# LOCAL HOLIDAY EVENTS

## THE VILLAGE OF HAMPSHIRE CHRISTMAS PARADE

#### DECEMBER 13, 12 PM HAMPSHIRE

Free to all, come enjoy the spirit of the season. For more info, or to sign up to participate in the parade contact bamfoodcatering@gmail.com

#### **NEW YEAR'S EVE MULE DROP**

## DECEMBER 31, BEGINNING AT 9 PM DOWNTOWN COLUMBIA

Please join the Center of Hope and Experience Maury for this year's New Year's Eve Mule Drop.

Tuesday, December 31, 9 pm-12 am. food trucks, music and fun! Hourly countdowns at 10 and 11 pm leading up to the grand finale at midnight with fireworks and confetti cannons.



## 40TH ANNUAL DICKENS OF A CHRISTMAS DECEMBER 13-14 DOWNTOWN FRANKLIN

Dickens of a Christmas, presented by Wilson Bank & Trust, recreates the time of Charles Dickens using historic downtown Franklin's charming architecture as the backdrop. A variety of musicians, dancers, and Dickens characters will fill the streets. Expect to see and interact with the nefarious Fagin from Oliver Twist; Jacob Marley, Ebenezer Scrooge, Tiny Tim, and the rest of the Cratchit family from A Christmas Carol; and, of course, a Victorian Father and Mother Christmas with treats for children. The festival is produced by the Heritage Foundation of Williamson County.



#### THE BEST CHRISTMAS VARIETY SHOW DECEMBER 15, VARIOUS TIMES FRANKLIN THEATRE IN DOWNTOWN FRANKLIN

Gather the whole family for a dazzling holiday experience filled with music, laughter, and festive cheer. Featuring powerhouse vocalist Ryan J. Driscoll and his dynamic Music City Ensemble Band, this heartwarming show also stars the radiant Thea Danos, the soaring vocals of Maggie Richardson, the world-renowned Satin Dollz, and special performances by The Lakes Brass Quintet. Enjoy timeless classics like "The Christmas Song", "It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year", and "Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree", plus a joyful mix of favorite holiday tunes. It's what a Christmas show was meant to be, a perfect seasonal outing for all ages!

