



Celebration of Lights FAQ

Where is the Celebration of Lights held?

The Celebration of Lights is held at Village Park. It is located at 700 West C Street; Kannapolis, NC 28081.

Will there be fireworks?

Fireworks will be launched on Saturday, November 16, immediately following the Tree Lighting Ceremony at approximately 6:15 p.m.

Is there a charge to walk through the park during the Celebration of Lights?

Admission to the park and viewing of the lights is free. Tickets to ride the train and carousel are \$2.00 per person per ride. Although reservations not required, they are highly suggested. Children under the age of 1 do not need tickets.

Can children ride the train or carousel by themselves?

Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a paying adult.

How much does it cost?

All activities with the exception of the train and carousel are free. Carousel tickets are \$2 per person. Train tickets are \$2 per person. Children under the age of 1 do not need tickets.

How many tickets should I buy for the train?

Tickets are sold at \$2.00 PER PERSON. Please buy the number of tickets for the number of people in your party. Children under the age of 1 do not need tickets.

Can I purchase carousel tickets online?

Carousel tickets are only available for purchase at the park. Train tickets are available on-line or onsite at Village Park. Children under the age of 1 do not need tickets.

What days are reservations available?

Reservations are suggested for Sunday-Thursday. No reservations will be accepted Fridays & Saturdays. Seating will be on a first-come, first-



served basis on Fridays & Saturdays.

How long is the train ride?

The train ride is approximately 8 minutes in length.

What if it rains?

In the event of inclement weather check the website or City of Kannapolis social media updates. The rainout hotline (704-920-4344) will also be updated to reflect any weather updates pertaining to the event. You will receive a refund automatically for the train if we close the Celebration of Lights and Winterland Express.

Will Santa be at the park each night?

Kids of all ages can visit Santa in his studio each night during the Celebration of Lights. Santa will go back to the North Pole on December 23. He will be available 6 – 9 p.m. Thursdays – Sundays, and 6 – 10 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Can I take my own pictures with Santa?

All patrons can take photos with Santa from their own camera FREE of charge.

Will there be food available for purchase?

Kannapolis Parks & Recreation hosts a concession stand open which sells drinks, chips, s'mores, candy, popcorn, hot chocolate, etc. Additional food vendors will also be on site on select nights.

Should I bring cash or a credit card?

Items at the Kannapolis Parks & Recreation concession stand can be purchased with either cash or credit card, the park also accepts apple pay and mobile payments. Be aware that some of the outside food vendors may be limited to cash only. There is not an ATM at the park. The nearest ATM is located at NOVA Credit Union, on Dale Earnhardt Blvd, approximately .25 miles from the park.

Is smoking or vaping allowed?

No. Village Park is a tobacco free facility, this includes E-cigarettes.

Where is the lost & found located?

All lost and found items are kept at the Village Park building. During an event please go to the building to see if your lost item has been found and turned in. Anytime following an event,



please contact Kannapolis Parks & Recreation at 704-920-4343. Items are kept for a maximum of 30 days.

Are pets allowed?

No, pets are NOT allowed during events at Village Park, except as aids to those with disabilities.

Are there restrooms available?

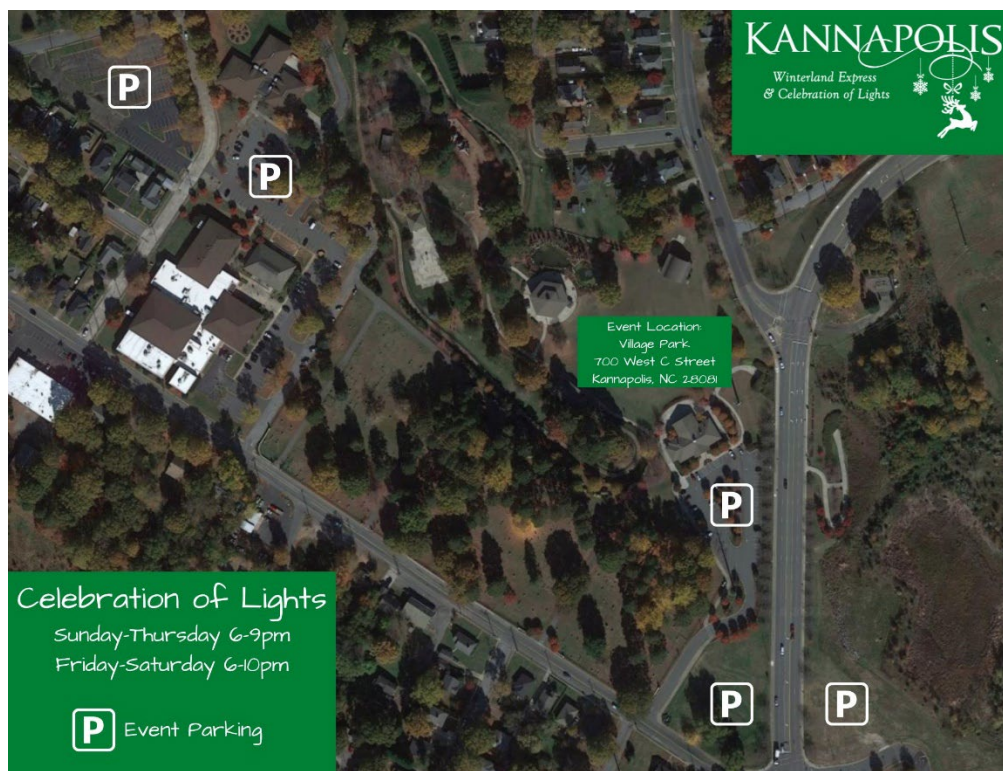
Yes, Village Park has restrooms available at the main park building in addition to a few at the splash pad.

What other activities are going on during the Celebration of Lights?

For a complete listing of activities during the Celebration of Lights go to www.kannapolisnc.gov/Christmas. Other activities may include live entertainment, craft vendors, balloon artists, face painting, etc.

Where should I park?

Public parking is available at various locations at and nearby Village Park. Please use the pedestrian tunnel or designated crosswalks to get to and from the park.



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Where can I find more information?

For more information, please contact Kannapolis Parks & Recreation at events@kannapolisnc.gov, 704-920-4343, or visit www.kannapolisnc.gov/Christmas