

# Saugus Hammersmith Stroll 2001

## Schedule

Following you'll find full details of the 2001 Saugus Hammersmith Stroll plus information on the access trolleys that should make getting from place to place a snap. The information provided on each event was originally composed by the event holders themselves and distributed by the Saugus Chamber of Commerce; the listings here are pretty much verbatim. This printable PDF version is by *Saugus.net*.

### Message from the President of the Chamber of Commerce

Dear Stroll Participants:

On behalf of the Officers and Directors of the Saugus Chamber of Commerce, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the many individuals and organizations that have helped to make this years Stroll a success once again. Foremost, I would like to thank, Peter Rossetti of Rossetti Insurance Agency, Stroll Chairman, for his dedication and leadership that is so necessary for the success of this community spirited event. Also the members of the Stroll Committee for all of the hard work they provide in order to bring this together. The Committee included the following individuals, Kathy Lucey, Lucey Travel; Joanne Olson, the Saugus Senior Center; Atty. James Gregson, Julie Mitchell, Lynnhurst PTO; Richard DeSanctis, Dolores Sarver, and Rosemarie Sola, Saugus Chamber of Commerce.

I would also like to thank Town Manager Steve Angelo and his Administrative Assistant Sue Dunn along with Police Chief Edward Felix who have been of great assistance in the planning of this event. In addition, a special thanks to the many business's that were so generous with their donations as Trolley Banner and Sign Sponsors. Also, Lt. Michael Annese, Saugus Police Department, Corey Berkowitch of Sagem Signworks, The Lions Club, Friends of Breakheart, Saugus High Band, along with C.J. Serino of the Youth and Recreation Department, for the "Elves", for all their support and respective donations.

Last but not least the successful coordination and success of this event would not be possible without the participation and support of the Saugus Fire Department, Police Department, Department of Public Works, Inspectional Services and Town Emergency Management Departments. Thank you.

Happy Holidays from the Saugus Chamber of Commerce!

Sincerely,  
Tom Gannon, President  
Saugus Chamber of Commerce

### Friday Night - December 7, 2001

Place: Saugus Town Hall... 298 Central St.

Time: 6:00PM--7:15PM

Activities:

- 6:15PM Pre Tree-Lighting Refreshments inside the Town Hall sponsored by **White Hen Pantry**.
- The **Saugus High Band** will entertain us outside on the front lawn with Holiday music. The Chorus will sing at the tree lighting ceremony
- 7:00PM Tree Lighting Ceremony - Town Manager Steve

Angelo along with Stroll Chairman Peter Rossetti of Rossetti Insurance Agency, will kick off the events with the Annual Tree Lighting Ceremonies.

- Chimes will be played at the First Congregational Church by Carolyn Davis.
- Santa will arrive courtesy of Friends of Breakheart Reservation.

# Saturday - December 8th

The trolleys will start shortly before 10:00AM and the last run will end at 3:30PM.

St. Margaret's Church parking lot located on Jackson St. will be opened till 3:30PM for free parking for trolley riders.

Blessed Sacrament Church parking lot located on Summer Street will also be available till 3:30PM for free parking for trolley riders.

## Route A

One trolley route runs from Lynnhurst School to Saugus Center to Cliftondale Square and back again. (Three trolleys will run this route).

## Route B

The second trolley route runs from Saugus Iron Works to Saugus Center to Village Park and back. (Two trolleys will run this route).

Place: **Saugus Town Hall... 298 Central St.**

Time: 10:00AM--1:00PM

Activities:

- Free photos with Santa Claus sponsored by the Saugus Chamber of Commerce and RESCO
- 10:30AM Girl Scouts Choir
- 11:00AM Middle School Show Choir & SHS Chorus
- Saugus Democratic Education Fund will be selling 6th Edition Holiday Ornaments-\$6.00 ea. proceeds will benefit SHS Scholarships.
- 1:30PM - 3:30PM Christmas Character outside Town Hall sponsored by the **Prince Restaurant**.
- Friends of Town Hall will be selling limited editions of miniature wood reproductions of Cliftondale Square (\$20.00).
- Historical Throws will also be for sale (\$50.00).

