ELLINGTON WINTERFEST 2026

Friday, December 4th

ELLINGTON SENIOR CENTER

7:00pm **Ellington Singers Holiday Concert** A concert of favorite holiday songs, open to all.

Saturday, December 5th

WINTERFEST FARMERS MARKET

9:00am–12:00pm at Ellington High School

****ON THE GREEN****

4:00--5:00pm **Tree Lighting and Festivities**
Welcome remarks—Mrs. Claus, Winterfest Committee, Special Guests
Musical Entertainment and sing-a-long
Santa and friends arrive and mingle around 4:20
Santa and helpers light the trees at 4:40—Mrs. Claus will emcee

5:15pm **Torch Light Parade on Main Street**

HALL MEMORIAL LIBRARY

10:00am--1:00pm **Holiday Ornament Workshop** Children ages 4-12, 4 sessions, 4 ornaments. Register on the Library calendar.

5:00--7:00p **Refreshments and Good Cheer** Cookies, punch and cider. Musical performances by Ellington High School Music Dept. Crafts and games for kids by EHS Art Dept. Letters to Santa writing station.

ELLINGTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

2:00–6:30pm **Gingerbread House Contest Viewing** Come admire the entries submitted for the Gingerbread House Contest. Toy drive--collection of unwrapped toys for Ellington Human Services distribution.

3:30–4:00pm **Bell Choir and Musical Program** Join us for a wonderful music program with our Senior Bell Choir and a Caroling Sing-Along.

4:00--6:30pm **Winterfest Café** A “family-friendly” menu, with continuous seating in the Social Room. We will be offering our special Macaroni & Cheese, Chili, Chicken Noodle Soup, Grilled Cheese, Beverages and Brownies!

ELLINGTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

9am--7pm **Holiday Marketplace and Museum open**
- Nellie's Mercantile- New gift items and local artisan wares. Many Ellington-themed items
- Holiday Boutique-Previously loved holiday items looking for a new home, priced to sell

11:30am--7pm **Outdoor Activities** Hot Chocolate, cookies, adult beverages and bonfire starting at 3pm. Chick-fil-A and MK Bakes Cupcakes food trucks starting at 4pm.

ELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

7:30pm **Opening Knight Players present “Christmas in Pine Tree Corners”**
One show only. Fundraiser for Open Knight Players. Adults $10; students/senior citizens $8