



2019 Ashtabula Downtown Christmas Tree Competition

The sparkles and twinkles of the Christmas trees in LCPL Kevin Cornelius Park has become the cornerstone of the ADDA's Christmas festivities. Ashtabula downtown storefronts will be adorned with tinsel and lights! We are hoping to create a very special Christmas shopping and strolling atmosphere, for all to enjoy.

We invite your business or organization to be a participant in this year's Christmas tree competition. The tree competition is a fun and festive way to create teamwork and camaraderie in your organization. We encourage creativity and innovation!

Ten trees will be donated by Manners Christmas Tree Farm. Spence Contracting has donated their resources to pick-up, deliver, and with the help of volunteers, set up the trees in the park. The City of Ashtabula will donate their services to make this entire event a huge success!

A sign will be placed in front of each tree with the name of the sponsoring organization.

Contestants may begin decorating their trees starting Sunday November 10th until 3pm Friday November 22nd.

A Christmas tree lighting ceremony will be held Friday November 22nd at 6:00 pm (Parade night). Each tree sponsor will be invited to the gazebo stage to describe the theme of their tree. Please have a team to cheer for your tree!

There will be two opportunities for your tree to win! 1. After the tree lighting ceremony, judges will select a winning tree, based on appearance, innovation and creativity. 2. A "people's choice winning tree will be selected based on public voting. A ballot box will be attached to the park gazebo for the public to place their ballots. In addition, online voting will be available. Ballots for the "People's Choice" winning tree, will be tallied on December 6th . However, the trees will remain decorated in the park until December 28th.

A list of all tree sponsors will be promoted on the ADDA website/facebook pages and listed in our special Christmas Star Beacon Article. The winning tree sponsor will receive a trophy to hold for a year.

2019 ADDA Christmas Tree Competition Application

Business Name: _____

Business Address _____

Business Phone _____

Contact Name _____

Contact Email _____

Contact Phone(s) _____

Time to let your creative juices flow! Trees will be available to decorate in the park beginning November 10th until Friday November 22 nd, 3:00pm

Please remove your tree decorations between December 28th and January 2nd . The City cannot remove/discard decorated trees.

Note: The ADDA is not responsible for materials used to decorate trees. We encourage you to periodically check your trees to make sure they still have the winning touches throughout the competition. It's also the sponsor's responsibility to make sure their tree remains upright throughout the contest.

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