



FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

November 24, 2000 6 pm - 10 pm

Here comes Santa Claus, All Aboard for the Holidays.

He's very busy making his list and checking it twice, but nothing could keep Santa away from Markham's 16th Annual Festival of Lights on Friday November 24th from 6pm to 10pm.

Word is out that Santa will be arriving aboard the North Pole Express. In honour of renovations currently underway at the historic Markham Train Station the theme of this year's Festival is "All Aboard for the Holidays". Santa's miniature train will stay on Main Street all evening long. And if you're young or just young at heart, you can hitch a ride on the train as it tootles up and down Main Street.

So don't be late! Kicking off the Festival at 6:30pm, Santa will light our Christmas Tree at Main & Robinson Streets. For the rest

of the evening, he can be found in Santa's Hut, nestled between Season to Taste and Focus on Flowers: Santa's looking forward to hearing all those special wishes that make Christmas dreams come true. Ho! Ho! Ho! And a Merry Festival to All!



Village Shops Open Longer for the Festival... with Interesting Changes to See!

Markham Village merchants are busy getting ready for the Festival of Lights. The street will be lit and shop doors open late into the night with specials sales, contests and give-aways. Visit them and discover temptations galore with fabulous Christmas gift ideas, and tasty festive treats. Dining spots will offer delicious Yuletide fare on Main Street this holiday season.

Come and admire the expert handiwork that goes into the beautiful decorations. In honour of the refurbishing now underway at Markham's historic Train Station, this year's Window Decorating Contest

theme is All Aboard for the Holidays!

Over twenty shops have opened in the Village since the last festival, and these will join in this year's Festival fun. Drop in, give them a warm welcome to our friendly community and take this opportunity to avoid the last minute rush.



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AND BEST WISHES FOR THE HOLIDAYS
AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR
FROM THE STAFF AT

MAIN STREET TRAVEL & CRUISES

David Jacob
Susan, Alan, Betty,
Joanne, Brenda, Rebecca,
Nancy, Colleen, Bawdy

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