

A PARADE OF COMPARISONS...

The Krewe of Bacchus Officer's float will carry Bacchus officers and INDYCAR drivers as special guests. A whimsical look at the float and a Verizon IndyCar Series car:



BACCHUS OFFICER'S FLOAT



VERIZON INDYCAR SERIES CAR

VS.



WEIGHT



WIDTH



HEIGHT



SPEED



ENGINE



FUEL



LINEUP

5.5 TONS
(WITHOUT RIDERS)

12 FEET

17.6 FEET

FASTER THAN ALLIGATOR,
SLOWER THAN BOBCAT

300 HP
(OF THE TOWING FARM TRACTOR)

BIODIESEL

33
ANIMATED AND COLORFUL FLOATS

1600 LBS.
(WITHOUT DRIVER)

78 INCHES

40 INCHES

235 MPH

650 HP
(2.2-LITER TWIN-TURBO DIRECT-INJECTED V6)

E85

33
SLEEK AND COLORFUL RACE CARS

FIRST KREWE OF BACCHUS PARADE:
1968
(NOW HELD YEARLY SUNDAY BEFORE FAT TUESDAY)

FIRST INDIANAPOLIS 500 MILE RACE:
1911
(NOW HELD YEARLY SUNDAY BEFORE MEMORIAL DAY)

FAST (OR NOT SO FAST) TO THE FINISH:

The parade winds along a 6.3-mile route to completion in about 6 hours. Including pit stops, the winner of the inaugural Indy Grand Prix of Louisiana on April 12 will cover the 162 miles in about 90 minutes.

