



# HOLIDAYS AT WALT DISNEY WORLD

CELEBRATE THE MOST WONDERFUL  
TIME OF THE YEAR IN THE  
MOST MAGICAL PLACE ON EARTH!

YOUR HOLIDAYS HAVE NEVER BEEN THIS MAGICAL.  
DON'T MISS A MOMENT OF SEASONAL FUN!



# Christmas in the parks!

## Magic Kingdom:

- Frozen Holiday Surprise castle show
- Jingle Cruise
- Main Street Tree
- Meet Santa in Liberty Square

## Epcot:

- Festival of the Holidays
- Candlelight Processional
- World Showcase Storytellers
- Meet Santa in Odyssey Pavilion

## Hollywood Studios:

- Sunset Season's Greetings
- Frozen Sing-a-long feat. Olaf
- Dazzling Holiday Decor
- Santa Claus Motorcade

## Animal Kingdom:

- Merry Menagerie
- Tree of Life Holiday Edition
- Dino-Land Christmas Lights
- Santa Claus Festive Flotilla

## Other Holiday Cheer:

- Christmas Tree Trail and Meet Santa at Disney Springs
- Life-size Gingerbread House at Grand Floridian
- Iconic Individual Resort Themed Christmas Trees
- Heart-warming Holiday Photos with PhotoPass Photographers
- Christmas Treats throughout the Walt Disney World Resort

# MICKEY'S VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS PARTY



## Get ready for a magical holiday gathering.

Joyful music fills the air. Characters don their most festive attire and enchanting entertainment lies around almost every turn!

Where: Magic Kingdom

When: 7:00 pm to 12:00 am on select nights

*Pro tip:* enter Magic Kingdom as early as 4:00 pm with your party ticket and enjoy the regular park offerings until party activities begin at 7!

## ENCHANTING "DON'T MISS!" ENTERTAINMENT

- Minnie's Wonderful Christmastime Fireworks
- Mickey's Once Upon a Christmastime Parade (*two showings*)
- Mickey's Most Merriest Celebration stage show
- Club Tinsel Dance Party
- Disney Junior Jingle Jam



*Pick up a party guide to check times and locations*

## MORE TO ENJOY

- Visit with Favorite and Unique Characters
- Witness Snowfall on Main Street USA
- Grab complimentary Cookies and Hot Cocoa
- Take festive photographs, including "Magic Shots" only available during the parties

## ATTRACTIONS WITH A FESTIVE TWIST

- Space Mountain
- Jingle Cruise



This event requires a separately purchased ticket.

# DISNEY JOLLYWOOD NIGHTS



## Step into a shimmering holiday scene.

Surrounded by dapper décor and themed celebrations, you can dance the night away and enjoy favorite attractions at this glitzy and glam fete.

Where: Disney's Hollywood Studios

When: 8:30 pm to 12:30 am on select nights

*Pro tip:* enter the park as early as 7:00 pm with your party ticket and enjoy the regular park offerings until party activities begin

## ENCHANTING "DON'T MISS!" ENTERTAINMENT

- Nighttime spectacular, "Jingle Bell, Jingle Bam"
- "Disney Holidays in Hollywood," a variety show starring Mickey, Minnie, Kermit the Frog, Miss Piggy, Belle and Tiana
- "What's This? Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas Sing-Along" show starring Jack Skellington and other characters

*Pick up a paper guide or check the app for times and locations*



## MORE TO ENJOY

- Be welcomed to Jollywood with a DJ spinning a holiday mix on Hollywood Boulevard
- Saunter over to Echo Lake for a throwback bash that's sure to stir up nostalgia. You may even spot Powerline Max, Phineas and Ferb!
- Head down Commissary Lane and discover a holiday street fair filled with lively energy. Latin holiday music fills the air as musicians play along the walkways. Sip drinks and nibble on treats inspired by Latin holiday traditions.
- Accept an invitation to Twilight Soirée at the Tip Top Club, a swingin' celebration in the courtyard of The Hollywood Tower Hotel. Sip cocktails and unwind in style with a live band.

This event requires a separately purchased ticket.

# EPCOT International Festival of the Holidays

November 24 to  
December 30, 2023

*Celebrate Holidays Around the World*

A spirited seasonal event inspired by cultures near and far!



## **Storytellers**

Travel through World Showcase and discover holiday traditions celebrated by diverse cultures. Hear tales of unique customs from these engaging characters - sure to have you laughing and learning. Don't miss!

## **Meeting Santa**

Bring the whole family along for a classic, time-honored tradition — photos with Santa Claus! Head to the Odyssey Pavilion daily, 11/24 to 12/24. Santa meets at 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM, 2:00 PM, 3:30 PM, 5:00 PM and 6:30 PM.

## **Holiday Kitchens**

Delight in seasonal dishes and beverages from our holiday kitchens. Plus, embark on the Holiday Cookie Stroll, which features an array of tantalizing treats.

## **Candlelight Processional Series**

Experience the stirring story of Christmas with a celebrity narrator and glorious massed choir — accompanied by a 50-piece orchestra, herald trumpets, and the Voices of Liberty.

Maximize your day with a Candlelight Processional package which combines a sit-down meal at Epcot with an expedited seating at one of three nightly shows.

Don't want to sit for the whole show? Linger near the America pavilion and listen to the performance between other touring.



# FESTIVAL OF THE HOLIDAYS

## World Showcase Storytellers



One of the absolute highlights of the festival are the Holiday Storytellers.

