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#### December 8-10: Mifflinburg's Christkindl Market

Mifflinburg's version of an authentic Christmas Market, inspired by the 700-year-old traditional German Christkindl Market, or Christ Child Market, is a festive event along Market Street with outdoor huts featuring unique handmade crafts and traditional Christkindl treats. There will be craft vendors, traditional German foods and American favorites, hot Gluhwein, decorations, parades, Elf School, music, children's lantern parade, carriage rides, and a visit from St. Nicholas. Thursday 4:30 - 9pm. Friday 10 - 9pm. Saturday 10 - 8pm. <a href="https://www.oldChristkindl.com">www.oldChristkindl.com</a>

Mifflinburg

#### December 8-10: Mifflinburg's Winterfest

Held in conjunction with the Christkindl Market, Mifflinburg will host Winter Fest. Held at the Elias Performing Arts Center, we will be open the same hours as the Market with hot toddies and schnapps for sale. Smokin' Bob's BBQ will have his food truck in the parking lot. Enjoy live entertainment by Vamp till Ready who will perform Friday afternoon at 1 pm. MusiCraft (formerly Black Tie) will perform Saturday at 4 pm. There will also be local business vendors on site with items for sale. <a href="http://www.mifflinburgpa.com/">http://www.mifflinburgpa.com/</a> Mifllinburg

# December 8-10: Pompeii Street Soap Co. Holiday Open House and Christkindl Market Days

During Christkindl Market Days, December 8-10 receive a free 2 ounce Gingerbread Sugar Scrub with any purchase (one per customer per day). Stop by on your way to the famous Mifflinburg Christkindl Market! Free soap decorating activity for kids every Saturday in December. <a href="www.pompeii-street.com">www.pompeii-street.com</a> Mifflinburg

# December 8-11: Susquehanna University Theatre Presents Vinegar Tom

An exciting play set in the Puritan era in rural England but with a contemporary feel, Vinegar Tom challenges assumptions about sexuality and social problems through a compelling tale of witch-hunt hysteria. "A fascinating piece, full of life," says the New York Post about this piece by Caryl Churchill, a masterful critic of human nature. Performances are Dec. 8-10, 7:30pm, and a matinee on Dec. 11 at 2:30pm. Tickets may be purchased through the Box Office or by calling 570-372-2787. <a href="www.susqu.edu">www.susqu.edu</a>
Selinsgrove

# December 8-23: BTE Presents Every Christmas Story Ever Told

Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble's Holiday Show- Three under-prepared actors make a hysterical attempt to tell all of your favorite Christmas stories in just under 90 minutes, featuring (insert your favorite Christmas song/movie/book/tradition here)! A high-speed holiday romp for the whole family! Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays at 7:30pm; Sundays at 3:00pm. For complete details visit <a href="https://www.BTE.org">www.BTE.org</a> Bloomsburg

#### December 9: Ladies' Night Out at Hilsher's General Store

Our Annual Ladies Night Out is on Friday, December 9 at 8pm. Come early that evening to begin browsing. Find super deals, a free gift, refreshments, live music with a violin ensemble, and a great deal of fun for everyone! Hope to see you there! <a href="www.hilshersstore.com">www.hilshersstore.com</a>
Port Trevorton

# December 9-11: B & E Antiques Holiday Open House

Open House for Christmas shopping, cookies, coffee and extended hours! Friday, December 9, 10am - 8pm; Saturday, December 10, 10am - 6pm; Sunday, December 11, noon-5pm. B & E Antiques, located in downtown Watsontown, in a newly renovated mid 1800's building, showcases 2 floors with approximately 4000 square feet of antiques, primitives, collectibles and locally handcrafted items. Parking in rear. https://www.facebook.com/B-E-Antiques-1027252623995141/



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#### Watsontown

# December 9-11 & 16-18: Holiday Sale at Old Trail Tackle and Sports

15% off Everything In-Store at Old Trail Tackle & Sports all weekend. Stop by for these great savings right in time for the holiday season! Old Trail Tackle & Sports located on the Old Trail in Shamokin Dam, is a family-owned business for more than 40 years and the area's largest retailer of all Bass Pro products. Old Trail Tackle and Sports is a trusted source for premier fishing supplies, quality apparel, sporting goods and expert advice. https://www.oldtrailsports.com/

Shamokin Dam

#### December 9-17: Holiday Fun in Danville

December 9-17- Visit Santa's House in Canal Park, Mill Street, 5-7pm (Dec. 9 & 16); 12-3pm (Dec. 10 & 17).

