

Holiday Magic Dates & Times

4:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Dec. 5-6, 12-13,
19-20, and 26-31

Restaurants, shops, and most outdoor exhibits are open.

Open Exhibits

Indoor exhibits close at 8:00 p.m.

- Australia House
- Big Cats
- Camel Yard
- Feathers and Scales
- Great Bear Wilderness
- Hamill Family Play Zoo
- Hamill Family Wild Encounters
- Pachyderm House
- Regenstein Wolf Woods
- Reptiles and Birds
- Seven Seas (Underwater Viewing)
- The Fragile Desert
- The Fragile Rain Forest
- The Living Coast
- The Swamp
- Tropic World

More Lights!

NEW! Polar Lights
Interactive display at West Mall

NEW! Tic-Tac-Snow
Interactive display at East Mall

Holiday Light Spectacular
Swamp Facade

41-Foot Talking Tree
North Plaza



Holiday Mold-A-Ramas

Limited-Edition Holiday Figures
In Vestibule of Woof-Field Gifts and Seven Seas Underwater Viewing

Animal Adoptions Help Support Malaya and Daania Snow Leopard Cubs

Visit us at South Gate (#18 on the map)



Memberships are a great gift idea!

Ring in the new year at Zoo Year's Eve!

Thursday, December 31

Holly Jolly Theater
(at The Swan Pavilion)

6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
DJ with Music, Games, and Prizes

8:00 p.m.
Countdown



Hamill Family Play Zoo Countdown

Make your own noisemaker and enjoy an early kid-friendly countdown at 8:00 p.m.

(This area is perfect for families with children ages 6 and under.)

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The Chicago Zoological Society wishes you a happy holiday season and thanks you for your support throughout the year.

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Welcome! holiday magic BROOKFIELD ZOO

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1 41-Foot Talking Tree

North Plaza
Opening Ceremony on Saturday, December 5 at 5:00 p.m., featuring local pop artist Isaiah Grass and VIVID Performance Troupe.

2 Holly Jolly Theater

The Swan Pavilion
See the schedule at far right.

3 Dancing Trees

Continuous show at Roosevelt Fountain

NEW!

4 Polar Lights

Interactive display at West Mall

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5 Tic-Tac-Snow

Interactive display at East Mall

6 Holiday Light Spectacular

Swamp

7 There's Snow Place Like Brookfield Zoo Model Railroad

LGB Model Railroad Club
BZ Red Hots/Riverside Room
4:00 to 8:30 p.m.

8 Photos with Animals*

Bramsen Animal Ambassador Pavilion (Inside ITW Room)
4:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

*Not available December 12.

9 Ice Carver

The Dolphin Pavilion
6:00, 7:00, and 8:00 p.m.

10 Santa and Mrs. Claus

Seven Seas Underwater Viewing
4:00 to 8:30 p.m. through December 20

11 Magician Matthew Scherer

Bison Pavilion
4:30 to 8:30 p.m.

12 Costumed Characters

North Gate

13 Cookie Decorating

BZ Red Hots (Fee required)

14 Carolers and Choirs

The Living Coast Plaza

Saturday, December 5

6:00 p.m. Westchester Middle School

Sunday, December 13

6:00 p.m. Carl Sandburg High School

Sunday, December 20

5:00 p.m. Beautiful Feet Club

6:00 p.m. Stargazers

7:00 p.m. Stargazers

8:00 p.m. Stargazers

Singing to the Animals

Join the Season's Greetings Carolers

15 5:30 p.m. Reindeer (Hamill Family Wild Encounters)

16 6:30 p.m. Big Cats (Big Cats)

17 7:30 p.m. Bears (Great Bear Wilderness)

18 Animal Adoptions and Memberships

South Gate

Zoo Chats

19 5:00 p.m. Crocodiles (The Swamp)

20 5:30 p.m. Reptiles (Feathers and Scales)

21 6:00 p.m. Bears (Great Bear Wilderness)