Town hall indoor activities will end at 1:00PM sharp

Place: **Saugus Public Library and the Saugus Youth & Recreation Departments ... 295 Central St.**

Time: 10:00AM--2:00PM

Activities:

- Free cookies and drinks in the Taylor Street Lobby
- Free Face Painting
- Free Balloons
- Make and Take Ornaments
- Saugus Garden Club... Demonstration of Holiday Fresh Green Arrangements and Raffles
- 10:00AM -Holiday Caroling by the High School Choir & Belmonte Middle School Chorus
- Restrooms available

Place: **Saugus Iron Works... 244 Central St.**

Time: 10:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- A winter potpourri - open house, seasonal exhibits and activities
- Seventeenth Century cooking demonstration stations and Puppet Theatre
- All events are free
- Public restrooms and parking available

Place: **Lynnhurst School... Corner of Elm & Walnut Sts.**

Time: 9:00AM--4:00PM (buses stop at 3:30)

Activities:

- Craft Fair-many area Crafters -Hand made crafts, American girl doll clothes, jewelry personalized ornaments, assorted wooden crafts, wreaths, baskets, and many others.
- Bookfair - Bingo Game with many prizes
- 10:00AM - 2:00PM **Lynnhurst Express** - Trackless train ride through Lynnhurst Winter Wonderland
- 11:00AM - 1:00PM Pony Rides
- Dunk Tank (a Principal to dunk)!
- Meet the Grinch!
- Fun crafts for kids...Decorate a gingerbread cookie, holidays stockings, or paint a ceramic ornament
- **Free face painting, Free Games and Prizes**
- Lynnhurst Cookbook on sale
- Bake sale - Home made baked goods, fudge and candies
- Yankee Raffles...many assorted Gift Baskets
- Lunch & Dessert .....Homemade Soup, Calzone, Pizza, Hot Dogs
- Gingerbread with Whipped Cream, Nachos & Cheese, Cotton Candy and Popcorn.
- **Free Cider, and Hot Chocolate**

Place: **Hart's True Value... 40 Hamilton St.**

Time: 10:00AM -- 2:00PM

Activities:

- Stop by Harts True Value in Currier Plaza and mention the Saugus Holiday Stroll and buy one key at our regular price and receive two keys free!
- Enter our free drawing for a chance to win a Stuffed Workshop Santa!

Place: **Saugusbank- a co-operative bank... 1 Hamilton St. "The only bank for Saugus"**

Time: 9:00AM--1:00PM

Activities:

- Open House -
- Free Refreshments... cookies and cider.
- Sign up for a free *Gathering of Memories* drawing.

Place: **Donovan-Ducott Insurance Agency... 17 Essex St.**

Time: 10:00AM --4:00PM

Activities:

- Free quotes on insurance
- Free donuts, coffee and juice

Place: **Cliftondale Congregational Church... 50 Essex St.**

Time: 10:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- "Cookie Walk" all types of holiday cookies
- Baked goods, crafts, fresh evergreen wreaths
- Saugus H/S and Middle School Chorus will perform at 1:00PM

Place: **Movies 'N More... 508 Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 10:00AM--9:00PM

Activities:

- Open House...Stop by our Saugus store location and receive a FREE candy cane.
- "Hammersmith Holiday Stroll Color Television Raffle"
- Just for visiting our store, we will be giving away a 19' tv set and candy canes all you have to do is come in. No purchase necessary.

Place: **Lucey Travel Co., Inc... 473 Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 10:00AM--1:00PM

Activities:

- Stop by and enter to win a Mickey Mouse Cookie Jar
- Drawing at 1:00PM
- Lucey Travel at Lincoln Avenue will be this year's drop-off location for anyone wishing to contribute to the United Food Pantry. This is an organization that collects and distributes non-perishable food to families in need.

Place: **Everything's Hair... 492 Lincoln Ave.**

Time:

Activities:

- Open House
- Free Coffee & Cookies

Place: **Lena's Sub Shop... 496 Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 11:00AM--3:00PM

Activities:

- Free Hot Chocolate for all Holiday Strollers

Place: **Saugusbank - a cooperative bank... 489 Lincoln Ave. "The only Bank for Saugus"**

Time: 9:00AM--1:00PM

Activities:

- Open House
- Free Refreshments... cider, cookies
- Sign up for a free *Gathering of Memories* drawing at noon.