December 10- Visit with Santa's reindeer from 12-3pm in Canal Park, Mill Street

December 17: Take a holiday carriage ride from Mill Street. 12-3pm.

For more information about Holiday Events in Danville visit http://visitdanvillepa.org/events

### December 10: Breakfast with the Grinch and a Movie

8:00 AM-11:AM Join the Lewisburg Sunset Rotary for breakfast with the Grinch at The Lewisburg Club, 131 Market Street. Enjoy sausage and pancakes with a new toppings bar including chocolate chips, caramel, whipped cream and more! The Grinch movie will be showing all morning and there will be a special reading of the Grinch book at 10:30am. Advance tickets available at: Penn One Coldwell Banker, 331 Market Street, and The UPS Store, 185 AKS Blvd, (near WalMart). Under 4 Free. Ages 4-12, \$4. Adults, \$6. Later, come to a FREE Grinch Movie at the Campus Theater, at 4 PM. Two movies shown: The Grinch (original cartoon) and "A Year without Santa Claus". Canned Good donations requested. For more information, email <a href="mailto:sunsetrotary@yahoo.com">sunsetrotary@yahoo.com</a>. Come out and visit with Mr. Grinch! Lewisburg

#### December 10: Wild for Salmon Holiday Tasting

9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Join us for a Holiday Tasting at the Wild for Salmon store. We will be cooking up and sampling a variety of our wild Alaska seafood and offering recipes and ideas for holiday gatherings. Wild for Salmon brings wild caught and sustainable Alaska seafood from our boat to your table! Wild for Salmon offers over 60 wild caught and sustainable seafood options. <a href="www.wildforsalmon.com">www.wildforsalmon.com</a>
Bloomsburg

#### December 10: Running of the Elves 5K and Kids Reindeer Fun Run

10:30 AM Wear your best elf costume and run with the Elves in a festive atmosphere with presents scattered along the route. 5K is chip timed. Registration/check-in at 9am (\$25). Reindeer Fun Run takes place at 11:30 AM. 1 through 4 year olds will run across the football field. 5 through 7 year olds will complete one lap around the track. 8 through 10 year olds will complete two laps around the track. Registration/check-in 10:30am (\$10). Held at the old Lewisburg Area High School on Market Street. <a href="www.AFitEvent.com">www.AFitEvent.com</a>
Lewisburg

#### December 10: Celebrate the Season in Old Town Selinsgrove

Holiday Market on the Commons, 11:00am-3:00pm- In addition to fresh seasonal produce, farm raised meats, eggs and dairy there will be locally crafted gifts for your holiday shopping needs. Starting at 11am music will be provided by Saint Paul's UCC Joyful Noise Children's Choir, and Carols from Bob Gutheinz on a hammered dulcimer. Inclement weather location: The American Legion 524 S. Market Street.

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Santa Music Fest, 5pm-12pm- Another annual favorite that has you roaming from designated establishments in downtown, in holiday costumes (which could be just a Santa hat) enjoying music from local artists. We hope you'll join us for a holly jollly good time! Band Schedule: The Kind Café, 5-6pm: Jonah Roth & the Silver



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Linings. Emma's Food for Life, 6-7pm: Mark Tomeo. Isabella Ristorante, 7-8:30pm: Doug McMinn & Hannah Bingman. Selinsgrove Hotel, 8:30-10pm: Jason Yoder. Bot's Tavern, 10pm-Midnight: Royal Benson. For more information visit: <a href="https://www.SelinsgroveChamber.com">www.SelinsgroveChamber.com</a> and <a href="https://www.Selinsgrove.net">www.Selinsgrove.net</a> Selinsgrove

### December 10: Wine and Design at E tu Bistro

12:00-2:00 PM Enjoy a relaxing Saturday afternoon sipping on a glass of wine while an instructor walks you through painting "Seasonal Sangria." Tickets must be purchased in advance through <a href="https://www.wineanddesign.com">www.wineanddesign.com</a> Danville

#### December 10: Christmas Make & Take at Country Cupboard

Do It Yourself Christmas Table Planter, 2pm, plant a winter-themed table planter for use as a centerpiece during the holidays or for gift-giving. All supplies included. <a href="https://www.CountryCupboardInc.com">www.CountryCupboardInc.com</a>
Lewisburg

