



Holiday Magic 2016



Holiday Home DECORATING CONTEST

Register your home and/or block for the Murrieta Holiday Home Decorating Contest by visiting: www.MurrietaCA.gov/holidaylights. Enter by 5 p.m. on December 6. Maps of homes will be available on the website by 5:30 p.m. on December 8. The public will get to vote for the winners. Online voting will begin December 8, and run through December 15 at noon. Winners will be announced December 16 by 5 p.m. Entries must be within the Murrieta city limits!



Holiday Drive FOR FOOD & TOYS

The City of Murrieta's Annual Toy and Food Drive is seeking donations of non-perishable food and new, unwrapped toys and gift cards to assist local families in need this holiday season. In addition to the official Santa Stop locations, donations may be collected at the following locations from November 28 - December 21.

FOOD & TOY DROP OFF LOCATIONS

- Murrieta Community Center: 41810 Juniper Street
- Murrieta Senior Center: 5 Town Square
- Any of the 5 Murrieta Fire Stations
- Murrieta Police Department: 2 Town Square
- Murrieta City Hall: 1 Town Square (closed every other Friday)

For additional information, please call the Community Services Department at (951) 304-7275 (PARK)

Letters from Santa

Parents will be able to download and print letters from Santa from home! Simply visit www.murrieta.org/holidaymagic to view the letter options! Letters will be available for download starting Monday, November 30 ending Monday, December 21. Call the Santa Hotline at (951) 461-6086 to receive a special greeting from Santa!



Santa Stops

Santa will be at various locations throughout the city to visit the children of Murrieta between December 5 and December 14. Santa will be on his sleigh collecting canned food and toys for needy kids in the area. Keep an eye out for nightly schedules which will be available after November 29.



Festival of Lights AND TREE LIGHTING

This year the City of Murrieta will host the Festival of Trees and Tree Lighting on Saturday, December 3, 2016 at Town Square Park. Join us for an evening filled with holiday charm. Full size decorated, themed trees will line the park- all of which will be donated to families in need after the event. A performance from your favorite Frozen characters will be taking place, along with trackless train fun, carriage rides and more! Murrieta's Hometown Holiday Parade will step off at 5 P.M. on B Street adjacent to Town Square Park. Visit www.murrietaca.gov for an application. **The City Tree will be lit at approximately 6:30 P.M.**



**The City of Murrieta's
Hometown Holiday Parade
Saturday, December 3, 2016**

Line up at 4:00 P.M. / Parade begins at 5:00 P.M.

Parade route will begin at B Street/Washington Avenue and end at Town Square Park
Entries will line up on a first -come, first- serve basis.

ENTRY, OFFICIAL WAIVER, AND RELEASE FORM

Please fill out form completely!

Name of Unit _____

Unit Representative _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Home Phone _____

Email address _____

Signature of Organizational Representative _____ Date _____

Description of Entry _____

Number of Participants in Unit _____

*****Each participants must fill out a waiver form*****

****ALL horse entries must have their own clean-up team – no exceptions****

If you have any questions, please call (951) 304-7275

Please mail or return form to:

City of Murrieta

Community Services District

Attention: Jeri Copeland

5 Town Square

Murrieta, CA 92562

Fax application to (951) 837-4300

JCopeland@MurrietaCA.gov

Throwing candy and distributing fliers during the parade is not permitted

