



Celebrate the spirit of the season with 200 years of American holiday traditions.

Welcome to the most festive time of the year in Greenfield Village. Step through the gate and immerse yourself in more than 200 years of American Christmases.

There's music galore, from brass bands and choirs to the enchanting tinkle of hammered dulcimers. There are horse-drawn wagons, Model T's and ice skating, too. (Forgot your skates? Don't fret. We'll lend you a pair of ours.) There's street after lantern-lit street as well, lined with historic homes and shops decked out in their holiday finery. Also, if you've been very, very good this year, you might even run into Santa and his reindeer holding court at the Robert Frost Home. There's scrumptious holiday food, too, and dozens of picturesque photo opportunities just waiting for you and your camera.

There's so much happening that we've created this colorful and fact-filled guide to help you plan your way through the festivities. So prepare yourself for the sights, sounds and tastes of America's favorite Christmas — Holiday Nights in Greenfield Village.

 **Holiday Dining and Treats**

Nothing reminds us more of the holiday season than food. Enjoy a wonderful variety of holiday sweets, savories and libations in the streets or at A Taste of History Restaurant.

Holiday Lodge

Craft Beer, Snacks and Murdick's Fudge from Mackinac Island

Central Market on State Street

Homemade Stew, Carved Ham Sandwiches, Hot Beverages and More

Main Street Market

Flame-Roasted Beef Carving
Hot Roast Beef Sandwiches
Hot Chocolate Stand
Hot Chocolate, Drinks and Snacks
Roasted Chestnut Stand
Hot Fresh Chestnuts

Sir John Bennett Sweet Shop

Candy Shop, Hot and Cold Beverages

Christmas Cheer! Tent

Craft Beer and Cocktails, Snack Food

Washington Blvd. Hot Chocolate Stand

Hot Beverages, Cookies and Plum Pudding

Village Pavilion

Snacks and More

A Taste of History® Restaurant

Traditional Turkey Dinner, Soups, Desserts, Beverages and More

Burbank House

Hot Beverages and More

 **Holiday Shopping**

Holiday Shopping Hours:
6:30 p.m.-10 p.m.

Liberty Craftworks Store

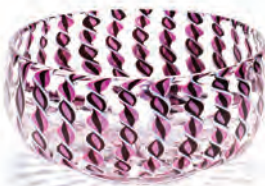
Main Street Emporium

Village Store

Lantern Shop

Be part of the festivities with an official Holiday Nights Lantern.

Ornament Shop



Holiday Shopping

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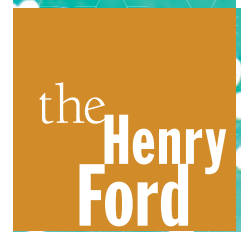


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Holiday Nights Activities

The holiday icons will help you locate activities and services by their placement on the map. Most activities are open until 10 p.m. **Sing-along and grand finale begin at 9:40 p.m. on the Village Green.**



Holiday Cooking

(Until 9:45 p.m., as fireworks begin)

Holiday recipes come to life in our historic kitchens. Pick up a recipe card at each of the historic cooking demonstrations. Each kitchen features one recipe card from the evening's menu, compliments of Meijer.

Ford Home

A savory bouquet of holiday cooking fills this Midwestern home with Christmas cheer in 1876.

William Holmes McGuffey Birthplace

Fire dancing in the hearth tenderly roasts wild game in our 1803 Pennsylvania log house.

Edison Homestead

With a Christmas goose roasting in the oven, a sideboard laden with sweets hosts an Edwardian holiday delight in 1915.

Susquehanna Home and Plantation

In 1860 Maryland, plantation society Christmas was a time for weddings, celebrations and a rare reprieve from heavy work for those enslaved.

Giddings Family Home

The rich aroma of chocolate wafts throughout this 1760s New England home of a prosperous trader, merchant and shipbuilder.

Daggett Farmhouse

Christmas was not observed in New England in 1760, but hearth and home still warm the soul.



Musical Performances

Music has been part of holiday celebrations from the very beginning. Enjoy a wide variety of live music throughout Greenfield Village.

Bandstand near Covered Bridge..... Christie Street Quartet

Farris Windmill 1st Michigan Colonial Fife & Drum Corps or Plymouth Fife & Drum Corps

Liberty Craftworks District Festival Singers, Simply Dickens or Livonia Civic Chorus

Logan County Courthouse..... Neil Woodward, Michigan's Troubadour

Sounds of America Gallery Picks & Sticks Stringband

A Taste of History..... Ranka Mulkern (hammered dulcimer)

Town Hall Front Porch Main Street Quartet

Wright Home (nearby) Dodworth Saxhorn Band or Greenfield Carolers

Village Pavilion Fiddlesix (Simply Dickens, December 6 & 12)

Near Ford Motor Co. and near State Street Lunch Stand Volunteer Choirs

Liberty Craftworks
Glassblowing & More

Find historic craft demonstrations and great gift ideas at the glassblowing, pottery, weaving, tin and print shops.

Ice Skating Rink
6:30 p.m. - 9:40 p.m.

Grab a pair of loaner skates and hit the ice.

Christmas Trees and Greens Sales

Traditional balsam fir trees and selected wreaths and holiday greens available for purchase.

Village Greens Market
Bagley & Main Street

The Henry Ford Christmas Tree Lot
Henry Ford Museum, near Michigan Café

Sing-Along & Fireworks
at 9:40 p.m.

All are welcome to join the lantern procession, sing-along and fireworks display.

Santa & Live Reindeer
6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Through December 23

You better watch out, and you better not pout! Santa Claus and his reindeer have already come to town, and you can find them at the Robert Frost Home.

Make Merry with the Mummers

Taking to the streets in outlandish costumes and performing for food, money and drink was a custom that thrived in our Eastern cities in the first half of the 19th century. Join in the fun once again!

Holiday Vignettes and Activities

Make your way through over 200 years of Christmas history.

Sleigh Vignette
(Near start of Mill Road)
Hop in the sleigh for a photo.

Gingerbread House Children's Craft
(Activities Building)
Create a cardboard gabled gingerbread house. A perfect container for your cookies for Santa.

Model Train Display
(Village Pavilion)
Enjoy both vintage and LEGO Model Train layout. Presented by the Glancy Trains Model Railroad Club and the Michigan LEGO Users Group.

Storytelling
(Activities Building)
Join our storyteller for some festive interactive tales.

A Forest Ranger's Christmas
(Across from Menlo Park)
Meet our 1905 USFS Ranger, and learn about the role of Christmas trees in conservation.

Letter to Santa (Miller School & Phoenixville Post Office)
Write a letter to Santa at Miller School, then mail it in Santa's mailbox and receive a candy cane at Phoenixville Post Office.

Holiday Silent Movie
(Tintype Studio)
Take a photograph with a holiday backdrop, and enjoy early Edison holiday-themed silent movies.

Civil War Holiday Encampment
(McGuffey School)
Hear stories from the Civil War at this winter encampment.

Chimney Sweep
(Near Chapman Family Home)
A clean chimney is a welcoming chimney, as any good sweep (or two) will tell you.

Free Historic Rides

- Model T Rides** (Until 10 p.m.)
- Horse-Drawn Wagon Ride** (Weather permitting, ends 9:25 p.m.) Begins near the Village Green at Post and Christie Streets
- Herschell-Spillman Carousel** (Until 10 p.m.)

Emergency Issues
Please contact any staff member for assistance.

- General Tickets & Membership
- Dining
- Restrooms
- ATM
- Special Needs Rentals
- Designated Smoking Area
- Phone