#### December 10: Candlelight Service at Historic Warrior Run Church

7:00 PM Beautiful Candlelight Service held at the historic Warrior Run Church. Enjoy music, congregational singing, readings, and a candle-lighting ceremony. Cookies and warm mulled cider will be served after the service. Fort Freeland Company of Independent Riflemen will be the ushers. Dress warmly and bring a flashlight to read the songbook. <a href="https://www.FreelandFarm.org">www.FreelandFarm.org</a>
Turbotville

#### December 10-11: Lincoln Cavern's Santa in the Cave

1:00-4:00 PM Santa is making his pre-Christmas visits and you can meet Santa in the Cave at Lincoln Caverns! Professional Digital Photos available with \$5 donation to TOYS FOR TOTS. Shop Santa's Little Helper's BOGO Holiday Sale! All holiday, family, and clearance items are Buy One Get One Free! <a href="www.LincolnCaverns.com">www.LincolnCaverns.com</a> Huntingdon

# December 10-11: Susquehanna Valley Chorale Presents: A Candlelight Christmas

The SVC will continue its popular holiday performance, A Candlelight Christmas, on Saturday, December 10 at 7:30pm and Sunday, December 11 at 3pm at Zion Lutheran Church. The performance will feature the singing of popular carols, Randol Bass's Gloria and Dan Forrest's Festival First Nowell. The SVC will be joined by the Zion Handbell Choir to ring in the holiday season, Commonwealth Brass Ensemble, harpist Elizabeth Asmus and David Cover on organ. Tickets for the performance are \$20 for adults and \$8 for students. Youth under the age of 12 are free. Tickets can be purchased by calling 570-547-0455 or online at <a href="https://www.svcmusic.org">www.svcmusic.org</a> Sunbury

# December 10-18: Free Holiday Movies at the Campus Theatre\*

Saturday, December 10 at 5:00pm - THE GRINCH & THE YEAR WITH OUT A SANTA CLAUS - Sponsored by Lewisburg Sunset Rotary Club.

Saturday, December 17 - Visit Santa in the Campus Theatre Lobby, Noon - 2:00pm, followed by a bike giveaway. 2:00pm free showing of HOME ALONE - Sponsored by Coldwell Banker Penn One Real Estate Sunday, December 18 at 1pm -THE MAN WHO CAME TO DINNER - Sponsored by Jim & Karen Marinaccio. \*Free holiday movies with the donation of a canned food! <a href="www.CampusTheatre.org">www.CampusTheatre.org</a> Lewisburg

# December 11: Taber Museum Reception to Feature the West Branch Chorus and Santa Exhibit

The Thomas T. Taber Museum of the Lycoming County Historical Society will host a special concert performance by the West Branch Chorus at 2:30pm. Prior to the concert, the museum will be open at 1:00 for a preview of the holiday exhibit, Santa Claus is Coming to Town. The exhibit features depictions of Santa



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Claus in many forms from tall and lanky Father Christmases and gruff and sour-looking bellsnickels to the more familiar Jolly Ol' Saint Nick, with rosy cheeks and a round belly. No admission will be charged on December 11, but guests are requested to vote for their three favorite Santas and stay for the concert which will feature holiday classics. Light refreshments will be served. Please RSVP by calling 570-326-3326 or emailing <a href="mailto:lockmuseum@verizon.net">lockmuseum@verizon.net</a>. For more information about the museum visit: <a href="mailto:http://tabermuseum.org/">http://tabermuseum.org/</a> Williamsport

### December 11: War Horse, a National Theatre Live Presentation

1:00 PM The Campus Theatre brings a National Theatre Live presentation of War Horse. Based on the novel by Michael Morpurgo, War Horse is the powerful story of a young boy called Albert and his beloved horse, Joey, who has been requisitioned to fight for the British in World War I. Caught in enemy crossfire, Joey ends up serving on both sides during the war before landing in No Man's Land, while Albert, not old enough to enlist, embarks on a treacherous mission to find his horse and bring him home. A remarkable tale of courage, loyalty and friendship, War Horse features ground-breaking puppetry work by South Africa's Handspring Puppet Company, which brings breathing and galloping horses to life on stage. No advanced ticket purchases. Doors open at 12:30. Admission: Adults, \$15; Seniors, \$12; Students \$10. Recommended for ages 12+. www.CampusTheatre.org

