



The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual



# Christmas in the Village

Sponsored by the Jefferson Arts Committee

Historic Village of Milton & Vicinity – Jefferson Township, NJ

VENUES WITHIN "THE VILLAGE" ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>

The Jefferson Township Museum & grounds, 315 Dover-Milton Road  
Jefferson Township Fire Company No. 1 Firehouse, 162 Milton Road  
St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, 153 Milton Road  
Milton United Methodist Church, 316 Dover-Milton Road

VENUES OUTSIDE OF "THE VILLAGE" PROPER on FRIDAY, SATURDAY and/or SUNDAY ....

American Legion Post #423 grounds, 28 Legion Road – Saturday, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> and until Christmas  
Milton First Aid Squad Building, 45 Milton Road- Saturday, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> only  
Jefferson Township Gazebo, 1033 Weldon Rd (Municipal Complex) - Fri, Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> & Sun, Dec 6<sup>th</sup>  
Camp Jefferson, 81 Weldon Road, Lake Hopatcong- Saturday, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> only  
Jefferson Township Public Library, 1031 Weldon Rd, Oak Ridge – Sat, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> & Sun, Dec 6<sup>th</sup>  
Jefferson Township Senior Center, 54 Schoolhouse Road – Sat. Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> & Sun. Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> only  
Grace Evangelical Church, 5550 Berkshire Valley Road – Sunday afternoon December 6<sup>th</sup> only

## Friday thru Sunday, December 4 thru 6, 2015

Free admission to most events

Live entertainment, exciting activities, shopping, food, and refreshments!

**DRIVE SLOWLY – PEDESTRIANS ALONG THE ROADS  
WALK CAREFULLY – VEHICLES ON THE ROADS!**

**FREE PARKING WITHIN THE VILLAGE:** at St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church (153 Milton Road), Milton United Methodist Church (316 Dover-Milton Rd), Jefferson Township Fire Company No. 1 (162 Milton Rd)

**FREE PARKING IN THE AREA OF THE VILLAGE:** The Milton First Aid Squad Building (45 Milton Rd), American Legion Post #423 (28 Legion Rd),

THE MILTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - HOME OF THE NEW HOPE FOOD PANTRY SERVING THE NEEDY IN THE COMMUNITY - WILL BE ACCEPTING NON-PERISHABLE FOOD DONATIONS - PLEASE PLACE ITEMS IN THE RECEPTACLE OUTSIDE THE SIDE ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH OR BRING INSIDE THE CHURCH BUILDING.

50/50 tickets will be sold at the Jefferson Arts Committee's Information Table at Fire Co. No. 1  
Drawing at 4 pm in the firehouse. Winner need not be present.



Schedules on [www.jeffersonarts.org](http://www.jeffersonarts.org) and -- Jefferson Arts Committee, Jefferson Township Historical Society, Jefferson Township Community Band, Jefferson Township Community Chorus, Jefferson Community Players  
e-mail [artscommittee@jeffersonarts.org](mailto:artscommittee@jeffersonarts.org), Visit [www.jeffersontownship.net](http://www.jeffersontownship.net) (Recreation/Special Events)



## ~Schedule of Events~



### Time & Venue

### Activity

#### **Friday, Dec. 4**

#### **7 pm**

**Jefferson Twp Gazebo:**

*Christmas Tree Lighting by Mayor Russ Felter's 2015 Citizens of the Year: Kathy Damerel & James Perrier; Jefferson Twp. Council President Richard Yocum reads "The Night Before Christmas"; Santa arrives with Rudolph; live entertainment by Jefferson Twsp Middle School Chorus - Director Danielle Schrek; Holiday Sing-a-long; DJ Matt Scognamiglio; refreshments follow*

**Milton United Methodist:**

#### **6 - 7 pm**

*Jefferson Arts Comm. Gingerbread House Contest entries accepted for judging*

#### **Saturday, Dec. 5**

#### **7 am - 11 am**

**Milton First Aid Squad:**

*Hearty Breakfast featuring pancakes and more—Pay at door (open seating); Refer to "Food & Refreshments section"; Children's Shopping Boutique; accepting donations for The New Hope Food Pantry (monetary and non-perishable food)*

