

2025

HOLIDAY

Things To Do

DALLAS FORT WORTH AREA



Home for the Holidays

November 28 - November 30 | Historic Downtown McKinney
Enjoy the season's magic with a festive tree lighting on the 28th, visits with Santa, and plenty of small-town holiday charm all around.



Christmas Capital of Texas

Begins November 24 | Grapevine
Experience over a thousand holiday events featuring twinkling lights, world-class attractions, and festive vintage train rides, transforming Grapevine into a storybook destination.



Holiday Stroll

December 5 - December 6 | Wayne Ferguson Plaza, Lewisville
Take a cheerful stroll through twinkling lights, local vendors, food trucks, hayrides, and a beautiful tree lighting ceremony.



Denton Holiday Lighting Festival

December 6 | Downtown Denton
Get into the holiday spirit with live music, food, crafts, and the dazzling lighting of trees surrounding the Courthouse Square.



Rockwall's Hometown Christmas

December 6 | Historic Downtown Rockwall Square
Celebrate the season with a lively parade, holiday festival, and evening tree lighting filled with small-town warmth and joy.



Dallas Zoo Lights

November 14 - January 4 | Dallas Zoo
Wander through glowing pathways and brilliant light displays for a wild and unforgettable holiday experience.



Holiday at the Arboretum

November 12 - January 4 | Dallas Arboretum & Botanical Garden
Marvel at dazzling light displays, "12 Days of Christmas" gazebos, and a charming Christmas Village surrounded by festive music and cheer.



Christmas in the Square

November 21 - January 5 | Frisco Square
Enjoy a spectacular light and music show that dances in sync with favorite holiday tunes in a festive outdoor setting.



Classic Christmas Dallas

November 21 - December 28 | Dallas Midtown
Step into a wonderland of lights, snow, ice skating, and themed holiday nights perfect for celebrating the spirit of the season.



Photos with Santa at Globe Life Field

December 6, 13, 20 | Globe Life Field
Meet Santa for a joyful photo opportunity inside the home of the Texas Rangers and explore exclusive ballpark holiday scenes.



Dallas Holiday Parade

December 6 | Downtown Dallas
Watch colorful floats, music, and holiday magic fill the streets during one of the most beloved seasonal parades in Texas.



Arlington Holiday Lights Parade

December 13 | First Baptist Church of Arlington North Lawn
Enjoy the Annual Holiday Lights Parade followed by the lighting of the Christmas tree. Take a picture with Santa, enjoy the Reindeer Games, entertainment, and more.