



THE ANCHOR

DEC. 8, 2023

Prelude take two!

Friday, Dec. 8

Prelude Family Street Festival 4-6:30 p.m.

Strolling carolers, sub-zero ice carving, food vendors, live music, entertainers, and more will be featured at this family-friendly festival. Take a selfie in a life-size snow globe! Appearances by Santa and the lobster elves. Streets will be closed to traffic from Dock Square, Kennebunkport through Lower Village, Kennebunk. Sponsored by KBA member Kennebunk Savings.

Tree Lighting Ceremony in Dock Square 5:30 p.m.

Caroling 5:30-6pm, Tree Lighting at 6pm. Join in Christmas caroling with the Kennebunk High School Chamber Choir to begin the finale weekend of festivities as our Christmas Prelude continues. After the tree lighting, gather in the municipal parking lot behind Alisson's Restaurant, huddle on the causeway, or the surrounding area to view the annual Prelude fireworks display. Dock Square, Kennebunkport. *Sponsored by KBA member Alisson's Restaurant.*



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12th annual Christmas Fireworks Display

6:15 p.m.

Enjoy our Prelude extravaganza that will take place in the cove and can be viewed from the Mathew Lanigan Bridge and surrounding areas. Dock Square, Kennebunkport. Sponsored by KBA members **Kennebunkport Resort Collection, H.B. Provisions, Portside Real Estate Group, Alisson's Restaurant and The Breakwater Inn.**

Saturday, Dec. 9

Reindeer & Mrs. Claus at Kennebunk Outfitters 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Swing by to say hello to Mrs. Claus and Santa's reindeer all the way from the North Pole! Cozy up for some fireside hot cocoa and live music. Kennebunk Outfitters, 51 Western Ave, Kennebunk. *Sponsored by KBA member Kennebunk Outfitters.*

Sunday, Dec. 10

13th annual Pooch Parade 11 a.m.

Bring your pooch wearing their favorite holiday attire! The parade starts at Consolidated School (School Street, Kennebunkport), down Maine Street, through Dock Square, and onto Ocean Avenue. **All decorated dogs and their humans are welcome to join in - meet at Consolidated School by 10:45 a.m., 25 School Street, Kennebunkport.** *Sponsored by KBA member The Black Dog.*

For the full schedule please see ChristmasPrelude.com

Christmas Prelude

Shuttles

Sea Road School, 29 Sea Road, Kennebunk FREE
Free parking and shuttle service by Custom Coach
3:30 - 10 p.m. Fridays, Dec. 1, 8
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. Saturdays, Dec. 2, 9
The 48-passenger bus will bring you to Village Marketplace, where you can catch a ride or walk to nearby festivities.

RideMaine Prelude Shuttle \$5/PERSON/DAY
Hop-on and off service via golf cart and cars
11 a.m. - 5 p.m. daily
Picks up from:
• Municipal Lot the Kennebunkport Fire Station (30 North St., Kennebunkport) FREE
• Chicks Marina (75 Ocean Ave., Kennebunkport) FREE
• Various stops along Ocean Avenue through Dock Square and Lower Village, Kennebunk
Rides will be provided in golf carts with enclosures (weather permitting) and other vehicles of the RideMaine fleet. Rides can be requested by visiting www.ridemekpt.com to download the TaxiCallee For Passengers app.

InTown Trolley FREE
Operating free trolley service around town
9:30 a.m. - 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 2
9:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 3
9:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 9

Parking

Colony Hotel
140 Ocean Ave., Kennebunkport \$25 for all-day parking
All proceeds going to Community Harvest to help those who are food insecure. An Intown Trolley will pick up and return here
9:30 a.m. - 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 2
9:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 3
9:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 9

Municipal Parking Lot behind Alisson's restaurant FREE
11 Dock Square, Kennebunkport. FREE
This is the epicenter of all things Prelude; parking here is limited and fills up early.

On-Street parking FREE
There is limited parking in both Kennebunk and Kennebunkport during Prelude. Please obey posted No Parking signs.

Municipal Parking Lot FREE
beside the Fire Station FREE
30 North St., Kennebunkport
5 minute walk to Dock Square area, plus pickup by RideMaine

Shipyard Shops, 8 Western Ave., Lower Village Kennebunk Private paid parking

Village Marketplace 169 Port Road, Lower Village Kennebunk Private paid parking

Shuttles & Parking info

Please take notice: To help our local emergency responders, please obey all traffic and "do not park" signs

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FREE SHUTTLE & PARKING

From Sea Road School,
29 Sea Road,
Kennebunk

3:30-10 p.m. Dec. 1 & 8
10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Dec. 2 & 9

Christmas Prelude

November 30 - December 10

Access the full schedule,
parking and other
important information!

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TICKET INFORMATION

205 MAIN STREET BIDDEFORD WWW.CITYTHEATER.ORG (207) 232-0849

Gingerbread House Making Event

South Church Community House, 8 Temple St, KPT
Saturday, December 9th
10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO THE 3 TOWNS, 1 COMMUNITY FUND

A Prelude Favorite!
Make your very own gingerbread house and have a jolly good time. All materials are provided.
Enjoy this creative activity with a heaping dose of sugary goodness, and let us take care of the mess!

\$10 per person

Reservations



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA & MRS. CLAUS

December 17th
8AM-12PM

*Reservations required, find on Open Table



MERRY TUBA CHRISTMAS

December 10th
3:30PM-4:30PM

Free and Open to the Public!

Talula's Prelude Soup Shack

2-7 p.m. Fridays Dec. 1 and 8
10 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturdays Dec. 2 and 9

- Soups and chowders in bread bowls
- Holiday cookies & whoopie pies
- Maine roasted coffee
- 10% of all proceeds will go to The Little Pantry



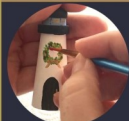
1 Chase Hill Road, in front of The Grand Hotel

THE CREATIVE SOUL DECEMBER



Ceramic Lighted Tree
Painting Workshop
7-9pm
\$55

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Prelude Ornament
Painting Workshop at
Alisson's
6-8pm
\$35

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Dot Painting Ornament
Workshop
6-8pm
\$30

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Ornament Painting
Workshop at For
the Love of Food &
Drink/Wells
6-8pm
\$35

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Celebrate!

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13TH
5 P.M. - 7 P.M.

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Tickets Must be Purchased in Advance at - sandyhillmaine.com



Maine Day Ventures CELEBRATING 11 YEARS IN KENNEBUNKPORT

DECEMBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

PRELUDE SPECIAL:
An historic walk with hot
ciders & snacks:
December 4th, 5th, & 6th at
12:30pm

A WALK THROUGH TIME:
December 11th, 12th, &
13th at 12:30pm

SATURDAYS:
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Tour
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Music by
Matthew Sklar

Lyrics by
Chad Beguelin

Based upon the New
Line Cinema film written
by David Berenbaum

December 1st - 17th

Fridays & Saturdays at 7:30pm

Sundays at 2pm

No performance on December 3rd

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