



Holiday Special Events / Fundraisers

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Date	Event	Details	Contact
Oct. 21 6–8 pm 4320 S. Oxbow Ave. Sioux Falls, SD	Sea & Sky Spooktacular	Come as your favorite character – super heroes, princesses, wizard, and Jedi welcome! We will have fun family activities for all to support the Butterfly House and Marine Cove for 6 – 8 pm. *activity is free with paid admission	Contact Jen Kindelspire at jen@marinecove.org or (605) 334-9466
Oct. 30, 2:30pm O’Gorman High School Performing Arts Center	Festival of Men’s Voices Concert- Free will offering	Benefitting The Banquet’s Project: SOS. A free concert featuring 7 men’s choruses singing a smorgasbord of sounds. A free-will offering benefits The Banquet.	Madeline (605) 335-7066 madeline@thebanquetsf.org
Nov. 8, 7am–7pm Nov. 9, 9am-7pm Nov. 10, 9am-7pm Nov. 11, 9am-4pm	Fall Craft Bazaar and Bake Sale for Active Generations	Homemade gifts including baby items, receiving blankets, afghans, sweaters, baby booties, and burpies. Homemade and embroidered dish towels, scrubbies, knitted afghans, blankets, quilts, wall hangings, table runners, knitted scarves, and hats mitten sets. Wonderful homemade baked goods as well.	For more information contact: Lisa Howard at Active Generations (605) 336-6722 or lhoward@activegen.org
Nov. 10 –Dec. 25	Macy’s Believe Campaign	Kids of all ages are encouraged to write a letter to Santa and bring it to Macy’s Store in the Empire Mall. For every letter written, Macy’s will donate \$1, up to \$1 million nationwide to Make-A-Wish, including Make-A-Wish South Dakota, who grants wishes to kids across our state. This is a great project for schools, daycare and organizations to write a letter to Santa, while also helping to make wishes come true for sick kids. Find out more at: southdakota.wish.org or call 335.8000.	Make-A-Wish South Dakota Paul Krueger (605) 335-8000 pkruieger@southdakota.wish.org

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Nov. 11 – Dec. 24	Annual Red Kettle Campaign Salvation Army	Starting Friday, November 11 th through Christmas Eve, The Salvation Army will conduct its annual fundraising campaign. Red Kettles will be placed at shopping and Get n Go locations around Sioux Falls. All money raised supports local programs and services. This year our Red Kettle Fundraising Goal is \$550,000. On Saturday, December 10 th , we will be holding our special “Match Day”. For every \$20.00 bill donated, it will be matched with \$80.00 to turn it into \$100.00.	To become a red kettle partner by placing a Kettle Stand or Mini Kettle at your location, contact Marcie at (605) 338-6649 Ext. 317
Begins Nov 18 from 6-9pm with a kickoff event, then every night afterward as well through Jan 8	Winter Wonderland and Lights Show at Falls Park	Winter Wonderland at Falls Park kicks off Friday, November 20 from 6-9 p.m. Children can visit Santa & Mrs. Claus, reindeer and other animals. This event is free for the entire family! Park downtown and ride the free Trolley to Falls Park. The park will be closed to drive through traffic the evening of the event. Parking at Falls Park is limited to handicap accessible vehicles the night of the event. Winter Wonderland at Falls Park is a dazzling display of lights and holiday festivities for all ages. Falls Park will continue to “light up” nightly through January 10 th	(605) 275-6060
Nov. 19 th 10am – 2pm 4320 S. Oxbow Ave. Sioux Falls, SD	Fall Fish Festival Sea & Sky Saturday	From 10am – 2 pm, come celebrate the diversity of our fish at our Fall Fish Festival! Partake in making a craft and more! *free with paid admission	Contact Jen Kindelspire at jen@marinecove.org or (605) 334-9466
Nov. 19, 10 am to 5 pm Nov. 20, 10 am to 5 pm	Trains at Christmas	The Sioux Valley Model Engineers Society hosts display of model railroads in a Christmas setting at the fairground's expo building. admission is \$5 per person with children 12 and under free when accompanied by an adult.	www.sdmes.org For more information call (605) 373-0222
Nov. 24, 8am	The Banquet's Run For Food	1 mile Fun run/walk, 5K or 10K. No registration, No T-shirt, No Clock. Suggested donation \$10	Contact Dakotah Jordan (605) 335-7066 or dakotah@thebanquetsf.org

