# Christmas in Minder. December 16th - 17th, 2022 Rudolph's Holly Jolly Christmas presented by

#### Friday, December 16th **Tree Lighting Ceremony**

5:30pm Minden Civic Center FREE Join us as we light up the City Christmas Tree!

#### **Holiday Trail of Lights Hayride**

6-9pm Webster Parish Courthouse FREE Take a tractor-pulled hayride tour of the Historic District and enjoy Christmas Lights and caroling hosted by Webster Parish Tourism & Dorcheat Museum. Young Women's Service Club will be serving

Hot Chocolate for \$1

#### **Rehab Reindeer Run 5k**

6pm Minden Medical Center \$ Participants will run/walk through beautiful historic Minden while enjoying Christmas lights, decorations, and music.

# Saturday, December 17th **Festive Christmas Brunch**

9am-1pm Geaux Fresh \$

# **Hot Chocolate and Coffee**

10am-5pm The Broken Bean \$

#### **Reindeer Games Children's Area**

Minden

11am-4pm Downtown Minden \$20 Visit and explore activities for all ages including unlimited access to Carnival Rides, Bounce Houses, Pony Rides and more!

#### **Presents on Pearl - Vendor Market**

10am-5pm Pearl Street \$ Check off your Christmas list and shop down Pearl Street at our art and craft Vendors.

#### Photos with Santa and Mrs. Claus

11am-2pm Logan McConathy State Farm Agency FREE Stop by and give Santa your list. You may take your own photos.

# **Kids Ornament Crafting**

Noon-3pm City Art Works FREE Create your very own ornament to hang on the tree. All supplies provided by Main Street.

#### Kids Face Painting & S'mores

Noon-3pm The Courtyard FREE Minden JSL will be providing S'mores to roast over the fire for a sweet snack before the parade! Area art students will be available to paint faces.

#### **Storytime, Music and Games**

**1pm Minden Library FREE** Experience classic holiday magic by listening to the enchanting reading of *Rudolph the* Red Nosed Reindeer. The Hurley Music from Centenary College will play in between reading and interactive activity to follow.

Self-guided Book Walk will be set up along Main Street beginning at the library.

# **Photos with Rudolph and Friends**

**Downtown Minden** Meet Rudolph and friends and snap a photo before the parade begins!

# **Christmas Parade**

4pm Downtown Minden In case of rain, Parade will be held Sunday, December 18th at 4pm.

#### **Awards & Fireworks**

5:30pm Parade Awards Minden Civic Center 6pm Fireworks Show

#### **Adult Ornament Crafting**

10am-3pm Dorcheat Museum \$10 Create keepsake ornaments while watching Christmas movies and enjoying refreshments.

#### Movie in the Park

6:30pm Miller Quarter Park FREE Bring a quilt or chair and enjoy watching Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer on the big screen! Popcorn and concessions \$



Join the festivities downtown Minden! More details and sign up information can be found at www.greatermindenchamber.com/ChristmasinMinden #ChristmasinMinden