Check your festival passport or the My Disney Experience app for showtimes and be sure to make time for these performances.

While each pavilion is special and entertaining, our favorite storytellers appear in Norway, Italy, and the UK.

### **Mexico Pavilion – Las Posadas Celebration**

(Sunday through Thursday)

¡Feliz Navidad! Join the fun and pageantry of Las Posadas with dancers, piñatas and the music of Mariachi Cobre

### **Norway Pavilion – A Mischievous Magical Barn Santa**

Celebrate the season with laughter as a mischievous Barn Santa visits Sigrid, an unsuspecting Christmas storyteller

### **China Pavilion – Chinese Lion Dancer**

Catch a glimpse of a colorful performance that brings good fortune and happiness in the Lunar New Year

### **Italy Pavilion – La Befana**

Come hear the tale of La Befana, the kindhearted witch who visits sleeping young children on the Eve of the Epiphany

### **Japan Pavilion – Daruma Storyteller**

Hear the fascinating story of the Daruma doll and the Japanese customs of the New Year!

### **Between the Morocco and France Pavilions – Hanukkah Storyteller**

Witness a storyteller recount traveling abroad to explore the diverse music and traditions of Hanukkah around the world

### **France Pavilion – Père Noël**

Visit with Père Noël and rediscover the magic of Christmas through the letter of a delightful child

### **United Kingdom Pavilion – Father Christmas**

Join Father Christmas as he rings in the season, sharing the traditions of the United Kingdom with good cheer

### **Canada Pavilion – Canadian Holiday Voyageurs**

Explore holiday customs from the various regions of Canada on a musical tour of the Great White North with the Canadian Holiday Voyageurs

### **The Odyssey Pavilion – Santa Greeting**

Daily through December 24, 2023

Stop by for a photo with jolly Santa Claus – also known as St. Nick, Père Noël and Father Christmas around the world!

# ALWAYS MAGICAL TRAVEL CO. FESTIVAL FAVORITES



## Food & Drink

The festivals are a perfect chance to try new flavors and snack your way across Epcot. Be sure to try our International Festival of the Holidays favorites:

- Cheese Fondue in a Bread Bowl
- Jumbo Shrimp Cocktail w/ Prosecco cocktail sauce
- Salted Caramel Spaceship Earth Cookie
- Pomegranate Margarita
- Frozen Hot Chocolate Martini
- Boursin Fig & Balsamic Souffle

Pick up a festival passport when you enter the park to learn where to purchase these favorites and pick out your own "must try" items.

## Festival Activities

As you enjoy the all-year fun at Epcot by way of attractions and shows, you'll also find the festival offers even more atmosphere and action. Here are our favorite things to enjoy during this lovely spring festival:

- Holiday Cookie Stroll. Find the official locations featured in your Festival Passport
- JOYFUL! A Celebration of the Season, an uplifting showcase of Gospel, R&B and holiday songs
- Living with the Land – Glimmering Greenhouses. Don't miss this beautiful holiday twist on a beloved EPCOT attraction (even better after dark!)
- Unique and beautiful decor and atmosphere in each of the World Showcase pavilions - enjoy them all!



# SEASONAL FESTIVALS AT EPCOT



With four themed festivals featuring unique activities, foods, and decorations throughout the year, these events hosted at Epcot have become fan-favorite, "must do"s on Walt Disney World itineraries. They are sure to make your day at this theme park even more enjoyable!

Enjoy festival fun and family entertainment all while you take in the always-available attractions, atmosphere, and characters of Epcot.

## WHAT TO EXPECT AT THE FESTIVALS

- Dozens of specialty booths offering unique, themed food and beverage options in small-sized, sample portions available for purchase (bring your appetite!)
- Incredible exhibits, concerts, demonstrations, and special performances throughout the park - included with your admission
- Fun activities for all ages
- Atmosphere and photo opportunities sure to make you smile



Be sure to pick up a festival guide upon entering Epcot. Strategize which snacks and drinks you want to grab, note the times of any performances you want to see, scope out the day's activities. This will help you determine what is close by and help you avoid backtracking to booths or exhibits you want to visit.

Kids love the festival guides too. The guides often have stickers inside that allow you to mark off the booths you've visited. Always fun!

# MORE HOLIDAY FUN AROUND WALT DISNEY WORLD RESORT



## Disney Springs

Shop, dine and play the most festive way.

- Christmas Tree Stroll - Find all 19 gorgeously themed trees and earn a special surprise! (Five distribution locations)
- Nightly snowfall at Town Center
- Holiday-themed stilt walkers and a rollerblade duo roaming Town Center, Santa Sleigh DJ serving up joyful tunes in Marketplace, and many other dazzling displays designed to put you in the spirit of the season

## Grand Floridan Gingerbread House

Back for its 24th year!

Fun facts about the iconic gingerbread house:

- Made of white chocolate candy canes, edible snowflakes, sugar poinsettias, and over 10,000 pieces of gingerbread
- 85 lb. chocolate Santa, nutcrackers, toy soldiers, and snowmen - all hand-painted
- 500 hours spent baking gingerbread and 480 hours spent decorating
- Be on the lookout for the 24 hidden Mickeys found throughout the entire display



## More Festive Fun

- Every resort has its own beautifully themed holiday decor. Feel free to tour the many resort hotel lobbies and appreciate each one
- Special treats - like cupcakes, cookie butter shakes, gingerbread bars, and more - at each resort hotel and the theme parks
- Snap a seasonal pic via “magic shots” with the Disney photographers and holiday filters through Genie+ in the app

