

HOLIDAY EVENTS GUIDE

- 1 **Magic of Lights**, Nov 17 to Dec 31 at Oregon State Fairgrounds.
- 2 **Santa arrives** aboard the Carousel Express Train, 12 p.m. Nov 24, outside Salem's Riverfront Carousel.
- 3 Salem's Riverfront Carousel is accepting **letters to Santa** starting Nov 24.
- 4 **Holidays in Hudson**, 7:30 p.m. Nov 30 and Dec 1 in Hudson Hall at Willamette University.
- 5 **Holiday Open House**, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Dec 2 at Deepwood Museum & Gardens, 1116 Missions St SE.
- 6 The **Downtown Salem Holiday Parade**, 6:30 p.m. Dec 1.
- 7 Confluence Willamette Valley LGBT Chorus presents **The Most Wonderful Time**, 7:30 p.m. Dec 1 at UCC Salem, 700 Marion St NE.
- 8 **Gala of Trees**, 5:30 p.m. Dec 1 at Salem Convention Center
- 9 **Salem Etsy Team Handmade Market**, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Dec 2 at Oregon State Fairgrounds.
- 10 **Holiday Princess Tea Party**, 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Dec 2 at Salem's Riverfront Carousel.
- 11 Elsinore Holiday Films: **Home Alone**, 2 or 7 p.m. Dec 2 at the Elsinore Theatre.
- 12 **Etegami**, Dec 2 at the World Beat Gallery, 390 Liberty St SE. Two sessions: 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.
- 13 **Star Tree Lighting** at 6:30 p.m. and **Family Holiday Concert**, 7 p.m. Dec 2 in Hudson Hall at Willamette University.
- 14 Koto/Cello **Holiday Concert**, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dec 2 at the World Beat Gallery.
- 15 **Holiday Craft Day**, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Dec 3 at Salem's Riverfront Carousel.
- 16 **Krampus Night**, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Dec 3, at Salem Convention Center, 200 Commercial St SE.
- 17 **Oregon Symphony: Holiday Brass**, 7:30 p.m. Dec 3 at the Elsinore Theatre.
- 18 **Winter Wreath Workshop**, 6 to 8 p.m. Dec 5 at Common People Yoga, Pringle Park Plaza, 360 Liberty St SE.
- 19 **O Christmas Tea: A British Comedy**, 7:30 p.m. Dec 6 at the Elsinore Theatre.
- 20 **Tower of Power's Holidays & Hits Tour**, 7:30 p.m. Dec 7 at the Elsinore Theatre.
- 21 **Jingle Bell Relay**, 4:30 p.m. Dec 8 at Riverfront Park.
- 22 **Holiday Soirée 2023**, 6 to 10 p.m. Dec 8 at Illahe Hills Country Club.
- 23 **Holiday Tree Lighting**, Dec 8 at Salem's Riverfront Park, 200 Water St SE.
- 24 **Salem Holiday Market**, Dec 8-10 at Oregon State Fairgrounds.

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25 Theatre 33 presents **Holiday Shorts**, Dec 8-10 and 13-15 in the M. Lee Pelton Theatre at Willamette University, 900 State St.

26 Cherry City Roller Derby's **Wreck the Halls**, 4:30 p.m. Dec 9 at *The Mad House*.

27 American Ballet Academy presents **A Children's Nutcracker**, 7 p.m. Dec 9 and 2:30 p.m. Dec 10, at *Elsinore Theatre*.

28 **Breakfast with Santa**, Dec 9 and 16 at *Salem's Riverfront Carousel*.

29 **TR Melton Memorial Race for the Rest of Us**, 3 p.m. Dec 10 at *f/Stop Fitzgerald's Public House*, 335 Grove St NE.

30 **Holiday Skate** hosted by Traveling Wheelz and Cherry City Roller Derby on Dec 16 — 4 to 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 to 10 p.m. at *The Madhouse*, 1335 Madison St NE.

31 **Santa Crawl**, 6 to 10:30 p.m. Dec 16, starting at *Travel Salem Visitor Center*, 630 Center St NE.

32 Willamette Master Chorus presents **Holiday Concert: Carols for the Season**, 3 p.m. Dec 16 and Dec 17 in *Hudson Hall* at *Willamette University*.

33 Premiere Academy of Performing Arts presents **The Nutcracker**, 3 p.m. Dec 16 and 17 at *the Elsinore Theatre*.

34 Festival Chorale Oregon presents **Sing We Now of Christmas**, 4 p.m. Dec 17 in *Loucks Auditorium* at *Salem Public Library*.

35 Elsinore Holiday Films presents **The Year Without a Santa Claus** and **Jack Frost**, 2 and 7 p.m. Dec 18 at *Elsinore Theatre*.

36 Elsinore Holiday Films presents **Elf**, 7 p.m. Dec 19 at *Elsinore Theatre*.

37 **Magic at The Mill**, 5:30 to 8 p.m. Dec. 19-23 at *Willamette Heritage Center*, 1313 Mill St. SE.

38 **Holiday Pajama Party with Santa & Friends**, 5 to 7 p.m. Dec 20 at *Salem's Riverfront Carousel*, 101 Front St NE.

39 Rocky Mountain High Experience, **A John Denver Christmas**, 7:30 p.m. Dec 20 at *the Elsinore Theatre*.

40 **Yule Make Music**, Dec 21.

41 Chemeketa Community College's Night of a Thousands Lights Concert series presents **The Music of A Charlie Brown Christmas**, 7:30 p.m. Dec 22 in the auditorium at *Chemeketa Community College*.

42 Willamette Valley Horn Academy presents **A Holiday Horn Recital**, 3 p.m. Dec 23 in *Loucks Auditorium* at *the Salem Public Library*.

43 Salem Symphonic Winds presents **Salem Tuba Holiday**, 12 p.m. Dec 24 at *Elsinore Theatre*.

44 **Free rides** (with canned food donation) 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Christmas Eve (Dec 24) and New Year's Eve (Dec 31) at *Salem's Riverfront Carousel*.

