast



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1972

Grand Marshal – Chief of Police Charles Lines

1971

Grand Marshal – Unknown

1970

Grand Marshal – Glenn Miller

1969

Grand Marshals – Coach Esper Keiser, Coach Jack Smith and Coach Robert Claprood

1968

Grand Marshals – Sgt. Tony Baltierra, John McCarthy and Gabriel Smilkstein

1967

Grand Marshal – Mrs. Elva Miller

1966

Grand Marshal – Arthur L. Welling

1965

Grand Marshal – William H. Brownlee

1964

Grand Marshal – Unknown

1963

Grand Marshal – E. Wilson Lyon

1962

Grand Marshal – Robert Bernard

1961

Grand Marshal – Jean and Joe Platt

1960

Grand Marshal – Richard Armour

1959

Grand Marshal – Stuart G. Wheeler



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1958

Grand Marshal – Major General Homer F. Eaton

1957

Grand Marshal – Unknown

1956

Grand Marshal – Unknown

1955

Grand Marshal – Dr. E. Wilson Lyon

No Date

Grand Marshal – John Russell