



Hanover Christmas Committee

CHRISTMAS IN HANOVER &
MAIN STREET HANOVER

The Hanover Christmas Committee, in conjunction with Main Street Hanover and local civic organizations request to hold the following activities for the 2021 holiday season:

Free Holiday Parking

We also request permission for free parking in all metered parking spaces in the Center Square everyday for the full season, and the remaining metered parking spaces in the Borough, all day on Fridays and Saturdays, beginning November 26 and ending January 1. This courtesy is meant to encourage shoppers to visit downtown Hanover throughout the holiday season. The Committee understands the potential lose of revenue. If there is a cost associated with this request we may be able to find a sponsor for this holiday benefit.

Christmas Tree

Deliver, erect, and secure a live Christmas Tree in the gazebo quadrant of Center Square the week of November 8, 2021 with the assistance of Public Works – to be scheduled at a later date.

Electric to be accessed and connected by qualified personnel from Swam Electric for the operation of lighting and sound equipment during the period of the tree installation.

Santa Parade

The Christmas Parade begins from Baer Avenue playground on Friday, November 26 at 8:00 am formation, 9:00am start. Route is same as in prior years – can be provided if requested.

Tree Lighting Ceremony

Cordon off the gazebo quadrant, where the tree is, and Santa's Cabin quad, from 4 – 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 27, to erect a sound system and a small stage for entertainment, as part of the Ceremony beginning at 6 pm. RAIN DATE: Sunday, November 28, 6 pm.

We are asking for the assistance in directing pedestrian traffic at the crosswalks during the hour before the tree lighting and the 30 minutes following the event.

The tree is to be lit nightly from 4 p.m. until 1 a.m. every night there after the evening of November 27, 2021 except for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day in which the tree is to remain on all night and all day as well as all night New Year's Eve and all day New Year's Day and turned off indefinitely at 1 a.m., on January 2, 2021.

Hanging of the Greens

Hang the greens in Downtown Hanover and along Eisenhower Drive in November. In addition, permission is requested for the local civic organizations to decorate the four quadrants in Center Square.

Christmas Tree Wars

This downtown event will be taking place again this year – kickoff on Saturday, November 27, and will run until the New Year. No Borough assistance is necessary.

2021 Santa’s Hours

The hours for Santa’s cabin are as follows:

- Fri. Nov. 26: 9 a.m.-12 p.m., 1-5 p.m. 6-8 p.m.
- Sat. Nov. 27: 10 a.m.-12 p.m., 1-6 p.m. (Small Business Saturday)
- Mon. Nov. 29: 6-8 p.m.
- Fri. Dec. 3: 6-8 p.m.
- Sat. Dec 4: 10 a.m.-12 p.m., 1-6 p.m.
- Mon. Dec. 6 thru Fri. Dec. 10: 6-8 p.m.
- Sat. Dec 11: 10 a.m.-12 p.m., 1-6 p.m.
- Mon. Dec. 13 thru Fri. Dec. 17: 6-8 p.m.
- Sat. Dec. 18: 10 a.m.-12 p.m., 1-6 p.m.
- Mon. Dec. 20 thru Thurs. Dec. 23: 6-8 p.m.

Remove decorations after January 2, 2021. Take down and remove the tree between January 4 – 9, 2021.

We appreciate the support of the Borough of Hanover, the council and staff, in putting on these cherished Christmas activities.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Justine Trucksess
Executive Director
Main Street Hanover