

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4

5:00 Jingle Bell Rockout Concert

Presented by: Ariat
Location: Christmas in Ida Outdoor Heated Theater Center
Featuring: Blockhouse Valley, Blair Tuller, Wipeout, Dads on Couches, Boy Aquarium

5:00 Ida Christmas Mall Craft & Vendors

Presented by: Garst LP Gas

5:00 Downtown Streetside Vendor Show

Presented by: Mountain Goat Offroad

5:00 Chicken Bowling

Location: Ida Christmas Mall
Presented by: Cuccia Insurance & Innovative Construction and Custom Homes
Hosted By: Teen Ambassadors Monroe Co 4-H

5:45 Community Christmas Tree Lighting

Location: Ida Township Parking Lot

6:20 Dance Performance

Featuring: Anita's Dance Center of Wisconsin
Location: Downtown - Lewis Avenue

6:30 Holiday Art on the Avenue

Location: Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
Presented by: Family Medical Center of Michigan

6:30 Christmas Cinema Under the Stars Heated Outdoor Movie: Polar Express

Location: Lewis Avenue Outdoor Heated Event
Presented by: Monroe Dodge Chrysler Jeep Ram Superstore

7:00 Commemorative Concert

Featuring: Chelsea Theater Guild
Location: Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
Presented by: Senator Joe Bellino, Representatives William Bruck, Jamie Thompson & Jim DeSana, County Commissioner Dale Biniecki, Michigan House Candidate Laura Perry & Dale W. Zorn Senator Emeritus

7:00 Professional Power Weightlifting & World Championship Attempt

Location: Downtown-Lewis Avenue

7:10 2nd Annual Country Cornhole Tournament

Location: Downtown-Lewis Avenue
Presented by: MacAllister CAT Rentals

7:30 Benefit Auction

Hosted by: Terra Quest Monroe County 4-H
Location: The Partner Tent

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5

8:30 - 2:30 Craft Show

Location: Ida High School & Prince of Peace Lutheran Church - \$2 Entry Fee
Presented by: Mall of Monroe & Knabusch Insurance Services
Explore fine arts and crafts from more than 160 vendors.

9:00 Santa Comes to Town

Presented by: Iceberg Heating and Cooling
Escorted by: Ida Volunteer Fire Department

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5 - Cont.

10:00 Downtown Streetside Vendors

Location: Downtown-Lewis Avenue
Presented by: Mountain Goat Offroad

10:00 Christmas Stories with Mrs. Claus

Location: Ida Township Library
Presented by: Ida Branch Library

10:00 Ice Sculpting

Presented by: Allen Chevrolet Cadillac

10:00 - 2:00 Coat Collection

Location: Ida High School
Hosted by: Teen Ambassadors 4-H

10:00 - 5:00 Carriage Rides

Location: Luckey Farmers
Presented by: Carroll Ochs Jewelers

10:00 Holiday Arts on the Avenue

Presented by: Family Medical Center of Michigan
Children Make & Take Christmas Ornament Free
Sponsored by: Pressed Rose
Location: Partner Tent

10:00 Santa's Zoo

Location: Luckey Farmers
Presented by: Pinnacle Eye Group & Great Lakes Vision Care
Hosted by: Dukes Farm

10:00 Partner Tent

Hosted by: Monroe County Community College

10:00 Ida Christmas Mall Craft & Vendors

Presented by: Garst LP Gas

10:00 Family Video Arcade

Presented by: Groulx GMC
An exciting party experience for kids and adults.

11:00 - 1:00 Children's Lunch with Santa

Serving between 11:00 & 1:00
Location: St. Joseph Catholic Church Hall
Hosted by: American Legion Post 514, Auxiliary, Sons of American Legion & Riders

12:00 The Y on the Fly

Location: Ida Christmas Mall
Presented by: ProMedica Monroe Regional Hospital & Meijer
Hosted by: YMCA of Monroe

1:30 & 3:00 Holiday Photos with your Canine Friend

Location: Ida United Methodist Church
Presented by: Therapy Dogs Of Southeast Michigan

2:15 Holiday Hounds on Parade

Location: Traveling South on Lewis Avenue
Presented By: Amrize

Watch the Parade from Home

Live at [Youtube.com/MPACTStudio](https://www.youtube.com/MPACTStudio)
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L A Z B O Y

Family Holiday Concert Series

Christmas in Ida Outdoor Heated Theater Center
Presented by: Directions Credit Union

12:30 Peg Harris Dance Studio

1:10 To Be Announced

2:30 Miss Monroe County

Josephine Nicols

3:05 Prince & Princess Crowning

3:20 Partner Introductions/Holiday

Art on the Avenue - Winner

Presented by: Family Medical Center of Michigan

3:30 Anita's Dance Company of Wisconsin

4:25 Young Country Music Concert

Starring KC Bruner

Presented by: STAR Towing, Duffy Towing,
Zorn Towing, & Roberts Spill Response Restoration

