



# Gloucester Parks, Recreation & Tourism

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## CHRISTMAS AND HOLIDAY PARADE

The Christmas and Holiday Parade Committee and Parks, Recreation and Tourism are proud to announce that Danny Joyce will serve as Grand Marshal of this year's Parade. Danny received several nominations from the community. Each year Danny invites the public to ride by his home on Crany Creek Drive to enjoy the 650,000 lights and assorted decorations that he displays. Danny Claus, as he is known to many, has as ulterior motive! He is passionate about keeping Gloucester's food pantries stocked. He asks his visitors to drop non perishable foods at his driveway. Last year he gathered nine tons. Food and supplies for Gloucester Mathews Humane Society are also gathered. Please join us at the Christmas and Holiday Parade to say Thank You to Danny Joyce for supporting our community.

## REVEAL YOUR REMBRANDT

Parks, Recreation and Tourism is offering seven classes in the Reveal Your Rembrandt series this winter. To get you started drawing, Drawing for the Truly Terrified, Basics of Pencil Drawing and Intro to Water Color Pencils classes are scheduled. The continuing specialty classes include Pencil Drawing Tow: It's In The Details, Figure Drawing in Pencil and Drawing Trees and Foliage. There is even a Polymer Clay For Kids ages 7-12. Other Reveal Your Rembrandt classes are for age 15 and older. Some class deadlines are as early as November 20, so be sure to sign up soon. For more information call 693-2355 or email [prt@gloucesterva.info](mailto:prt@gloucesterva.info).

## BEST YEARS CLUB – Bizarre Bazaar and White Christmas

Parks, Recreation and Tourism's Best Years Club has two exciting trips scheduled. The Best Years Club is an active older adult group for age 55 and older. No membership or meetings! Just sign up for the activities and GO! On Thursday, December 5 we will leave at 6:30 am for the Bizarre Bazaar in Richmond. Wear your walking shoes, this is an extremely popular event and is always crowded. Lunch, on your own, is available on site. The fee is \$25 and the deadline to register is November 22. Then on December 11 we will head to The Riverside Dinner Theater in Fredericksburg for White Christmas and a wonderful lunch at 9:30 am. Follow two WWII buddies as they form a successful night club act and hit Broadway musical. Two sisters join the group and they travel to Vermont to save the Columbia Inn. The fee for this show is \$75, lunch is included and the deadline is November 26. These popular trips fill up fast so sign up early! For more information call 693-2355, email [prt@gloucesterva.info](mailto:prt@gloucesterva.info) or visit <https://rec.gloucesterva.info> to register.

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