



19th Annual Night of Lights

Featuring a Traditional Tree Lighting, Santa Claus, and More!

Half Moon Bay, CA – November 15, 2018 – Night of Lights is an annual old-fashioned holiday event hosted in downtown Half Moon Bay on December 7 from 6-9 p.m. Visitors will enjoy trees decorated in dazzling lights while doing some holiday shopping in locally owned stores. The event features a tree lighting ceremony followed by Santa taking children's requests in Mac Dutra Park, the Parade of Lights down Main Street, carolers and musical entertainment, roasted chestnuts, and activities for the kids.

Night of Lights will begin with the lighting ceremony of the Tom & Pete's Produce trees at Mac Dutra Plaza (Kelly and Main Streets) at 6pm.

After the tree lighting, the Prince and Princess of the parade will be crowned. The royal children are nominated by teachers of local schools and chosen by a committee based on their acts of kindness throughout the year.

Children twinkling in lights and fun floats led by the Half Moon Bay High School Marching Band will march down Main Street in the Parade of Lights, sponsored by our Gold Parade sponsor the Half Moon Bay Review at 7pm. A vintage fire truck will cap off the parade and bring Santa to his special seat at Mac Dutra Plaza for photos.

A Children's Area, sponsored by Wilkinson School will be turned into a Winter Wonderland with snow, food, games, and activities!

Nights of Light is proudly presented by Hassett ACE Hardware, the Half Moon Bay Coastsideside Chamber of Commerce & Visitors' Bureau and the City of Half Moon Bay.

Without the support of our numerous sponsors, Night of Lights wouldn't be possible. Thank you to the Half Moon Bay Review, Goldworks, Wilkinson School, Republic Services, Half Moon Bay Hotel Business Improvement District (BID), Rocket Farms, Miller Dutra Coastsideside Chapel, The GraphicWorks, Sam's Chowder House, Coldwell Banker, State Farm – Heidi Kulper, New Leaf Community Markets, The Kulda Group, Pasta Moon, Blue Sky Design, La Petite Baleen, Moonside Bakery & Café, San Mateo Credit Union, and Sheppard Family Dentistry.

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About the Half Moon Bay Coastsides

The Half Moon Bay Coastsides is a charming seaside respite located 45 minutes south of San Francisco. Nestled between the Santa Cruz Mountains and the Pacific Ocean, this breathtaking region consists of four distinct areas - the North Coast, Half Moon Bay, the South Coast and the Redwood Region. Featuring the best of Northern California all in one place, visitors will enjoy miles of white sandy beaches, redwood forests, a historic downtown filled with local artisan shops, beautiful state parks, fields of wild flowers, and trails along ocean bluffs and mountain ridges as far as the eye can see. A sampling of activities includes horseback riding on the beach, farm fresh dining, shopping, biking, hiking and world-class golfing and surfing.

For more information on visiting Half Moon Bay, visit www.visithalfmoonbay.org or call (650) 726-8380. Like our [Facebook](#) page and follow us on [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

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