

Christmas In The Village 2026

Celebrate the Season with your friends and neighbors while supporting your local businesses!

2nd Annual Event – Village Of Hamburg, MI

To all crafters, vendors, and small businesses,

We would like to invite you to participate in the *Christmas In The Village* event in 2026! We plan to host our Family-friendly event again this year and would love if you could join us with your homespun offerings! Last year we had everything from knitted items to baked goods, and we would love to help to promote your offerings and services!

The event will be held one day only, in the Village of Hamburg, and will take place on Saturday, December 12, 2026 from Noon-7PM. We switched things around so Santa is closing out the event instead of starting it, which we think will work out nicely since he can travel right to his workshop from our event! **Vendors will be notified of acceptance by Thursday, November 12, 2026.**

Our Jingle Market will be open from Noon – 6PM. Vendor setup will be available starting at 9AM that morning and all vendors must have their vehicles moved from the market area no later than 11AM. The market is in a heated tent with lights, however, there is no electric or Wi-Fi provided so you would need to plan accordingly. There will be indoor restroom facilities available within walking distance of the market.

At 6:00 p.m. when the market closes, Santa will arrive and the Christmas caroling will start. We ask that tear-down of displays and conversation be at a minimum until 6:30 when the festivities come to an end. **Starting at 6:30, you can bring your vehicle to the tent location to load up by following the shuttle route. A map will be provided.**

We will set up a Facebook Event page again this year and hope you will help us pass the word about this festive community event by liking and sharing our posts. We will also invite you to post about your offerings, specials, and pre-orders there by listing yourself as a #ParticipatingVendor once you are notified of acceptance. **You can find our event page:**
https://www.facebook.com/events/2013442172633854/

To find the most up-to-date information and forms, please head to our website here:
https://www.hamburg.mi.us/departments/parks_and_recreation/index.php

Applications with payment can be dropped at the Township either at the counter or in the drop box, or by scanning and emailing them to me at dhenneman@hamburg.mi.us with a copy of your receipt if you pay via the Payment Portal. A welcome packet will be sent once you have been accepted for the event with further instructions and information. Hope to hear from you soon! Please contact me if you have any questions,

Deby Henneman, Township Coordinator – (810) 222- 1124 – dhenneman@hamburg.mi.us



Christmas In The Village

Saturday, December 12, 2026 – Noon-7PM

Request for Vendor Table/Space

(Fees include space in heated tent – starting at $25 per space)

Vendor Name:	
Product type:	
Address:	
City, State Zip:	
Telephone No:	
Email:	**Social:**
GL Insurance:	**WComp:**

I would like to reserve the following at the Christmas in the Village Event:

- ☐ **OPTION 1 - Space (only) for 6' table at $25 (Vendor must supply 6' table & chairs)**
- ☐ **OPTION 2 - Space including 6' table & 2 chairs at $35 (Event supplies)**
- ☐ **FOOD TRUCK - Space at no cost.**
- ☐ **SPACE ONLY - I have my own 10 x 10 heated tent I plan to use, at no cost.**

Set-up time:

Saturday, December 12, from 9:00 am to 11:00 am.

All vehicles must be moved once items are unloaded and must be cleared from the area by 11 AM. All vendors must remain for the duration of the event and cannot bring their cars to load until after event closes starting at approximately 6:30 PM. Vendors will be welcome to tear down their displays quietly during the lighting of the tree and caroling.

Roads will be closed until 7PM. Vendor parking may not be available the vendor space, so please plan accordingly by bringing a wagon if your space needs replenishing during the day. Shuttles will also be provided to get you to and from your vehicle.

Event Description:

This is the 2nd Annual Christmas In The Village Event, taking place in the Village of Hamburg, MI and is a celebration of the season with our local businesses and services. We ask that vendors kindly refrain from selling products that directly compete with our local businesses, if possible. Food trucks we would love to see are: Beverages (such as Tea, Coffee, Cocoa), Sweets & Treats (Baked Goods, Candied Nuts, Candies, Fudge, Kettle Corn, etc.). Applications which are not approved will be refunded.

