



Our Hometown Holiday Season of Events All Season Long

Santa House

EXPERIENCE THE MAGIC OF THE SEASON AT THE SANTA HOUSE. BACK ON SECOND STREET BY THE COURTHOUSE FRIDAY, SATURDAY, AND SUNDAY FROM DECEMBER 1 ONWARDS. SO SWING BY AND VISIT WITH SANTA - CHECK OUT THE FACEBOOK EVENT FOR HIS SCHEDULE!

Letters to Santa

PEN YOUR WISHES ON OUR CUSTOM HOLLY JOLLY HAMILTON POSTCARDS - AVAILABLE AT LOCAL SHOPS & RESTAURANTS IN HAMILTON. DROP YOUR LETTERS IN SANTA'S MAILBOX AT MARCUM PARK & HIS ELVES WILL SEND YOU A LETTER BACK.

Reindeer Games

EMBARK ON A CITY-WIDE ADVENTURE TO HELP SANTA LOCATE HIS MISSING REINDEER AND SAVE CHRISTMAS! EXPLORE WWW.HAMILTON-OHIO.COM/HRC TO UNCOVER THE CLUES SCATTERED AROUND TOWN. JOIN THE QUEST NOW!

Pyramid Hill Lights

ILLUMINATE YOUR NIGHTS AT PYRAMID HILL'S HOLIDAY LIGHT SHOW SPECTACULAR! STARTING ON NOVEMBER 21ST HAMILTON RESIDENTS CAN ENJOY FREE ENTRY WITH PROOF OF RESIDENCY EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT. EXPERIENCE THE MAGIC OF THE SEASON LIKE NEVER BEFORE!

DORA on Ice

SIP AND SAVOR THIS HOLLY JOLLY HAMILTON WITH OUR EXCLUSIVE DORA ON ICE COCKTAIL & CRAFT BEER GUIDE! ENJOY SPECIAL OFFERINGS FROM HAMILTON'S DORA SERVING ESTABLISHMENTS. SURE TO BE A DELIGHTFUL TASTE-TESTING JOURNEY AROUND THE DORA.

Cheers!

★ November Events ★

Hamilton Holiday Sneak Preview

JOIN US FROM 5-9 PM FOR A DOWNTOWN HAMILTON HOLIDAY SHOP HOP OFFERING AN EXCLUSIVE 'FIRST LOOK' AT SMALL BUSINESSES' FESTIVE INVENTORY. SNAG THE FINEST GIFTS BEFORE THEY VANISH. TOP IT OFF WITH DINNER & DRINKS IN THE DORA.

Do not open until Christmas

Christmas Vacation Trivia & Ugly Sweater Contest

THE HAP-HAP-HAPPIEST CHRISTMAS VACATION TRIVIA THIS SIDE OF THE NUT HOUSE. JOIN US FROM 7-9 PM AT CASUAL PINT HAMILTON TO PLAY ALONG. MAKE SURE TO WEAR YOUR UGLIEST SWEATER - THERE WILL BE A CONTEST!

Music on Main

WHERE LOCAL LIVE MUSIC HARMONIZES WITH SHOPPING, DINING, DORA DELIGHTS, AND MORE! EXPERIENCE SANTA PHOTO OPS, FROLIC IN FAKE SNOW, JOIN IN CAROLING & RELISH EXTENDED HOURS AT LOCAL SHOPS AND RESTAURANTS FROM 5-9 PM.

Hamilton Welcomes the Holidays Tree Lighting

BE PART OF THE MAGIC FROM 5-8 PM AT HAMILTON'S ANNUAL TREE LIGHTING EVENT IN MARCUM PARK! ENJOY HOLIDAY MUSIC, LIVE REINDEER, DELIGHTFUL CARRIAGE AND TRAIN RIDES, FACE PAINTING, BALLOON ARTISTS, COOKIES, AND MORE.

17STRONG Friendsgiving Ornament Exchange

IT'S A GIVE & TAKE THIS FRIENDSGIVING! JOIN 17STRONG FROM 5-7 PM AT BASIL 1791 FOR A FUN ORNAMENT EXCHANGE. GOT A WEIRD SANTA BOBBLE THAT IS LOOKING AT YOU STRANGE? SWAP IT OUT! ALSO - BRING A CANNED GOOD FOR GOOD MEASURE FOR SHARED HARVEST FOOD BANK.

Small Business Saturday

AFTER BLACK FRIDAY IT'S TIME FOR SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY-AN EXCLUSIVE DAY DEDICATED TO CHAMPIONING OUR LOCAL GEMS. EXPLORE SHOPS WITH EXTENDED HOURS & SPECIALS. JOIN US IN SUPPORTING THE HEART OF OUR COMMUNITY ONE PURCHASE AT A TIME!

