





# Stowmarket Christmas Tree Festival 2018

**BE AMAZED!**

**Over 450 Christmas trees in Stowmarket town centre for you to enjoy**

## **NOVEMBER PROGRAMME**

	<p><b>St Peter and St Mary's Parish Church</b></p>  <p><small>St Peter &amp; St Mary Stowmarket</small></p>	<p><b>Abbot's Hall</b></p> 	<p><b>Stowmarket Library</b></p> 
<p><b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November</b></p>	<p><b>5.45pm</b> Doors Open for Opening Ceremony at <b>6pm</b>. Christmas Tree lights switched on by a very special guest. Drinks and mince pies served. [Town lights switched on in the Market Place at 7.15pm]</p>	<p><b>5pm-7.30pm</b> Drop in and meet Santa in Abbot's Hall, say hello to his reindeer and send a letter to the North Pole. See <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a> for details.</p>	<p><b>8.30am – 6.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees and use the library and <b>4pm – 6pm</b> with Christmas Crafts organised by The Friends of the Library.</p>
<p><b>Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November</b></p>	<p><b>9am – 12noon</b> Indoor Boot Sale in St Peter's Hall. Bacon butties, cake and refreshments available. To book a table [£5] phone 01449 678623 <b>10am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees. Refreshments served. <b>12noon – 2pm</b> A variety of music to be played. <b>2pm - 3pm</b> Bells in the tower to be rung. <b>7.30pm</b>- Festival Concert with Mid Suffolk Brass and Stowmarket Combined Churches Choir. Interval with wine and mince pies. Tickets £7.50 adults &amp; £2 for school age children.</p>	<p><b>10am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, Santa at Home, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home see <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a></p>	<p><b>8.30am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees and use the library.</p>
<p><b>Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November</b></p>	<p><b>10am</b> Festival Communion Service. <b>10am – 12noon</b> Messy Church with games, cooking, crafts, stories and singing for 3-10 year olds and their families. <b>12noon</b> Open to see the Christmas trees. Christmas cake and mince pies served. <b>1pm – 4.30pm</b> Live Christmas songs and music to join in with.</p>	<p><b>11am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, Santa at Home, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home see <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a></p>	<p><b>10am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas Trees and use the library.</p>

<b>Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>10am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees. Refreshments served.		
<b>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>10am – 4pm</b> Open see the Christmas trees. Refreshments served.	<b>10am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home: <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a>	<b>8.30am – 6.45pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees and use the library.
<b>Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>10am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees. Refreshments served.	<b>10am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home: <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a>	<b>8.30am – 5.45pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees and use the library.
<b>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>10am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees. Refreshments served.	<b>10am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home: <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a>	<b>8.30am – 5.45pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees and use the library.
<b>Friday 30<sup>th</sup>November</b>	<b>10am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees. Refreshments served.	<b>10am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home: <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a>	<b>8.30am – 6.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees and use the library. Coffee available.
<b>Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December</b>	<b>10am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees. Refreshments available.	<b>10am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, Santa at Home, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home: <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a>	<b>8.30am – 4pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees and use the library. Coffee available.
<b>Throughout December</b>	<b>10am – 4pm</b> each day open to see the Christmas trees. See next months In Touch for the December programme.	<b>Tuesday - Saturday 10am – 4pm, Sunday 11am- 4.30pm</b> <b>10am – 4.30pm</b> Open to see the Christmas trees, museum exhibitions, Santa at Home on the weekends, family trails and activities. For more information or to book Santa at Home: <a href="http://www.eastanglianlife.org.uk">www.eastanglianlife.org.uk</a>	<b>Tuesday – Sunday</b> Open each day to see the Christmas trees and use the library.

For more information visit [stowmarketparishchurch.co.uk](http://stowmarketparishchurch.co.uk) or phone 01449 774652/678623