

Discover a
Rockford Christmas



Capture the magic of the holidays in the charming heart of Rockford with these special events...

- **Holiday Open Houses**—Downtown Rockford including Rockford Footwear Depot, Friday, Nov. 17, from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m., and Saturday, Nov. 18, all day!
- **Holiday Lighting Ceremony**—Pepler Park on the Dam Overlook, Friday, Dec. 1 from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. Free carriage rides from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Rotary Pavilion.
- **Santa Parade**—Downtown Rockford, Saturday, Dec. 2 from 10:45 a.m. until noon
- **Santa Visits**—Rotary Pavilion, Dec. 2 immediately after the parade until 2:00 p.m. Enjoy free milk and cookies!
- **Carriage Rides (FREE)**—Saturday, Dec. 2 immediately after the parade, from noon to 2 p.m. at the Rotary Pavilion.
- **Santa Visits and Free Cocoa & Cookies**—Rotary Pavilion, Wednesday, Dec. 6 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
- **Carriage Rides (FREE)**—Thursday and Friday, Dec. 7–8, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Rockford Footwear Depot
- **Santa Visits**—Rockford Footwear Depot, Friday, Dec. 8 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.
- **Santa Visits and Free Cocoa & Cookies**—Rotary Pavilion, Wednesday, Dec. 13 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
- **Santa's LIVE Reindeer**—Rotary Pavilion, Wednesday, Dec. 13 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
- **Carriage Rides (FREE)**—Thursday and Friday, Dec. 14–15, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Rockford Footwear Depot
- **Santa Visits**—Rockford Footwear Depot, Friday, Dec. 15 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.
- **NEW! Live Nativity**—corner of Bridge and Main streets (Speed Merchants), Friday, Dec. 15 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Also enjoy Christmas caroling strolling down Bridge Street (North Rockford Middle School), Monroe St., Maple St., to Main Street Lot—Live Nativity.

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