



## Holiday events planned in downtown Lansing

It's time for Lansing's annual tradition of welcoming Santa and Mrs. Claus back to the Santa House and the Lansing Chamber of Commerce has plenty of fun planned to make it a very special occasion.

The Chamber's Christmas Celebration will begin Friday, November 26th at 5 p.m. when the Clauses arrive at the corner of Randolph and Henry via fire truck. They'll greet children as they walk down Henry Street toward the Park Plaza Christmas tree. Those wishing to greet Santa and Mrs. Claus should be lined up on the west sidewalk on Henry Street behind the barricades. After their arrival at the tree, they'll be joined by Mayor Abbott to flip the switch and turn on the lights.

Girl Scouts will be serving hot chocolate and cookies and the Memorial Jr. High Choir will be performing Christmas carols. After the lighting, the couple will head over to the Santa House to officially open for a season of greeting youngsters and hearing what's on this year's wish lists.

The Chamber is again hosting "Taste of the Holidays" from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. and this year it's at a new place. The Taste takes place at the American Legion post located just south of Park Plaza. Chamber members will offer a variety of food items under \$3. The Chamber will also be selling its cookbooks, Golden Opportunity coupon books and tickets for the Chamber's Pancake Breakfast with Santa. Bring the kids in for a bite to eat and to participate in the First Annual Ornament Decorating Contest.

Santa and Mrs. Claus will then be up early the next morning to greet visitors for the Pancake Breakfast with Santa, hosted by the Copper Muggers and Lansing Chamber of Commerce. It will be held in the T.F. South Cafeteria from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. Please note that there will be no Santa House hours on Saturday, November 27.

For more information on the Christmas Celebration activities, contact the Chamber of Commerce at (708) 474-4170 or visit [www.LansingSanta.com](http://www.LansingSanta.com).



### SANTA HOUSE HOURS

Through December 20th

Mon. and Fri. 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Sat. 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m.

[LansingSanta.com](http://LansingSanta.com)



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