# L.L.Bean



# NORTHERN LIGHTS

CELEBRATION

2012 Schedule of Events

NOVEMBER 16 - DECEMBER 31



FREEPORT, MAINE

This holiday season, we invite you to begin a new family tradition, or continue an old one—for many of our customers, the holidays just wouldn't be the same without a trip to Freeport.

#### FOR THESE SPECIAL EVENTS =





# CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY NOVEMBER 16

FESTIVITIES BEGIN AT 6:45 P.M. IN DISCOVERY PARK

Join us as we light up one of the largest Christmas trees in Maine, covered in thousands of twinkling LED lights, with 207 TV hosts Kathleen Shannon and Rob Caldwell. We'll have festive holiday music from The Fogcutters—hear your favorite holiday tunes with a fun, big band spin. The whole L.L.Bean campus will be filled with beautiful light displays and holiday cheer!



#### - THIS WEEKEND ONLY -

# DONATE WINTER COATS FOR SENIORS

FRIDAY-SUNDAY | NOVEMBER 16-18

L.L.Bean and the Maine Triad chapters will be collecting gently used coats for Maine's older citizens with the support of Maine Association of Area Agencies on Aging (M4A). L.L.Bean will provide a matching donation of \$5 to M4A for every coat received.

Drop boxes located in Discovery Lobby, L.L.Bean Flagship Store



NOVEMBER 16-DECEMBER 31 | 5-9 P.M. (ON THE HOUR)

You haven't seen anything like it—come experience an amazing, dynamic show featuring beautiful music, a swirl of choreographed colored lights and spectacular visual effects. You'll be completely surrounded by the synchronized display. A different show will appear each hour, five times per night.



### HARVEST MARKET

SUNDAY | NOVEMBER 18 | 11 A.M.-3 P.M.

Pick up everything you need for your Thanksgiving feast from local farms, including a fresh turkey, vegetables and all the trimmings. You'll also find specialty foods and handcrafted items to help make your holiday a success.

Moose Park



### SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING ON THE WEEKENDS



# CROOKED PLAYHOUSE VILLAGE NOVEMBER 16-DECEMBER 31

Kids can experience the joy of active, imaginative play with these award-winning, wooden playhouses, designed to inspire your child's playtime with their whimsical design.

Throughout our campus of stores



### FUN HOLIDAY PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES NOVEMBER 16-DECEMBER 31

Bring your camera and preserve holiday memories with a festive photo in front of our unique backdrops. Share them on Facebook and Twitter so your friends and family can join in the fun!

Throughout our campus of stores

## HOLIDAY ORNAMENTS & CRAFT PROJECTS SATURDAYS | NOVEMBER 17-DECEMBER 22 | 2-4 P.M.

Kids can create one-of-a-kind works of art with Maine artist Julie Yeo. A new project will be featured each week. Kids' Department, Flagship Store



#### FREE OLD-FASHIONED HORSE-DRAWN WAGON RIDES WEEKENDS | NOV. 17-DEC. 23 | 1-7 P.M.

Take a break from holiday shopping and explore the village at a slower pace. A great way for you and your family to view the lights while experiencing an old-time tradition.

Main Street, in front of our Flagship Store



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# FREEPORT'S MOONLIGHT MADNESS SHOPPING CELEBRATION

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 23 | 12:01 A.M.

Stay up late for a midnight fun run down Main Street, then enjoy middle-of-the-night shopping at L.L.Bean and other retailers throughout Freeport. Visit *freeportusa.com* for more details.

Downtown Freeport

## HOLIDAY MUSIC WITH LOCAL STUDENTS FRIDAY | NOVEMBER 23 | NOON

Students from the Sounds of Silence program will perform several seasonal holiday songs in American Sign Language. The program includes students from Cumberland and North Yarmouth and is under the direction of Robin Sidders.