Schedule of Events:

Events are subject to change. For current forms and information, please go to:
https://www.hamburg.mi.us/departments/parks_and_recreation/christmas_in_the_village.php

Waiver and Release.
As a participant in the Christmas In The Village Event, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury and I agree to assume the full risk of any injuries, including death, damages, loss which I sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with or associated with the event. I do hereby fully release and discharge, and covenant not to sue Hamburg Township and/or the Christmas In The Village Committee, its officers, agents, volunteers, sponsors and employees from any and all claims from injuries, including death, damages or loss which I may have or which may occur to me on account of my participation in the event.

Medical treatment.
I release and discharge Hamburg Township from any claim that arises or may arise due to any first aid, medical treatment, or service rendered to me.

Insurance.
Hamburg Township shall have no responsibility for theft or destruction of any personal belongings brought or stored on premises, nor shall Hamburg Township have any responsibility for providing any health, medical or disability insurance coverage for me. It is my responsibility as a vendor to supply Certificates of Insurance naming Hamburg Township as Additional Insured.

Photographic release.
I grant to Hamburg Township the right to use photographic images and video or audio recordings of me that are made by Hamburg Township for social media posts, website posts, and articles.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge and agree to the listed Rules & Regulations/Release of Liability Waiver. I also understand that no refunds will be given in the event that I have to cancel my participation after payment is made. **I understand that returning this form with payment does not guarantee participation in this event and that I will be notified by the Event Coordinator no later than 11/16/26 if my business has been selected. Applications must be received by 11/12/26.**

Signature_____ **Dated:** _____

Please return signed form with payment to:

Hamburg Township Parks & Recreation
10405 Merrill Rd., P.O. Box 157
Hamburg, MI 48139
Deby Henneman, Township Coordinator - dhenneman@hamburg.mi.us – (810) 222-1124

Payments made via our Payment Portal at above Event Link must submit receipt with their application. External Codes to enter for payment are shown in BOLD next to the options or on the Event Link.

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December 12 - Noon-7 PM

Celebrate the season with your friends and neighbors while supporting your local businesses!

Sunday Service
12/13/26 - 10 am
at St. Stephen's
Episcopal Church
All Welcome!



Visit Santa, make a craft, and see the model train at the Hamburg Township Museum!

Use this QR Code to visit our web page!

For more info:
https://www.hamburg.mi.us/departments/parks_and_recreation/index.php

Jingle Market Gifts & More!

Hamburg Pub Pizza by the Slice

Holiday StoryWalk

Kids Crafts

Food Vendors

Music & Entertainment

Visits with Santa

Family friendly fun!

Local Business Specials

Live Nativity Scene

Free admission

Mailbox for Letters to Santa will be at Hamburg Museum

Sponsored by the Christmas In The Village Committee

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Event Schedule

December 12 - Noon - 7 PM

Visit our webpage!

Noon - 6 PM - Jingle Market Open

Noon - 5 PM - Christmas Market in St. Stephen's

Noon - 5PM - Kid Crafts at Hamburg Museum (while supplies last)

Noon - 5 PM - Classic Holiday Movies at Hamburg Museum

12:30 - 2:30 PM - Visit with Santa at Hamburg Museum

3:30 - 4 PM -Storytime with Mrs. Claus at St. Stephen's

4:30 PM - Christmas Classics reading at St. Stephen's

5 PM - Live Nativity Display - Animals - Hamburg Museum

5:30 PM - Live Nativity Display - Story - Hamburg Museum

6 PM - Jingle Market Closes

6 PM - Santa Arrives & Event Blessing - St. Stephen's

6:15 PM - Christmas Choir & Sing-along - St. Stephen's

6:30 PM - Lighting of the Tree - St. Stephen's

6:45 - 7 PM - Event Ends

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