

Christmas in Choctaw

Photos with Santa, toys and more

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Each and every year Santa Claus makes an early visit to Choctaw.

Jolly old Saint Nicholas is scheduled to stop by Choctaw Creek Golf Course, Dec. 2 during the eight annual Christmas in Choctaw celebration.

This year the Christmas in Choctaw event will once again be hosted at the Choctaw Creek Golf Course, located at 2200 N Hiwassee. The fun begins at 1 p.m. and continues until 4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 2.

New this year will be a tree lighting ceremony at 5 p.m. on Main Street.

The first Christmas in Choctaw celebration was hosted Dec. 5, 2009 and was declared a huge success with more than 450 children visiting with Santa. Children received candy, toys and had their photo taken with Santa. Since then the event has continued to grow each year, and has become a treasured holiday tradition for many local families.

Last year the event moved from Choctaw plaza to the Choctaw Creek Golf Course, and the celebration remains a completely free and fun

See Santa here!

WHAT: Christmas in Choctaw celebration

WHEN: Dec. 2

WHERE: Choctaw Creek Golf Course

DETAILS: The event includes carolers, vendors selling hot chocolate, Christmas lights and decorations.

event for the entire family.

As always, photos with Santa are provided free of charge.

There will be magic and science performances, storytellers and crafts for children.

Each child will receive a toy, candy and the opportunity to make Christmas decorations.

The new Christmas tree lighting ceremony will take place at 5 p.m. near the Main Street splash pad.

There will be carolers, vendors selling hot chocolate, Christmas lights and decorations marking the beginning of the Christmas season in Choctaw.

Each year the Christmas in Choctaw event is sponsored by the City of Choctaw and the Public Recreation Board.

For more information or to help support the annual event call Choctaw City Hall at 390-8198.



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