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Thank you to the Osgood's - former Citizens of the Year, family and friends for turning the night magical by flipping the switches. Also to Interact for handing out the goodies and keeping our kids safe.

# "Pink Pals"

## The Grand Marshalls of the Festival of Lights Parade

York Town Hall

until 5:00pm

cookies and cider

Thank You to Mike Lee, his family and the crew at Lee Tree for stringing all of the lights throughout the village each year. Also York Village Fire Dept for helping this year. Thank You!

**York Parks and Recreation Department & the Festival of Lights Committee**

*The Festival of Lights is held annually on the first Saturday of December to give thanks to our community for making York the delightful place it is and to celebrate the warmth and tradition of the New England holiday season.*

## CELEBRATIONS

*Join local retail establishments in York Village for Open House Celebrations. Many will be serving refreshments. Please stop in throughout the day or during their extended business hours. Celebrations listed on the back.*

The Lights for the trees were donated by:

Anne Erwin Sotheby's International Realty  
Bagel Basket  
Bonnie and Richard Hennessy  
Bragdon Real Estate  
Greater York Chamber of Commerce  
Kennebunk Savings Bank  
Lee Tree  
Museums of Old York  
Shoreline Construction  
Town of York  
York Hospital  
York Village Business Assoc.



# THURSDAY-SUNDAY



## **Festival of Art Student Showcase**

Sponsored by York Parks and Recreation Department and The York Art Association. Holiday Showcase of Student Art from the York Schools grades K-12 held at the York Art Association Building on Rt. 1A in York Harbor. Thursday, December 5th, 6:00pm-7:30pm- Music by York Strings @ 6:30pm.

*Showcase will be open during regular gallery hours December 5th-8th*

## **George Marshall Store Gallery**

"Winter Expectations" - Invited New England Artists share their views and impressions of the season and Robin Cody - "Mirror Image," a selection of recent paintings.

10:00am-4:00pm Thursday-Saturday and always by appointment.

# FRIDAY

## **Jingle, "Junque" Sale and Luncheon-York Senior Center**

10:00am-1:30pm-York Senior Center. Lunch served 11:00am-1:00pm

## **Polar Express**

York Parks and Recreation-SOLD OUT! Event hosted at The Daily Grind

## **Festival of "Fostering" Trees**

Friday 10:00am-8:00pm / Saturday 10:00am-8:00pm /

Sunday 10:00am-4:00pm Fosters Clam Bake

## **Holiday Story Hour & Book Sale**

Friday 10:30am York Public Library-Book Sale 10:00am-5:00pm

# SATURDAY



## **Breakfast With Santa-Lobster Cove Restaurant**

8:00am-10:00am Enjoy a light complimentary breakfast and a visit with Santa.

Sponsored by York Parks and Recreation. Regular menu also available.

## **Music Boosters Annual Poinsettia Sale**

10:00am-12:00pm at York High School new music wing. Poinsettias are 6" and cost \$9.00 each. All proceeds benefit York Music Boosters.

## **Greens and Wreaths Sale**

9:00am-12:00pm-Greens and wreaths. First Parish Church Hall, York Village Green

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## **Festival of Lights Holiday Crafts Fair**

9:00am-2:00pm at Village Elementary School. This "buy local, community building event" includes a kids only shopping area, the Candy Cane cafe and over 30 local vendors.

## **Festival of Gingerbread Houses**

10:00am-2:00pm-Festive Gingerbread Houses on display through Dec 19th. Contest winners announced at 11:00am at York Public Library.

## **Here Comes Santa Claus**

11:00am-12:00pm Bring your camera for a photo with Santa. A "Partners in Sharing" program sponsored by RE/MAX Realty One-York Public Library

## **Scavenger Hunt**

12:00-6:00pm York Rotary is sponsoring a scavenger hunt throughout the Village. Pick up your "passports" at area businesses and earn a chance to win an HD Kindle Fire.

## **Paint with Santa**

1:00pm-2:30pm Paint an ornament for your tree or gift giving w/-FireFly Pottery. There will be a special discounted childrens rate of \$3.00 per ornament. YMS cafeteria

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## **A Christmas Tea**

Noon-4:00 pm at Jefferds Tavern. A holiday tradition, featuring fresh-baked scones with clotted cream and jam, homemade sweets, and a selection of teas. \$10 adults; \$5 children (5-14); children under 5 free - Museums of Old York.

## **Holiday Film Festival and Book Sale**

11:00am-1:00pm Carnival of Cartoons-York Public Library. Holiday Book Sale Friday

10:00am-5:00pm / Saturday 10:00am-2:00pm

## **Happy Holidays**

4:00pm-4:30pm Crystal Tones: Sing-a-long. From the steps of the Old Methodist Church in the center of the Village.

## **Lighting of the Village**

4:30pm Village Square

## **The Festival of Lights Parade**

4:30pm-From Foster's Clam Bake through the Village Square ending at Village Elementary School.

## **Visit with Santa**

5:00pm - Remick Barn. Meet Santa following the parade. Cookies and cocoa served.

## **First Parish Church**

Sing-a-long with Crystal Tones in between the following performances:

5:30pm-6:00pm York Strings-Grade 2-4 Violinists

6:00pm-6:30pm York Middle School Jazz Band

6:30pm-7:00pm York High School Chamber Singers

## **A Christmas Carol-Directed by George Hosker-Bouley**

7:30pm-Third year production by York Parks and Recreation of Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" at York High School. Tickets are \$5.00/children under five FREE.



# SUNDAY

## **American Girl Doll Tea Party**

1:00pm-2:30pm York Harbor Inn. Must pre-register at York Parks and Recreation Office

## **A Christmas Carol-Directed by George Hosker-Bouley**

2:00pm-Third year production by York Parks and Recreation of Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" at York High School. Tickets are \$5.00/children under five FREE.

## **George Marshall Store Gallery**

See above description. Sunday by appt only.