#### **9 am - 3 pm**

**Camp Jefferson:**

*Fireside visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus in the Community Lodge; Holiday music; Gifts from Santa; Kids' coloring activities; Letters to Santa; Candy canes; Model train display in the train cabin; Scholastic Book Fair in the Recreation Hall; Wings of Magic's "The Once Upon a Time" Puppet Theater show (Santa and Mrs. Claus out for lunch 12:30 -1 pm)*

#### **10 am**

**Milton United Methodist:**

*Milton United Methodist Church's Hand Bell Choir performs  
New Hope Thrift Shop opens (no merchandise donations accepted today)*

#### **10 am - 4 pm**

**Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:**

*Village Marketplace featuring 18 home business vendors and crafters; 50/50 raffle sales site; live entertainment*

**Jefferson Twp Museum:**

*"Our Ancestors' Christmas Traditions" theme decorated Museum; Costumed Docent-led tours by Jefferson Township Historical Society & Museum Garden Club members, Mrs. Claus on site with photo ops on the Museum's Vintage Sleigh, Joshua Velez on keyboard by the pot belly stove*

**Milton United Methodist:**

*Jefferson Arts Committee's Gingerbread House Contest -- entries displayed and winners announced*

**St. Gabriel's Episcopal:**

*White Rock Elementary School Chorus-Director Jan Courtney*

#### **10:30 am**

**Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:**

*Community Carol Sing with the Jefferson Girl Scouts*

#### **11am**

**Jeff Twp Public Library:**

*Showing of the winter adventure tale "Eight Below" about Antarctic explorers and their sled dogs*

**St. Gabriel's Episcopal:**

*Jefferson Township High School Madrigal Singers and Select Choir – Director James Wynne*

**Milton United Methodist:**

*White Rock Elementary School Band – Director Emily James*

**Jefferson Twp Museum:**

*Joshua Velez will play keyboard by the pot belly stove (weather permitting)*

**Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:**

*A holiday character from Fairy Tale Forest will welcome you to the Village Marketplace*



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- Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:** **11:45 am** *Demonstrations by Oak Ridge Martial Arts Academy*
- Milton United Methodist:** **12 noon** *Jefferson Township Community Band Christmas Concert "25 Years of Music" – Director Pete Tummillo (free will donation at the door would be appreciated)*
- St. Gabriel's Episcopal:** *No Strings Acappella Group performs, Director Pat Autillo.*
- Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:** **12:30 pm** *Demonstrations by Jefferson Fire Official Vinnie Corsaro & Sparky the Fire Dog*
- St. Gabriel's Episcopal:** **1:00 pm** *The Berkshire Valley Presbyterian Church Choir – Director Roz Lynch*
- Milton United Methodist:** *Jefferson Township High School Band – Director Richard Barrieres*
- Jefferson Twp Museum:** *Joshua Velez will play keyboard in the New Hope Thrift Store (corner of Milton and Dover Milton Roads (formerly the Milton United Methodist Church)*
- Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:** **1:30 pm** *Performance by students of Diane's Dance Academy 23*
- Milton United Methodist:** **2:00 pm** *Arthur Stanlick Elementary School Band – Director Emily Jones*
- St. Gabriel's Episcopal:** *Jazz Pianist Henry "Hank" Shapiro performs*
- Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:** **2:30 pm** *Anytime Fitness' Zumba demonstration by Cheryl Lewis and friends*
- St. Gabriel's Episcopal:** *Here we Come A 'Caroling – all ages and abilities welcome to join in!*
- Milton United Methodist:** **3 pm** *Jefferson Township Middle School Band – Director Lauren Kulick*
- Jeff Twp Fire Co. No. 1:** **4 pm** *50/50 raffle drawing*
- Jefferson Senior Center:** **7 pm** *Jefferson Community Players perform the Christmas-themed radio plays "Costello's Christmas Party" (Abbott & Costello) and "Our Miss Brooks' Christmas Gift Mix-Up". Director Jean Simonsen - 201-602-2391, [www.jeffersonarts.org](http://www.jeffersonarts.org) Free admission - Refreshments available for a nominal cost*
- SUNDAY, DEC. 6** **12 noon - 4 pm** *"Our Ancestors' Christmas Traditions" theme decorated Museum; Costumed Docent-led tours by Jefferson Township Historical Society & Museum Garden Club members, Mrs. Claus on site with photo ops on the Museum's Vintage Sleigh.*
- Jefferson Twp Library:** **1 - 5 pm** *Children's Holiday Craft Session (1-2:30pm); "Just 4 U: A Holiday Grab Bag" (1-5pm) offering new & gently used books, DVDs, small gifts (while supplies last)*