5:25 Country Music Concert

Starring Walker Montgomery

Presented by: Ryan's Roofing and Repair

5:30 Stars of the Young Country Concert Public Meet and Greet

Location: Stage

Presented by: Jacob's Supply

6:00 Light Up the Night Benefit Run

Location: Parade Route

Hosted by: Ida Links

6:30 Pre-Parade Show

Presented by: TLC Community Credit Union

Anita's Dance Center of Wisconsin

River Raisin Chorus

Location: TV Stage-Lewis Avenue

6:40 Fireworks

Presented by: Consumers Energy

7:00 Parade of Lights

Presented by: DTE Foundation

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6

2:00 Ida Schools Christmas Collage Concert

Location: Ida High School
5-12 Grade Band Performance

44th Annual

Christmas in Ida

FESTIVAL AND PARADE OF LIGHTS



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&
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A Special Thank You To:

Garst LP Gas, the sole provider of propane for the Christmas in Ida Festival
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Friday, DECEMBER 4

Christmas Cinema Under the Stars

Featured Movie: Polar Express

Presented by: Monroe Dodge Chrysler Jeep Ram Superstore

Settle in for an unforgettable outdoor movie experience with a 32-foot movie screen and surround cinema sound in a comfortable, heated outdoor setting. Chairs will be provided or bring your own favorite chair and a cozy blanket. Popcorn and refreshments will be available, so grab a snack, get comfortable, and enjoy the show!

Commemorative Concert

Featuring: Chelsea Theatre Guild

Presented by: Senator Joe Bellino, Representatives William Bruck & Jim DeSana, Jamie Thompsonson County Commissioner Dale Biniecki, House Candidate Laura Perry & Dale W. Zorn Senator Emeritus

Come experience the heartwarming magic of The Chelsea Guild, a high-energy performance ensemble as they take the stage for a spectacular holiday showcase! The Chelsea Guild is dedicated to education, excellence, and career preparedness, inspiring young performers to discover their talents and shine on stage. This festive showcase celebrates the singing, dancing, and instrumental talents of Michigan's rising stars. The Guild promises an unforgettable celebration filled with holiday spirit, energy, and heart.

Jingle Bell Rockout Concert

Presented by: Ariat

Featuring: Blockhouse Valley, Blair Tuller, Wipeout, Dads on Couches, Boy Aquarium
 It's a Holiday rocking good time with five regional bands performing rock and country music.

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Holiday Hounds on Parade

Presented by: Amrize

The cutest parade this Christmas. Canines dressed in their Holiday finest taking a stroll down Lewis Avenue.

6th Annual Holiday Art on the Avenue

Presented by: Family Medical Center of Michigan

Artists create canvas paintings that magically come to life.
 ** Children Crafting - Make your own Christmas ornament **

Y on the Fly

Presented by: ProMedica Regional Hospital & Meijer

Hosted by: YMCA - Monroe

A variety of interactive games and sports designed to energize and inspire kids of all ages, encouraging active play, teamwork, and fun for the whole family.

Carriage Rides

Presented by: Carroll Ochs Jewelers

Enjoy the sights and sounds of Christmas in Ida by taking a lovely horse-drawn carriage ride through the village of Ida.

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Country Music Concert Starring Walker Montgomery

Presented by: Ryan's Roofing and Repairs

Walker Montgomery will bring his distinctive country sound performing fan favorites Simple Town, She Don't Know, Out of Nowhere, Never Again One More Time, Bad Day to Be a Beer, and I Love the Way You Love Me. His latest release, Watching Storms Roll In, is quickly gaining momentum on the country charts. Known for his classically inspired, honey-bourbon vocals, Montgomery has been selected as an Artist to Watch by Country Now, Music Mayhem Magazine, Sounds Like Nashville, and The Boot. His songwriting and authentic delivery have earned him recognition throughout the country music industry.

Young Country Music Concert Featuring KC Bruner

Presented by: STAR Towing, Duffy Towing, Zorn Towing, & Roberts Spill Response & Restoration
 The Young Country Music Concert will kick off its afternoon country concert series with rising country star KC Bruner who will perform a selection of her popular songs, including Bringing Home a Cowboy, Old Fashioned, Country Magic Spell, Wanna Be Perfect Man, Bible and the Bottle along with her newest release Definitely Maybe. KC Bruner blends classic country storytelling with modern production. With an emphasis on emotional authenticity, The singer-songwriter is originally from the small town of Swisher, Iowa and currently living in Nashville, Tennessee where she is continuing to develop her music and performance skills.

Parade of Lights

Presented by: DTE Energy Foundation

Known as the Granddaddy of Light Parades, the Christmas in Ida Parade of Lights is a Midwest holiday tradition like no other. Celebrated for its dazzling display, this renowned parade features nearly 150 illuminated and animated units delivering nearly two hours of holiday magic.

FOOD AT THE FESTIVAL

Food Service by Community Organizations

8:30 AM - 2:30 PM Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
 11:00 AM Ida United Methodist Church

Food Trucks throughout the Village

Community Food Pantry

Organized by:
 West Ida Immanuel
 Lutheran Church Canned goods accepted at Ida High School during craft show hours.

