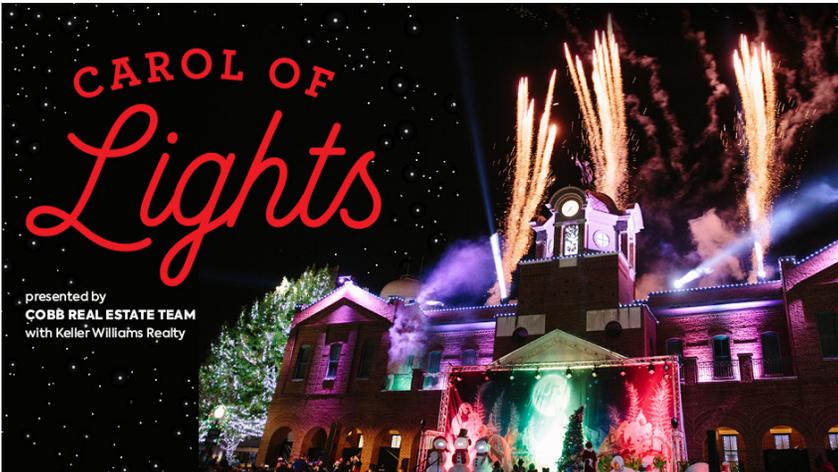


The 31st Annual Carol of Lights Show Lights Up Downtown Grapevine



GRAPEVINE, Texas – November 12, 2018 – Discover the magic of Christmas this year at Grapevine City Hall as we illuminate all of downtown Grapevine with our 31st Annual Carol of Lights Show and street lighting on Monday, November 19 in the Christmas Capital of Texas®! This presentation of live performances, dazzling dance numbers and breathtaking fireworks will be sure to get the entire family in the Christmas spirit! As part of the show, cover bands Inside Out, Mad Men Swing Band and Big City Outlaws will be performing for the crowd as well as drumline and dance numbers from Grapevine High School.

Show up early and embrace the greatest time of year by taking photos with Santa and live reindeer, creating seasonal crafts and savoring tasty food vendors, all beginning at 3:00 p.m. in downtown Grapevine. This year's activities include writing letters to soldiers, ornament making, reindeer face painting, Christmas Karaoke, and much more!

This year, ABC's WFAA morning show hosts, Kara Sewell and Ron Corning will emcee the Rockefeller Center style show and will entertain the crowd as Mayor William D. Tate "flips the switch" lighting the entire historic downtown Grapevine!

For the public's convenience, we are now offering optional reserved seating for purchase for a \$5.00 fee. This will allow families to enjoy the afternoon festivities together and have their seats waiting when it's ShowTime! Optional reserved seating is now available for sale through November 19 at 12:00 p.m. at GoGrapevine.com/CarolofLights. Tickets for seating will not be sold at the door. If attendees do not wish to purchase reserved seats, there will be options for FREE seating and plenty of "standing room only" for the show. The doors will open at 5:30 p.m. for reserved seating and the show begins at 7:00 p.m..

As if the show wasn't exciting enough, come travel to the World of Whoville at Town Square Gazebo for our Light Show Spectacular. This attraction features Who-houses, post office, you know WHO's lair and your favorite Whoville characters in cut-out form just waiting for your family photos all season long. Find the Grinch himself roaming Whoville trying to steal the Christmas spirit. And don't forget, each evening there's a 100% chance of snow flurries. The Light Show Spectacular runs Tuesday, November 20, through Sunday, January 6 to enjoy all season long.

For more information about the event, contact us at 817.410.3450. For questions about optional reserved seating, contact tickets@grapevintexas.gov.

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