



VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD

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## **Deerfield's 2019 Winter Celebration Ushers in Holiday Season**

Join your neighbors, friends and family to celebrate the winter season on Friday, December 6, at Deerfield Village Hall (850 Waukegan Road).

Starting at 5 p.m., horse-drawn carriages will carry riders around downtown Deerfield. The front lawn of Village Hall will feature a two-hour live ice sculpture show, chestnuts roasted by Deerfield Auto & Tire (donated by Whole Foods) and a festive photo booth, sponsored by Coldwell Banker.

The Village Hall lobby will be the venue for warm snacks from Panera and Taco Vida, served by the Mayor and Trustees, and other holiday treats offered by Deerfield BP (1460 Waukegan Road) and the Patty Turner Center. Live holiday music will be performed by Shepard Middle School Choirs, The Caroling Party and Deerfield's own The Hurricane Saxophone Quartet.

See the attached event brochure for more information or [view it online here](#).

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# Winter Celebration



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Friday, December 6, 5-9 p.m.  
Deerfield Village Hall

*Celebrate the season* with your neighbors, friends and family at *Deerfield's Winter Celebration!* Horse-drawn carriages rides, a two-hour live ice sculpting show, roasted chestnuts and more highlight the evening's festivities on the front lawn of *Village Hall* at 850 Waukegan Road.

The Village Hall lobby will serve as the venue for *warm treats* from Panera Bread and Taco Vida, *festive snacks* from Deerfield BP and the Patty Turner Center and *live holiday performances* from the Shepard Middle School Choirs, The Caroling Party and local band The Hurricane Saxophone Quartet. *We hope to see you there!*





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Friday, December 6

## Front Lawn

### *Horse-Drawn Carriage Rides*

5-9 p.m.

Pick-up & Drop-off

### *Roasted Chestnuts*

5-9 p.m.

Sponsored by Deerfield Auto & Tire Clinic

### *Festive Photo Booth*

5-9 p.m.

Sponsored by Coldwell Banker

### *Live Ice Sculpting Show*

6-8 p.m.

Two sculptures come to life

### *WMMC Transportation Plan*

5-9 p.m.

Get a candy cane for sharing your thoughts on walking, biking and transit in Deerfield

## Lobby

### *Shepard Middle School*

#### *Choirs*

5:15-5:40 p.m.

6th-8th grade middle school choir groups

### *The Caroling Party Quartet*

6:15-7:15 p.m.

Costumed Dickens carolers invite you to sing along

### *The Hurricane Saxophone*

#### *Quartet*

7:30-8:30 p.m.

Local saxophone ensemble

**\*All events are taking place at Deerfield Village Hall, located at 850 Waukegan Road.**

## Snacks & Treats

### *Hot Cider, Hot Chocolate & Popcorn*

5-9 p.m.

Sponsored by Deerfield BP

### *Broccoli Cheddar Soup & French Baguette*

5-9 p.m.

Sponsored by Panera Bread

### *Butternut Squash Soup with Toasted Pumpkin Seeds*

5-9 p.m.

Sponsored by Taco Vida

### *Holiday Cookies*

5-9 p.m.

Sponsored by Patty Turner Center





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## Other Community Events

# Meet Elfa!

Elfa, Holiday Intern and DBR Chamber of Commerce Elf, will be popping up in Deerfield businesses for the holidays.

Residents and visitors can find Elfa shopping in a Deerfield business each day between November 29 and December 8 on the Chamber's Facebook page, @dbrchamberofcommerce. Correctly identify where she is and message or email the Chamber for a chance to win a \$25 gift card for products or services at that day's business.



Elfa's business visit will be posted each day at 9 a.m. and the contest will close each evening at midnight. Each day's winner will be posted the following day with Elfa's location reveal photo. You have 10 chances to win, so visit dbrchamberofcommerce on Facebook or visit the Chamber's website at [www.dbrchamber.com](http://www.dbrchamber.com) for more details.

# Train Time



All Aboard! Visit the Deerfield Public Library (920 Waukegan Road) on Saturday, December 7 from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. for a winter wonderland treat suitable for all ages. The North Central "O" Gaugers bring their very popular Winter Wonderland model train run to the Library for the Village of Deerfield Winter Celebration. This must-see model railroad exhibit includes favorites like Thomas the Tank Engine and beautiful snow villages. This event is drop-in.

# Drive-Thru Charity



The Deerfield Police Department is hosting its 10th annual Holiday Drive-Thru Charity Event on Saturday, December 14, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m., in the parking lot at Deerfield Road and Rosemary Terrace. Donate new, unwrapped toys for the Marines' Toys for Tots program, as well as canned food, personal care items and cleaning supplies for the West Deerfield Township Food Pantry. Marines, Deerfield police officers and volunteers will be on-site to assist. Donations can be made from the warmth of your car.

Proceeds will be donated to Toys for Tots, the West Deerfield Township Food Pantry, The ARK and the North Chicago Community Partners Family Care Closet. For more information, contact Mary Anne Glowacz, Director of Police Communications, at 847.794.7501 or [mglowacz@deerfield.il.us](mailto:mglowacz@deerfield.il.us).



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*Shop Local this Season!*



Shopping local in Deerfield instead of buying online has a number of benefits that directly affect the community. See what they are below!



*Support Deerfield's Vibrant Mix of Businesses*

Why go anywhere else when you can find most everything you need right in your hometown! With a mix of local, regional, and national businesses and outlets, Deerfield's shops, restaurants, and hotels provide shoppers with all the necessities and the luxuries.

*Foster Community Relationships*

When you shop in Deerfield, you are able to develop lasting relationships with local businesses and the people that provide goods & services. The businesses become neighbors and a human face is put on the service you receive.

*Protect the Environment*

Support a "green-friendly" community. Keep your business within the Village to reduce traffic, congestion and ultimately reduce air and water pollution! Many shopping areas in town are also accessible by walking or bicycling.

*Reinvest in the Village of Deerfield*

When you shop local, you are keeping your sales tax dollars in Deerfield. This revenue goes back into the community to support Village services and maintain roads and public utilities. Local businesses are also strong supporters of community events and local nonprofit organizations.

*Create Jobs to Strengthen the Local Economy*

Deerfield's local businesses generate jobs for members of our community. Patronize local businesses first to help keep neighbors employed and generate new jobs in Deerfield.

*This Holiday Season. Shop Local!*

For details on shopping local, get in touch with the DBR Chamber of Commerce at 847.945.4660 or visit their website at [www.dbrchamber.com](http://www.dbrchamber.com). For more information on Winter Celebration, contact Kylie Cerk, Communications Specialist, at 847.719.7404.