FEATURE FESTIVITIES

SPARKLE BY-THE-SEA

Friday, November 29th to Sunday December 1st

Join us for our 5th annual Sparkle by-the-Sea celebration!

Participating businesses are open until 8pm Friday and Saturday and Sunday noon to 5pm. The merchants of St. Andrews present extended shopping hours with special promotions, snacking, specials, and sights. Watch live chainsaw wood carving on Saturday in Market Square! Start your adventure at the Sparkle Hub, Drewhaven, with live entertainment and enter to win a gift basket filled with presents from downtown businesses! Full schedule at ChristmasByTheSea.ca. Algonquin Resort Hotel Special Rate for Sparkle! Use code FVJ.

CHRISTMAS BY-THE-SEA FEST

Downtown St. Andrews—Saturday December 14th, 1pm to 7pm

Indulge in a shopping spree and savor the delectable offerings at our restaurants. Unwind by the fireplaces nestled in Market Square. Sip on the warmth of hot chocolate and mulled cider served in exclusive Christmas by-the-Sea Mugs. Let the melodies of holiday tunes fill the air while the Carollers weave a tapestry of magic and cheer. FACE PAINTING—LIVE ENTERTAINMENT—DOG COSTUME PARTY & COMPETITION—FIGGY PUDDING EATING COMPETITION—SPECIAL APPEARANCES BY THE GRINCH, SANTA'S ELVES, AND SANTA HIMSELF! Full schedule at ChristmasByTheSea.ca.

JUDGING FOR GINGERBREAD DREAM HOUSES DURING CHRISTMAS BY-THE-SEA FEST

Shops of Downtown St. Andrews—Saturday, December 7th, 10am to 5pm

Stroll downtown St. Andrews and vote for your favourite Gingerbread Dream House displayed in participating businesses. Maps and voting cards available at LH Boutique, 162 Water Street and at the Christmas Cabin in Market Square.

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS BY-THE-SEA

November 29th—December 24th

St. Andrews, Bayside and Chamcook residents will be decking the outsides of their homes this year for our annual "Adorn Your Door" and "Light Up the Town" competitions! We invite you to take a drive around town and be cheered by the magic of our residents' displays! Make an evening of it and plan dinner out at one of our local restaurants. This is a great family friendly activity.

JUDGING FOR "ADORN YOUR DOOR" AND "LIGHT UP THE TOWN" COMPETITIONS

Friday, December 20th

St. Andrews, Bayside and Chamcook residents will be decking the outsides of their homes again this year! One winner will be chosen for most outstanding front door décor (Adorn Your Door) and one for best overall house decorations (Light Up The Town). Drive around town and take in the light displays throughout the month of December! Winner will be announced on Saturday, December 21st on the Christmas by-the-Sea Facebook page!

CHURCH DIRECTORY

For up to date Christmas Events and Services for each Church, please visit their individual websites or Facebook pages.

All Saints Anglican Church

Phone: (506) 529-8662 | Web: anglicanparishstandrewsnb.ca

St. John the Baptist Chapel, Chamcook

Phone: (506) 529-8662 | Web: anglicanparishstandrewsnb.ca

Wesley United Church

Phone: (506) 529-3527 | Web: wesleyunitedchurchstandrewsbytheseanb.ca

St. Andrews Baptist Church

Phone: (506) 529-3022 | Web: standrewsbaptistchurch.ca

Greenock Presbyterian Church

Phone: (506) 466-6743

Catholic Church of St. Andrews

Phone: (506) 466-6043 | Web: stcroixparish.ca

St. Andrews Pentecostal Church

Phone: (506) 466-6620 | Web: facebook.com/StAndrewsPentecostalChurch

SHOP LOCAL, SUPPORT SMALL BUSINESS THE SHOPS OF DOWNTOWN ST. ANDREWS

Experience the magic of Christmas by-the-Sea and support small business! St. Andrews merchants are open for business and ready to help you find the perfect Christmas gifts for your family and friends. Make a weekend of it, indulge in a stay at a local accommodation, and dine out at a local eatery.

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS!





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ST. ANDREWS NEW BRUNSWICK



2024 Holiday Events List

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LOBSTER BUOY FOOD BANK FUNDRAISER

Market Square, The Red Herring Pub—November 19th to 29th

Bring back your buoy from last year or purchase a new buoy to decorate for \$30 before November 24th by calling (506) 529-8455 or visiting The Red Herring Pub. Decorate the buoy your way then bring it to The Red Herring for placement on our Lobster Trap Christmas Tree. **All money raised will be donated to the local food bank**.

DECK THE WALLS

Sunbury Shores - Opening Reception November 22nd, 5pm to 7pm

Join us for the opening reception of Sunbury Shores' annual holiday art sale and exhibition, Deck the Walls. This show features artworks, fine crafts, and sculptures by local artists of Charlotte County, New Brunswick. There Everyone is welcome and it's free to attend! Visit www.sunburyshores.org for more information.

ALL SAINTS ANGLICAN ACW CHRISTMAS SALE AND TEA

Anglican Parish Hall—Saturday, November 23rd, 9am to 12pm

New to you, fudge, jewelry, books, Christmas, baked goods, SILENT AUCTION. Hot Beverages and Sweets by Donation. Silent auction closes at 11:30am.

SANTA'S HELPERS TELETHON ON CHCO-TV

Sunday, November 24th, 2pm to 6pm

The annual Santa's Helpers Telethon for local families in need helps ensure all families in Charlotte County have a Christmas! Tune into CHCO-TV for a live TV broadcast from St. Andrews featuring performances from local school choirs and more.

