

# Holiday Party & Tree Lighting At the Strand

Saturday, Nov 26, 2011 4pm – 5:30pm

**A festive, family celebration  
Caroling, dancing, stories, refreshments & more**



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- ❖ 9am – Small Business Saturday
  - ❖ 4pm – Holiday Party
  - ❖ 5pm – Tree Lighting Ceremony

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## How Can I Help?

The Upham's Corner Holiday Party is a community party.

- ❖ I can donate my (no longer needed) books and games as gifts for children and youth attending
- ❖ I can bring a little bit of food or drink to share
- ❖ I can volunteer my talents and my love for Upham's Corner
- ❖ **I WILL ATTEND!!**

More Information? Contact Nancy: 617-436-8559

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Upham's Corner Main Street  
The Upham's Corner Improvement Association

Thanks to the Mayor's Office of Arts, Tourism & Special Events

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## Santa's Trolley and Tree Lighting

The Dorchester Holiday Celebrations Committee works each year with the City of Boston Neighborhood Services to organize a tree lighting event for Dorchester neighborhoods. This is a long-standing event that our communities look forward to.

Santa's Trolley will be arriving on Saturday, November 26, 2011 in ten Dorchester neighborhoods including Upham's Corner (5pm). Historically, people have gathered close to the trolley arrival time, watched the tree light up, then leave.

This year Upham's Corner is having a festive community party before the tree lighting to give people a chance to socialize, get refreshments, sing, dance and get into the holiday mood.

## Holiday Party

Imagine the Strand full of happy Upham's Corner people with smiling faces - wishing each other Holiday Cheer. We are grateful to the Mayor's Office of Arts and Tourism in helping to sponsor the event by having it at the Strand.

**Saturday November 26, 2011**  
**The Strand Theatre**  
**Holiday Party 4pm**  
**Tree Lighting 5pm**

The party is community-based. Everybody – businesses, organizations and residents – are encouraged to participate to help create a uniquely Upham's Corner party. Everyone can “shape” the party by bringing food, used books and games/toys, your talents and your good cheer.

- ❖ We will be distributing the books and games/toys to the children/youth who attend
- ❖ There will be a small stage for performances - singing, dancing, instrumental
- ❖ We need greeters, servers and helpers - especially for children's activities

## Volunteers

If you or your organization would like to help out or schedule a performance or be part of the Upham's Corner Carolers, please contact Nancy. We will include your name in the Holiday Songbook and Program.

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