

CITY OF BELLEAIR BLUFFS

ANNUAL TREE LIGHTING HOLIDAY EVENT

COVID-19 Safety Measures

We have taken enhanced health and safety measures for all our attendees and staff. You must follow all social distancing guidelines. An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and Guests with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. By visiting this event you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19. Let's help keep each other healthy this holiday season.

City staff and Commission members will continue to monitor COVID-19 and recommended CDC guidelines to adjust procedures accordingly. The event has established rules that encourage social distancing, handwashing and other protective measures based on the CDC guidelines. In keeping with those guidelines, the City has modified the 2020 Annual Holiday Tree Lighting event.

- Social distancing signs will be placed throughout the event.
- Social distancing guidelines and protocols will be advertised on event website.
- Face coverings – the event will adhere to Pinellas County Ordinance 20-14 on face coverings if in effect during the event. Staff and volunteers will be encouraged to wear masks.
- Hand sanitizing stations will be placed throughout the event area especially at the main entrances/exits
- There will be 2 public restrooms available during the event located adjacent to the playground. These restrooms are cleaned and sanitized regularly by staff.
- Santa will be seated on the event stage at an acceptable distance. Children may approach the front of the stage to speak with Santa
- If you choose to ride the hayride, you must wear a mask when riding with attendees not in your party.
- In lieu of refreshments, holiday cookies will be individually wrapped and served with bottled water.