Local channel details listed or live stream the telethon on their website: chco.tv For more information or to donate, email: santashelpers@chco.tv



LENNIE GALLANT CONCERT

Sir James Dunn Academy — Thursday, November 28th, 7:00pm

Lennie and his amazing band will bring you laughs, lots of wonder, and maybe a few tears, as they look at Christmas from many points of view in 2024. Don't miss this unique Yuletide Feast for the eyes, ears, and heart! https://lenniegallant.com/

DOWNTOWN TREE LIGHTING

Town Hall & Market Square—Friday, November 29th, 5:30pm

Gather downtown as the Christmas lights at Town Hall, Market Square, the Wharf, the lamp posts and store-fronts light-up in the spirit of Christmas. Plus enjoy the Lobster Trap Christmas Tree covered in buoys decorated in support of the local food bank.

CHRISTMAS ANTIQUE AND VINTAGE SALE

Anglican Parish Hall—Saturday, November 30th, 10am to 3pm

A wide selection of vintage Christmas, antiques and collectibles! Multiple vendors! Canteen on site. Hosted by the Youth and Family Ministry Committee at All Saints Church. For more information contact the Church Office at 506-529-8662

NAUTICAL CHRISTMAS SALE

Island Quest Marine—November 30th, December 7th and 14th

Join us at 205 Water Street beside Market wharf for a Nautical Christmas Sale with Nautical Gifts, Clothing, Art, Crafts, and Décor. Nov. 30 10am to 5pm, Dec. 7 10am to 3pm, and Dec. 14 1pm to 5pm.

OPEN HOUSE—I'LL BE HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Ross Memorial Museum—December 5th to 8th

Come visit the Museum's 2024 Christmas Open House!

The museum will be decorated from "attic to cellar" and will have live music, hot cider and home baked treats. This year the theme is "I'll be Home for Christmas". Thursday 1pm to 5pm, Friday 1pm to 9pm, Saturday 1pm to 9pm, Sunday 12pm to 5pm

CHRISTMAS SALE AND LUNCHEON

Anglican Parish Hall—Saturday, December 7th, 9am to 2:30pm

A group of small businesses are gathering for a Christmas Sale! Savoury hot soup, sandwiches, and desserts will also be sold. A fundraiser for Legion #8.

ST. ANDREWS CHRISTMAS FARMERS' MARKET

Sir James Dunn Academy—Saturday, December 7th, 10am to 2pm

Annual Fundraiser for Sir James Dunn Academy. Local crafters and makers offering: prepared preserves, treats, and sweets. Indoor and outdoor Christmas décor. Wide variety of handcrafted fine arts and crafts. Live Music! Thank you for supporting the SJDA delicious hot luncheon. See you there!

CHRISTMAS AT CROCKER HILL

The Crocker Hill Store, 45 King Street—Saturday, December 7th, 10am to 5pm Sip spiced cider, sample Rogers' Chocolates, and savour Gail's rosemary shortbread

Sip spiced cider, sample Rogers' Chocolates, and savour Gail's rosemary shortbread in the warmth of our 1837 fireplace. Abi Rose and Bella Blue – the Setter Girls, are donating a portion of their pet-related sales to the Charlotte County SPCA.

ANNUAL GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY EVENT

Kennedy House—Saturday, December 7th, 4:30 to 5:30pm

Looking for a hearty snack during or after the Christmas Parade? Come and see us on our patio for some free & delicious food.

ST. ANDREWS SANTA CLAUS PARADE

Water Street—Saturday, December 7th, 5:30pm

Santa Claus comes to town! For those wishing to register for entry in the parade, please contact Kevin Theriault, Fire Chief by email at fire@townofstandrews.ca or by phone (506) 529-5150.

MEET SANTA

W.C. O'Neill Arena — Saturday, December 7th, 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Stop by the Dining Room at the W.C. O'Neill Arena Complex after the parade to meet Santa before he hits the ice for the Festive Family Skate!

FESTIVE FAMILY SKATE WITH SANTA

W.C. O'Neill Arena — Saturday, December 7th, 6:30pm to 9:00pm

Family fun with festive public skating. Members of the St. Andrews Fire Department with be assisting Santa and handing out hot chocolate.

GINGERBREAD DREAM HOUSE COMPETITION

Register by Monday, December 9th (linked in event details at christmasbythesea.ca)

Decorate your very own Gingerbread Dream House and win a prize! We're looking for kids, families, adults, groups and professionals to enter this year! On December 14th, join the people strolling through beautiful downtown St. Andrews to see and vote on all the magical creations! This has become a holiday tradition for many! Please register to enter the competition online, by messaging LH Boutique Facebook Page, email at admin@theleatherhouse.ca, or call (506) 529-3844 OR just stop by!

THE COLOURS OF CHRISTMAS

All Saints Anglican Church—Saturday, December 14th, 3pm

A guided tour of the beautiful stained glass windows of All Saints Anglican Church. An added feature will be the unveiling of the more than fifty nativity scenes from around the world, recently gifted to the church. Cider and light refreshments will be served. Admission is free. Monetary and non-perishable food free-will offerings will benefit local food banks.

GLOW ICE SKATING

W.C. O'Neill Arena — Friday, December 20th, 7pm to 9pm

Join us for Glow Ice Skating, where the rink transforms into a glowing wonderland under bright and vibrant lights. Skaters of all ages and skill levels can glide through a magical atmosphere, complete with upbeat music and a colourful, electrifying ambiance. Grab your friends, wear your brightest festive glow gear, and come make unforgettable memories. \$5 Admission.

DWAINE WILLIAMS MEMORIAL HOCKEY GAME

Thursday, December 26th, 2pm.

A local hockey classic, The 17th Dwaine Williams Memorial Hockey Game and Silent Auction, entrance by donation (tax receipts available). For up to date information and happenings, follow along on Facebook: facebook.com/DwaineWilliamsGame Fundraiser for local families through Charlotte County Cancer.