### 2:00 pm

**Jefferson Senior Center:** *Jefferson Community Players perform the Christmas-themed radio plays "Costello's Christmas Party" (Abbott & Costello) and "Our Miss Brooks' Christmas Gift Mix-Up". Director Jean Simonsen - 201-602-2391, [www.jeffersonarts.org](http://www.jeffersonarts.org) Free admission - Refreshments available for a nominal cost*

### 3:30 pm

**Grace Evangelical:** *Jefferson Twp Community Chorus performs "Christmas in the Village" with Director Mike Yannuzzi and Accompanist Janet Breckenridge. Tickets available at the door or in advance by calling 973-697-8124, [www.jeffersonarts.org](http://www.jeffersonarts.org) Refreshments to follow*

### 4:30 pm

**Jefferson Twp Gazebo:** *Jefferson Township CONNECT's "Light a Luminary" for those affected by suicide and loved ones lost. Find on Facebook or [jeffersontownshipconnect@gmail.com](mailto:jeffersontownshipconnect@gmail.com)*



## ~~Shopping Opportunities~~



Venues open from 10 AM – 4 PM on Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup> except where noted

**Jefferson Twp Fire Co. No. 1** – Vendors include Baby Cakes, Carol's Rocks, Comfort & Joy, Custom Woodwork, Crafts by Kim, Glass Crafts, Hobby & Home Handbags & Soaps, J&C Scarfs Galore & More, "K" Cup Angels, Mary Kay, Mrs. P and CC, Pat's Fabric Creations, Premier Designs Jewelry, The Pepper Project, Thirty-One Gifts, Tupperware, Twisted Iron Worxs, WP Stuff, and the Jefferson Arts Committee.

**St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church** -- Arts, crafts, and merchandise vendors including the Jefferson Township High School Band Parents Association selling live holiday wreaths.

**Jefferson Twp Museum** -- Miss Elizabeth's Shoppe in the original kitchen of the Jefferson Museum will be stocked full of unique Christmas items, baked goods, and vintage items on Saturday from 10am-4 pm and Sunday from 12 noon - 4pm.

**Milton United Methodist Church** – The New Hope Thrift Shop will be open for business!

**American Legion Post 423 (28 Legion Road)** – Live Christmas Trees (& weekends until Christmas)



## ~~Food & Refreshments~~



Except where noted in this program or at the venue, all items are for sale.

**Milton First Aid Squad** – Pancake and more breakfast No reservation required. 16+ & Adults \$8; Seniors 62+ \$6, Children 10 and under \$5; Children's Shopping Boutique

**St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church** – selling soup and sandwiches, coffee, tea, soda, water, hot chocolate, baked goods

**Jefferson Township Museum** – complimentary hot-mulled cider at the pot-belly stove

**Jefferson Township Fire Company No. 1 Ladies Auxiliary** -- selling chili, hot dogs, donuts, chips, coffee, tea, hot chocolate, water and soda

**Milton United Methodist Church** – selling hot cocoa and desserts in Headley Hall

**Camp Jefferson** – Jefferson Twp Recreation Dept's Visit with Santa -- selling hot dogs, snacks, hot chocolate, hot apple cider, soda

**Grace Evangelical Church** -- (Sunday only) complimentary refreshments following the Concert

**Jefferson Senior Center** – selling refreshments after each performance for a nominal fee

More Information available at: [www.jeffersonarts.org](http://www.jeffersonarts.org) and [www.jeffersontownship.net](http://www.jeffersontownship.net)

973-697-3828, 973-697-8124, 973-697-8475, or 973-663-8404



NOTE: Program information as of November 27, 2015 and subject to change