

2018 Small Christmas Parade & After Party Celebration

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This year's theme is Classic Christmas Movies! Join the elves in their annual celebration of A Small Town Christmas in Dunnellon! That's right, take a night off, and bring the family for a great night filled with all of the magic and fun we call Christmas in Florida! The Small Town Christmas Parade and After Party Celebration is filled with Christmas Carols, decked out parade floats, marching bands, live music, games, bounce houses, snow, RStyle Band and let's not forget photos with Mr. & Mrs. Claus! Each year we love to see faces light up and our friends, family, and neighbors come together for a fun night of memories and festivities. The 2018 Small Town Christmas Parade & After Party Celebration is Saturday, December 1, 2018 and don't forget, this is a great event for your out-of-town guests to attend too!

Start Saturday, December 1, 2018 with the Ugly Sweater 5K at Withlacoochee Trail. Then head on over to Just a Cupcake Café & Bakery for Brunch with Santa and don't forget to make reservations. The 2018 Small Town Christmas Parade will start in the Historic Village near Dunnellon Middle School, travel down Pennsylvania Avenue to the Dunnellon Little League Complex where the Small Town Christmas After Party Celebration will begin. This year's After Party Celebration site will host two snow slides, bounce houses, games, music and more. RStyle band will take the stage from 7:30pm to 9:30pm. The Lighting of the Tree will be at 8:30pm with the sounds of the Dunnellon High School Band filling the air with our most treasured Christmas Carols. Float Awards will begin shortly after for the best decorated floats.

The Elves are recruiting! So if you would like to join them by volunteering to help in any capacity there are many fun ways to get involved, make new friends and give back to the community. Be sure you like our Facebook page and bookmark our website so you can get the latest news about the 2018 Small Town Christmas Parade & After Party Celebration. Our website is www.dunnellonchristmasparade.com or you can always call 352.445-5931.

Don't forget it will snow in Dunnellon on December 1, 2018!