Lewisburg

# December 13: Williamsport Symphony Orchestra Holiday Concert

7:30 PM Be prepared for many surprises and an exciting evening celebrating the holiday season! Famous mime, Dan Kamin, returns as the guest artist for this concert and will delight us with his fun-filled clown acts. The orchestra will accompany him with well-known tunes including your favorite holiday songs. In addition, we will feature the young artist competition winner and a side-by-side performance with the symphony's youth orchestra! A concert not to be missed! <a href="https://www.WilliamsportSymphony.org">www.WilliamsportSymphony.org</a> Community Arts Center, Williamsport

#### December 16-18: Holiday Train Display at the Susquehanna River Valley Visitors Bureau

Bring the kids to see a free model train display at the Susquehanna River Valley Visitors Bureau, located at Route 15 and Hafer Road, next to Country Cupboard in Lewisburg. On display there will be operating trains of modern times - and even some trains that you may remember from your childhood. The display will be installed by the Loose Ties Model Railroad Club and will be open to the public on Friday & Saturday from 8:30am-8:30pm and Sunday from 8:30am-3:00pm. Drawings will be held for two model train set giveaways. Adults are also welcome to bring a train that they may have had as a child, and the Loose Ties Model Railroad Club will gladly run them on the layout. Admission is free. Please call 1-800-525-7320 for directions, or more information. <a href="https://www.visitCentralPA.org">www.visitCentralPA.org</a> Lewisburg

# December 17: Heartfelt Holidays Workshop at Whole Life Society Offering Integral Yoga

Join us for a Workshop where we will learn how to continue to circulate the joy of the season! We will discuss and practice ways we can support and nourish our minds, bodies, and spirits as well as others in the midst of "holiday madness!" Topics will include holiday-focused self-love & care, health/lifestyle support, seasonal dietary recommendations, heart-centered awareness, cultivating inner gifts, and gratitude practices. Wear something comfy and cozy and bring a notebook or journal. We will be doing some light movement, writing, meditating, and connecting. Let's celebrate this holiday season together! Workshop Fee \$15. Register by calling (570) 966-2484. <a href="https://www.wholelifesociety.com">www.wholelifesociety.com</a> New Berlin

December 17: Christmas in the Parlor at the Elias Center for the Performing Arts



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7:00 PM Kj Reimensnyder-Wagner, Larry Lawson, Kimbo Reichley, Tom & Jina Rosencrantz, and Tom Fladmark will perform new and traditional holiday music. Half of the proceeds of the ticket sales will be donated to the Mifflinburg Kiwanis to assist with their holiday food boxes. Show is at 7 pm. Tickets are \$10. Advance tickets are available at 300 Chestnut St., Barb's Bouquet & Gift Basket, Heritage Printers, Tastecraft Market, Whispering Willow Primitives & Antiques or sending a SASE and check to MHRA, 300 Chestnut St., Mifflinburg, PA 17844. Also available at the door. <a href="http://www.mifflinburgpa.com">http://www.mifflinburgpa.com</a> Mifflinburg

#### December 17-18: Buffalo Valley Singers Christmas Concert

The Buffalo Valley Singers will present a Christmas concert," All is Calm, All is Bright" on Saturday December 17 at 7:30 PM .and Sunday December 18 at 3:00 PM. The concert will be held at St. John's United Church of Christ, 1050 Buffalo Road, Lewisburg, PA. There will be many beautiful arrangements of sacred Christmas pieces such as: "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" which will feature piano, organ and traps, "Here Before the King", "The Face Of Grace" and "All is Calm, All is Bright". "The Ground" from Sunrise Mass by Ola Gjeilo will feature a string quartet. "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" will feature a trumpet soloist. Piano and organ will accompany the beautiful "Mary, Did You Know"? written by Mark Lowry and Buddy Greene. "O Holy Night" arranged by Rene Clausen will be presented with organ. "Sleigh Bells" arranged by Pete Schmutte is a winter medley accompanied by piano and drums and "Ding-A-Ding-A Ding" by Greg Gilpin, a lighthearted piece will be sung. This is just some of the music that will be presented. Come and enjoy. Admission is \$5.00 for adults. There is no charge for children 12 and under. <a href="https://www.BuffaloValleySingers.org">www.BuffaloValleySingers.org</a>
Lewisburg

#### Now-December 15: Country Farm and Home Gift & Garden Center Holiday Open House

Celebrate the wonder of Christmas in our Spectacular Holiday Winter Wonderland. The entire store will be transformed into a stunning holiday display full of exciting new products, collectables, and an abundance of inspiration to take home with you. Come visit us for unique holiday finds this Christmas. Also enjoy a Make & Take class at CFH. Create a Festive Ivy Topiary (12/15). Experience the magic that is Christmas at Country Farm and Home. <a href="https://www.CountryFarmandHome.net">www.CountryFarmandHome.net</a> Mifflinburg