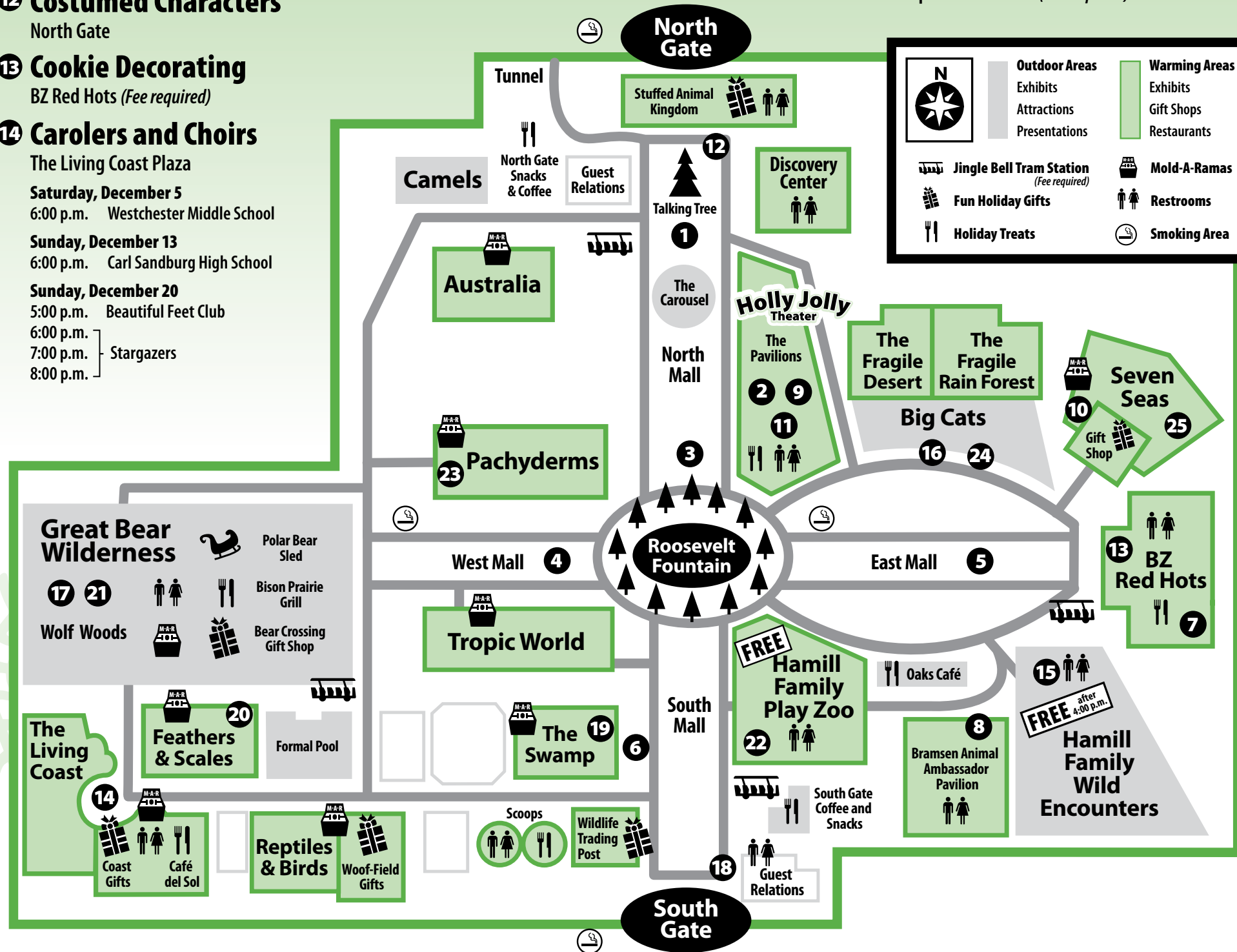
22 6:30 p.m. Lemurs (Hamill Family Play Zoo)

23 7:00 p.m. Rhinoceroses (Pachyderm House)

24 7:30 p.m. Big Cats (The Fragile Kingdom)

25 Dolphins in Action

6:00 p.m. Seven Seas (Fee required)



FREE!
Holly Jolly Theater
at The Pavilions!

Saturday, December 5

- 6:00 p.m. Those Funny Little People
- 7:00 p.m. Expression Dance Studio
- 8:00 p.m. Impact Dance Company

Sunday, December 6

- 5:00 p.m. The Music Connection
- 6:00 p.m. Those Funny Little People
- 7:00 p.m. Thistle and Heather Highland Dancers
- 8:00 p.m. Coal City High School Show Choir

Saturday, December 12

- 5:00 p.m. S.T.A.T. of Illinois
- 6:00 p.m. Those Funny Little People
- 7:00 p.m. Strings of the Valley
- 8:00 p.m. Dreams Gymnastics & Dance

Sunday, December 13

- 5:00 p.m. Footwork Dance Ensemble
- 6:00 p.m. Those Funny Little People
- 7:00 p.m. Elite Dance Academy
- 8:00 p.m. Dance Dimensions

Saturday, December 19

- 5:00 p.m. Varieties Music Team
- 6:00 p.m. Those Funny Little People
- 7:00 p.m. Mundelein Dance Company
- 8:00 p.m. Pizzazz Dance Company

Sunday, December 20

- 5:00 p.m. DLD Dance Center
- 6:00 p.m. Those Funny Little People
- 7:00 p.m. TNT Xtreme Dance
- 8:00 p.m. Peggy Rose Dance Academy

The celebration continues after December 25th!
Check online for programs scheduled December 26-31.