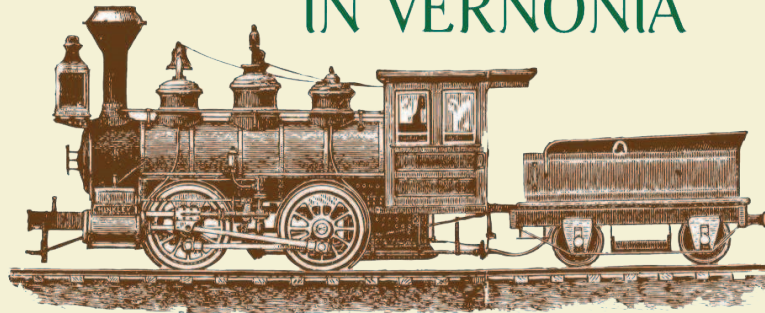


# THE SPIRIT OF *Christmas* IN VERNONIA



Join us as we celebrate a traditional old-fashioned small town holiday

## *Saturday, December 8<sup>th</sup>*



**December 8**  
**December 15**

Judging of Downtown Business Window Display Contest  
Judging of Lighted Home Decorating Contest

**December 8**  
**Specific Timed Events**

|                       |  |                           |
|-----------------------|--|---------------------------|
| 9:00 am               | 5th Annual Ugly Sweater 5K Run   | Anderson Park             |
| 11:00 am              | Storytelling & Craft: "How to Catch an Elf"  | Vernonia Library          |
| 11:00 am              | Chili Cook-Off & Chili Feed  | Blue House Café           |
| 12:30 pm              | Storytelling & Craft: "The Night Before Christmas"   | Blue House Café           |
| 1:30 pm               | Storytelling & Craft: "Gingerbread Baby"   | Blue House Café           |
| 2:00 pm               | Storytelling & Craft: "Gingerbread Friends"  | Blue House Café           |
| 2:30 pm               | Storytelling: "One Maine Christmas Eve"  | Vernonia Grange           |
| 3:00 pm               | Christmas Cookie Judging   | Vernonia Grange           |
| 3:30 pm               | Storytelling: "How the Grinch Stole Christmas"   | R&S Market                |
| 4:00 pm               | Contest Winners Announced (Cookie Bake-Off, Gingerbread House Show-Off, and Business Window Display) | Vernonia Grange           |
| 5:30 pm               | Lighted Parade   | State Avenue to City Hall |
| After Parade          | Christmas Tree Lighting  | Pihl's Landing            |
| After Tree Lighting   | Meet Santa and Mrs. Claus  | Spike Table               |
| After Tree Lighting   | Spaghetti Dinner & Auction   | Cabin in Vernonia         |
| 8:00 pm               | Tavern Story Time: "A Jockey's Christmas"  | All In Pub & Eatery       |
| <b>Ongoing Events</b> |  |                           |
| 8:00-10:30 am         | Breakfast with Santa   | Fire Station              |
| 8:00-10:00 am         | Coloring Contest   | Fire Station              |
| 10:00-3:00            | Christmas Crafts for Kids  | Vernonia Grange           |
| 10:00-3:30            | Gingerbread House Show-Off   | Vernonia Grange           |
| 10:00-6:00            | Food Vendors & Fire Pit with S'mores   | Shay Park                 |
| 10:00-7:00            | Winter Art Show  | Grey Dawn Gallery         |
| 11:00-3:00            | Chocolate Walk   | Downtown Businesses       |
| 11:00-3:00            | Lions Club Free Hot Cider  | Blue House Café           |
| 11:00-3:00            | Cake Walk  | R&S Market                |
| 11:00-5:00            | Stocking Stuffer & Gift Show   | Mason House               |
| 11:00-5:00            | Wine Tasting with Helvetia Winery  | Mason House               |
| 12:00-3:00            | Carriage Rides with Donner   | Vernonia City Hall        |
| 12:00-4:00            | Vernonia Dickens Carolers  | Downtown                  |



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