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# HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS SATURDAY & SUNDAY | DECEMBER 1-2

Visit the L.L.Bean Home Store for delicious food tastings, cookbook signings, special demonstrations and more. Free samples from Stonewall Kitchen on December 1 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

L.L. Bean Home Store

# "A CHRISTMAS CAROL" PRESENTED BY THE ODD COMPANY SUNDAYS | DECEMBER 2-23 | 1-3 p.m.



Enjoy a short, comedic version of this Dickens classic, filled with lively music and entertainment. Performed by some of Maine's premier physical comedy actors.

Throughout our campus of stores

## FREEPORT'S SPARKLE WEEKEND FRIDAY-SUNDAY | DECEMBER 7-9

The whole town gets into the holiday spirit! We'll kick things off with a parade down Main Street on Friday at 6 p.m. Find plenty of fun for the whole family, including a free holiday movie marathon, free Polar Express readings aboard the Amtrak Downeaster, a talking Christmas tree, hot cocoa and much more! Visit freeportusa.com for more details.

Downtown Freeport



### SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING ON THE WEEKENDS



# BEAN CANTEEN WATER BOTTLE ENGRAVING

FRIDAY-SUNDAY | NOV. 30-DEC. 23 | 10 A.M.-4 P.M.

Purchase a Bean Canteen and have it personalized for FREE while you wait.

Camping Department, L.L.Bean Flagship Store

#### **BOOK SIGNINGS**

SATURDAYS | DECEMBER 1-22 | 11 A.M.-3 P.M.

Our in-store author signings let you personalize books for great one-of-a-kind gifts. Featured categories include children's books, cookbooks and outdoor experience books.

Throughout our campus of stores



# HOLIDAY CAROLING SATURDAYS | DECEMBER 1-22 11:30 A.M.-1 P.M. & 2 -3:30 P.M.

Enjoy traditional holiday favorites performed by area choral groups.

DEC. 1 The Bowdoin College Meddiebempsters

DEC. 8 The Choral Art Society

DEC. 15 Zipline Quartet

DEC. 22 Greater Freeport
Community Chorus

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## THE WEATHER CHANNEL SATURDAY & SUNDAY | DECEMBER 15-16 | 10 A.M.-4 P.M.

Stop by and be a TV meteorologist with The Weather Channel. Report the weather in front of a real camera and receive a free copy of your weather report video.

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### MEET REAL SLED DOGS SATURDAY | DECEMBER 15 11 A.M.-2 P.M.

Meet local sled dogs from Blockhouse Pursuits Dogsled Adventures. You'll learn how the teams are assembled and how to harness the dogs. Weather and conditions permitting. Discovery Park



# NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION MONDAY | DECEMBER 31 | 10 A.M.-6 P.M.

Start the fun early with our family-friendly event, including entertainment, kids' crafts, activities and more at our Flagship Store. Then, we'll ring in the New Year just for kids with a festive "KidNight" featuring live music from Rick Charette and a wintertime fireworks display.

L.L.Bean Flagship Store

KidNight in Discovery Park

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## SOUNDS OF THE SEASON FRIDAYS | DECEMBER 7-21 | 6 -8 P.M.

Enjoy festive favorites of the season while you shop.

DEC. 7 Midcoast Symphony Strings

DEC. 14 Maine Youth Orchestra

DEC. 21 Midcoast Symphony Brass



### L.L.Bean Flagship Store



Have your packages wrapped and ready before you leave the store. Donations accepted—all proceeds support local non-profit organizations.

Discovery Lobby, L.L.Bean Flagship Store



### WINTER SNOWSHOEING & SKIING ADVENTURES

As soon as the snow falls, L.L.Bean's Outdoor Discovery Schools® expert instructors can have you snowshoeing and cross-country skiing in no time—for just \$20.

See store for details or visit llbean.com/adventure









Take a break at the Coffee by
Design coffee bar on the lower
level. Or, enjoy a delicious soup,
salad or sandwich at the 1912
Café. Both are conveniently
located inside our Flagship Store.

ALL ACTIVITIES ARE FREE UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT LLBEAN.COM/FREEPORT

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