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See Santa at 40th Annual Tree Lighting at Darien Sport Shop on Sunday, Nov 25

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Santa will ride in on a fire truck at the 40th annual Tree Lighting at the Darien Sport Shop parking lot on Sunday, Nov. 25.

The event begins at 4:30 p.m., with a performance from the Darien High School Tudor Singers. Hot cocoa and doughnuts will be served.

Darien announcement from Darien Sport Shop and Darien Parks and Recreation Department

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The four-decade tradition continues with Santa's arrival at 5 p.m. for the tree lighting, followed by jolly St. Nick and his reindeer, and a wish from those of all ages!

Complimentary refreshments of coffee and donuts will be provided by Darien Parks and Recreation sponsored by Darien Doughnut as well as hot cocoa provided by the Darien Boy Scouts.

Make plans to conclude your Thanksgiving weekend with a magical local family tradition here in Darien.

This is one of two downtown outdoor holiday celebrations with Santa. Here's the other one, a week later, on Sunday, Dec. 1:

- [Santa Comes to Grove Street Plaza at 'Holiday Magic' Event Dec 1](#) (Nov. 17)

This year in partnership with Darien Parks and Recreation, providing coffee and doughnuts, and sponsored by Darien Doughnut. The hot cocoa comes from Darien Boy Scouts.

Please reach out to either the Darien Sport Shop (203) 655-2575 or Darien Parks and Recreation (203) 656-7325 with any questions.

This event is free to attend. Have a wonderful Thanksgiving and we look forward to seeing you on the 25th!