# Now-December 17: Union County Library Events

The Union County Libraries offer special and ongoing programs for adults and children. Adults will find book clubs, Mah Jonng, adult coloring, meditation and yoga workshops, and a flower ornament workshop. Teens can attend a gaming night, and craft classes. For children there are discovery programs, an ornament craft workshop, a holiday cookie decorating party, and a Christmas visit with Santa who will read Twas the Night Before Christmas. On December 10 come to a family presentation, Hanukkah: the "Festival of Lights." Learn about the traditions and meaning of Hanukkah. Children will be making Dreidels and special snacks will be provided. For complete details, times, and locations on all these events visit www.UnionCountyLibraries.org

### Now-December 17: Programming at the Children's Museum

Enriching the lives of people in the region, the Children's Museum fosters a lifelong love of learning through enjoyable interactive programs and 50 hands-on exhibits, games, and activities that bring out the imagination in every child and the child in every visitor. Join us for iMAKE Art Classes, Music Together Family Classes, and FIRST Lego League. December 10-January 7 the museum will be holding a Gingerbread House Building Competition and Exhibit. The opening of the Gingerbread Village display and announcement of Gingerbread House Contest Winners takes place December 10 from 11am-1pm. Celebrate all-things-gingerbread with activities, tastings, gingerbread science and art activities. December 17 Get your holiday passport and learn about Winter Celebrations around the World. Try out holiday crafts and activities that families around the world do to celebrate light, love, and peace. Also register now for the Children's Museum 2016-17 Science Fair to be held January 19. For complete details on these and other fun activities visit



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www.the-Childrens-Museum.org **Bloomsburg** 

# Now-December 17: Lewisburg Miracle on Market Street

The Miracle is... a downtown atmosphere that encourages people to slow down and actually enjoy the holiday in an ambiance of an old-fashioned downtown—friendly, sparkling, helpful, enjoyable and relaxing. December 9-18- Festival of Trees. A festive display of 25 decorated Christmas trees in downtown Lewisburg. December 10 -Have breakfast with the Grinch & the Lewisburg Sunset Rotary, 8am - 11am at the Lewisburg Club. Enjoy a pancakes and toppings bar, continuous showing of the Grinch movie, and a special reading of the book at 10:30am. Fit for Funds Running of the Elves 5K and kids' Reindeer Fun Run take place at 10:30 am and 11:30 am. You may dress in your best elf costume for this fun holiday event! Santa then arrives at The Open Door Gallery at Noon. Free holiday movies at the Campus Theatre at 4:00pm December 17- At noon visit with Santa at the Campus Theatre, followed by a bike giveaway and free movie.

www.lewisburgpa.com

# Now-December 31: Milton Model Train Museum Christmas Season Open House

View our huge 20' x 60' O-Gauge layout of "Milltown," 1950's Milton, plus other fictional settings and many operating trains and interactive action scenes. FREE ADMISSION - Donations gladly accepted. Open Saturdays & Sundays, 1-5pm, at the Milton Moose Family Center. http://miltonmodeltrainmuseum.blogspot.com/ Milton

# Now-December 31: Milton Public Library Events & Quilt Display

The library offers special and ongoing programs. Mondays, 1pm-Mah Jong; Wednesdays, 11am-Song and Story with Miss Nancy; Fridays, 10am-Read with Emma. Science Club Winter Themed Experiments (12/8). Jingle Jam Open House with Santa (12/17), Lego Fun (12/19), Through the end of December, view a hanging guilt display by Piecemakers Quilt Guild of the Susquehanna Valley. Over 20 guilts are displayed throughout the library. www.miltonpalibrary.org

Milton

#### Now-December 31: SRVVB Shop Local Shopping Pass

Indulge in shopping with the Susquehanna River Valley Visitors Bureau Shop Local Shopping Pass. Shopping Passes are available at more than 65 participating merchants and at the Susquehanna River Valley Visitors Center in Lewisburg. Shopping Passes are valid through December 31, and entitle the Shopping Pass holder to receive the listed discount at each merchant. Share your Shop Local experience on social media using #ShopCentralPA. Click to download Shopping Pass: http://www.visitcentralpa.org/shoppingpass