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		per runner goes toward food for The Banquet guests. Apple & Pumpkin pies also for available at this event. \$10 donation.	
Nov. 26 th	Jingle Bell Run	5K run/walk in Downtown Sioux Falls. Registration starts at 8am with the race at 9am.	Darci Hustrulid, (605) 201-7973, dhustrulid@arthritis.org
Nov 26 & Dec. 3	Santa @ 8 th & Railroad	Santa will be visiting the shops at 8 th & Railroad for 1 – 5 pm	Downtown Sioux Falls (605) 338-4009
Nov. 25 - Jan 8 Federal Courthouse Plaza (12 th & Phillips)	Snowman Lane	Come check out 25 decorated wooden snowmen painted by Kids, Inc. Students	Downtown Sioux Falls (605) 338-4009
Nov. 25, 7:30pm	Parade of Lights	Beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, November 25, dazzling lighted holiday floats and music will flood historic Phillips Avenue from 14th Street to 5th Street. The 25th Annual Parade of Lights is the official start to the downtown holiday season!	Downtown Sioux Falls (605) 338-4009
Dec. 2 - Dec. 24	Gift Wrapping at Empire Mall for Children's Inn	Bring your gifts to the Children's Inn Gift Wrapping Booth in the Macy's court of the Empire Mall and have your gifts wrapped. All proceeds from the Gift Wrap Booth benefit the Children's Inn. Our Christmas Wish List will be available at our booth or at www.chssd.org/childrensinn .	Melissa Jenkins Children's Inn (605) 338-0116 allison.parsons@chssd.org
Nov. 26 & Dec. 3, 10,17	Downtown Sioux Falls, Horse & Wagon Rides	Enjoy free horse & wagon rides loading in the plaza by 12 th & Phillips from noon – 4:00pm.	(605) 338-4009
Dec. 2-4	Augustana Christmas Vespers 2016	A celebration of the birth of Christ featuring Augustana's four choirs and the orchestra, Dec. 2-4 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church.	For tickets call (605) 274-5320 or Augietickets.com
Dec. 2 & 3 6:30–9pm	Annual Living Nativity	Southern Hills United Methodist Church – 3400 E. 49 th Street, SF SD 57103. Come and see the nativity scene re-created with characters and real animals. Free, and open to all. Donations of nonperishable food for the Food Pantry are accepted.	For more information, call (605) 371-2065 info@SoHillsUMC.org