★ December Events ★

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Hamilton Ornament Crawl

DECEMBER 1-17 CRAWL AROUND TOWN TO COLLECT 10-20 UNIQUE ORNAMENTS FROM LOCAL HAMILTON SHOPS - EACH VALUED UP TO \$15. THIS EVENT REQUIRES A TICKET PURCHASED THROUGH THE GREATER HAMILTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.



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Hamilton Christkindlmarkt

EXPERIENCE THE MAGIC OF AN AUTHENTIC GERMAN CHRISTMAS AT OUR TWO-DAY EVENT ON FRIDAY (12/1) FROM 5-9 PM AND SATURDAY (12/2) FROM 11 AM-9 PM AT THE BUTLER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS! ENJOY FOOD, DRINKS, GIFTS, AND LOTS OF GERMAN TRADITIONS.



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Santacon Hamilton & 1k Fun Run

Must be 21+ with valid id

SANTAS ARE COMING TO TOWN WITH HAMILTON'S INAUGURAL SANTAICON! THE DAY KICKS OFF AT MARCUM PARK WITH A JOLLY 1K SANTAICON FUN RUN. THEN THE JOLLIEST BUNCH OF SANTAS WILL TAKE TO THE DORA DISTRICT FOR A FULL DAY OF FUN & MAYBE A LITTLE MISCHIEF.

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Holiday Open House Lane Library

A DELIGHTFUL HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE FROM 1-3 PM. IMMERSE YOURSELF IN THE FESTIVE SPIRIT WITH LIVE HOLIDAY JAZZ & PIANO MUSIC PERFORMED BY THE TALENTED CHRIS COMER TRIO. CREATE FESTIVE SEASONAL CRAFTS & MAKE CHERISHED MEMORIES.



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Ugly Sweater Bar Crawl

Must be 21+ with valid id

DON YOUR MOST FESTIVE AND UGLY SWEATER FOR A NIGHT OF FUN IN THE DORA! GET EXTRA POINTS IF YOUR SWEATER IS LIT-BOTH FIGURATIVELY & LITERALLY! THIS EVENT REQUIRES A TICKET PURCHASED THROUGH THE GREATER HAMILTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.



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Joy to the Wald

11 AM-3 PM AN ANNUAL TRADITION CONTINUES AT A NEW LOCATION! JOIN US AT LINDEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FOR JOY TO THE WALD. EVERY CHILD GETS A FREE GIFT! PHOTOS WITH SANTA ARE AVAILABLE. EVERYONE CAN ENJOY FREE COOKIES & PIPING HOT CHOCOLATE.



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Illuminate Hamilton

EXPERIENCE THE ENCHANTMENT FROM 5-9 PM AS DOWNTOWN HAMILTON COMES ALIVE WITH LIGHTS. ENJOY A SPECTACULAR LASER LIGHT SHOW ILLUMINATING OUR ICONIC BUILDINGS. BUSINESSES WILL EXTEND THEIR HOURS. COME EXPLORE THE MAGIC OF THE SEASON.



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Light Up the Loop

STROLL OR ROLL THROUGH THE WASHINGTON NEIGHBORHOOD 6-8 PM TO EXPERIENCE 2.3 MILES OF GLOWING LUMINARIES. SANTA WILL BE OUT & ABOUT. CAROLERS WILL BE SINGING. TAKE CLEVELAND AVE TO TABOR LANE TO START YOUR JOURNEY. ALL ARE WELCOME.



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Christmas Wonderland

10 AM-8 PM ENJOY CHRISTMAS WONDERLAND AT MARKETS AT PLEASANT TREASURES. A FREE EVENT FOR PEOPLE OF ALL AGES - CRAFT SHOW, BAKE SALE, ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS, RAFFLES, PICTURES WITH SANTA, AND EVEN A VISIT FROM THE GRINCH!



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That's a Wrap

IT'S YOUR FINAL CHANCE TO TICK OFF THOSE LAST ITEMS ON YOUR LIST! OUR LOCAL SHOPS ARE EAGER TO ASSIST YOU. PLENTY OF STOCKING STUFFERS, GIFTS & GIFT CARDS TO BE FOUND. ENJOY COMPLIMENTARY GIFT WRAPPING AT THE VISITORS CENTER AT 150 HIGH STREET 12-5 PM.



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'Twas the Night Before Christmas with Santa

GATHER AROUND AT THE LANE LIBRARY FOR A MAGICAL EVENING AS WE BRING "'Twas the Night Before Christmas" to life. PUT ON YOUR COZIEST PAJAMAS AND JOIN US FOR ENCHANTING STORYTELLING, FESTIVE CRAFTS & DELICIOUS COOKIES & MILK FROM 6-7 PM.



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