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Dec 3 at 5pm	International Cook-off at Multi-Cultural Center	To benefit the Multi-Cultural Center's programs and services for youth and adults, educating the Sioux Falls Community. Tickets: \$30/person, \$50/two, \$200/ table of 8 Online: sfmcc.org or at the door.	Contact Roxie (605) 367-7401 or roxie@sfmcc.org
Dec. 3rd 10am - 3pm Country Christmas	HorsePower Barn location at 26659 Blue Sage Lane	Join HorsePower for food vendors, wine tasting and raffle prizes. There is something for everyone! Holiday cheer with a distinctly country flair. Unique vendors will make your holiday shopping a cinch! There will also be a craft for the kids	Please contact Shaela TeKrony at (605) 251-1685 or officeadmin@horsepowersf.com .
Dec 8th, 7:30pm	Augustana Christmas Instrumental Concert	Featuring more than 130 instrumentalists, including the Augustana Band, the Blue and Gold Band and the Northlanders Jazz Band.	Tickets are at the Washington Pavilion
Dec. 14 th 7–8:30 pm	O'Gorman Christmas Vespers, at the O'Gorman Performing Arts Center	Concert featuring O'Gorman High School Choirs	Contact (605) 929-5200
Dec. 16th	Salvation Army night at the Sioux Falls Stampede	There will be a special Sioux Falls Stampede Jersey Auction to benefit the Salvation Army. The players will wear special designed Jersey's that will be auctioned off during the game. All proceeds will benefit The Salvation Army's Red Kettle Campaign.	Contact Marcie at (605) 338-4469 Ext. 317
Dec. 10 11am - 5pm	Sioux Falls Area Humane Society Howliday Open House	Do all of your shopping at the Humane Society! Crafts, Gifts, and Goodies Galore at our Bake Sale! All proceeds benefit our animals.	Mallory at (605) 338-4441
Dec. 10 & 17	Downtown Sioux Falls, Santa in Shriver Square	Visit Santa in Shriver Square (230 S. Phillips) Dec. 12th & 9th From 10am – 5pm Free. Bring your own camera.	(605) 338-4009
December 11 at 3pm	The Singing Boys of Sioux Falls Holiday Concert	Concert will be held at East Side Lutheran Church. Free will offering are accepted.	Please contact The Singing Boys at (605) 201-0628.with questions.

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Dec. 15 at 7:30 pm Dec. 16 at 7:30 pm Dec. 17 at 1pm & 7:30 pm Dec. 18 at 2pm & 7:30pm	Christmas at the Cathedral	St. Joseph's Cathedral hosts the SD Symphony Orchestra and other great artists for this holiday music celebration. Proceeds go to the Bishop Dudley House.	For Info, call 605.988.3788 or visit www.sfcatholic.org or cnawroth@sfcatholic.org
Dec. 10, 10am-1pm (blizzard reset date of Dec. 17 if necessary)	North Pole Carnival at Active Generations	The annual Christmas For A Cause fundraising event will take place at the Washington Pavilion on Dec. 10th. All proceeds and contributions benefit The Community Outreach. The event will feature a reception with a Christmas concert headlined by the local musical act the Browns. A silent auction will be available and free will donations are accepted.	Lisa Howard (605) 336-6722 Or lhoward@activegen.org
Dec. 2 & 3 (24 hours)	Special Olympics South Dakota & Law Enforcement Torch Run - 24 Hour Holiday Super Plunge	Come help those with disabilities with an overnight fundraiser. Join us at the new Unify Center for 24 hours of fun with a small group of big hearted supporters. Lots of games and camaraderie for a GREAT CAUSE!!!	Contact: Todd Bradwisch 605-331-4117 tbradwisch@sosd.org
Dec. 17 th . 10am – 2pm 4320 S. Oxbow Ave. Sioux Falls, SD	Winter Wonders Sea & Sky Saturday	From 10am – 2 pm, Get in the spirit of the season at Winter Wonders event from 10am – 2 pm. Make a craft, take advantage of the family photo booth, and make some reindeer treats to put out for Santa's reindeer. +free with paid admission.	Contact Jen Kindelspire at jen@marinecove.org or (605) 334-9466
Dec. 18, 4pm at Orpheum Theatre, Sioux Falls	Holiday Jam with the Hegg Brothers to benefit LifeScape (children and adults with developmental disabilities.)	The Holiday tradition continues with the Hegg Brothers! Please join us for an afternoon of fabulous arrangements of your favorite Holiday songs and Christmas Carols performed by the Hegg Brothers and their Holiday Jam Band. All proceeds from this event support LifeScape and their mission to empower children and adults who have disabilities to lead fulfilling lives. Tickets can be purchased at the LifeScape Foundation Office or on the website at www.lifescapesd.org	(605) 444-9808

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Dec. 31	El Riad Shrine New Year's Dance	Purchase tickets in advance to reserve table. Starts at 7pm at the El Riad Shrine Temple	(605) 336-1117
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