Place: **Lomas Flowers... 486 Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 9:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- Open House...Holiday display!
- Free candy bars for all children. Also free drinks and cookies.
- 10% discount throughout the store
- Enter our two free drawings .If you purchase a "Xmas Caroler" you will have a chance to win a "Xmas Caroler"
- Also a free drawing novelty for everyone who enters
- Drawing will be held at store closing!

Place: **GCA Jewelers... 451 Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 10:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- Two day sale for all Stroll participants and customers
- Free gift bags to be given out
- Free cookies and cider

Place: **How Sweet It Is... 469A Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 10:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- Two Christmas Raffles-
- (1) Holiday Charity Raffle (proceeds go to American Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund)
- (2) Beautiful San Francisco Music Box Company Raffle
- Stop by and help us to support the victims of the September 11th tragedy
- Free Refreshments

Place: **Peter Rossetti Insurance Agency... 436 Lincoln Ave & Saugus Federal Credit Union... 448 Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 9:30AM--12:30PM

Activities:

- Free hot cider, hot chocolate and cookies
- A raffle will be held for **A GIANT HOLIDAY STOCKING...** for a Saugus boy and girl under the age of 12 years.
- Drawing will be held at the Saugus Federal Credit Union at 12:30PM

Place: **St. Margaret's Church... 431 Lincoln Ave.**

Time: 9:00AM--1:00PM

Activities:

- Breakfast with the Angels...
- Baked Goods Table...Crafts...Raffle
- Christmas Caroling...

Place: **Saugus Senior Center... 466 Central St.**

Time: 9:30--3:00 PM

Activities:

- Visit the Craft Table for hand-made gifts & crafts
- Dolls & stuffed animals tables
- Don't forget to drop by early to purchase a delicious lunch from the Seniors: featuring....corn chowder, meatball sandwiches, turkey subs, hot-dogs, apple crisp, and beverages.
- Our Boutique store will be open
- 12:00PM SHS Chorus & Middle School Show Choir
- 1:00PM Saugus Senior Center Dancing Drill Team & Tap
- 1:30PM Raffle announced 50/50 on Tax Break
- 1:30PM Announce Winner of Window Decorating Contest
- 2:00PM Charleena's Dance School

Place: **Veterans Memorial School... 39 Hurd Ave.**

Time: 10:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- SNOWFLAKE STATION
- Holiday kid crafts to make, crafts to purchase - Dog Tag Necklace Making, Holiday Ornaments, Snowman Thermometers, Holiday Pins & Magnets
- Mini-book fair from Walden Books
- Theme basket raffles
- Character photos with Frosty
- Our own Plinko Game and prizes
- Chili and soup, pizza, nachos & cheese, Chicken nuggets, sodas, juices and hot chocolate
- Saugus Democratic Education Fund will be selling 6th Edition Holiday Ornaments - \$6.00 ea. proceeds will benefit SHS Scholarships

Place: **Evans School... East Denver St.**

Time: 10:00AM--3:00PM

Activities:

- Ornament Making, (5 different varieties)
- Holiday Photo Buttons
- Raffles (36 to pick from)
- Train Ride - Polar Express
- Food - Pizza, Popcorn, Tonic,
- Asst. baked goods (brownies, cookies, etc.)
- Free Christmas Coloring Books
- Free Drinks: Cocoa, Tea, Coffee, and Cider

Place: **D'Anna Imaging... 308B Central St. Photography Studio a.k.a. Picture This!**

Time: 10:00AM--3:30PM

Activities:

- Raffle on Saturday December 8th, for the Hammersmith Stroll.
- Anyone who comes in and fills out an entry is eligible to receive a complimentary portrait session.

Place: **Saugus Assembly of God... 9 Assembly Dr.**

Time: 7-8:30PM FRIDAY

6-8:30PM SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Activities:

- A presentation of a "Living Nativity", Petting Zoo and Pony Rides - Friday evening 7-8:30PM
- "Living Nativity" with Petting Zoo - Saturday evening 6-8:30PM
- "Living Nativity" with Petting Zoo, Horse and Sleigh Rides - Sunday evening 6-8:30PM
- Wiseman's Caravan including their camel
- An illuminated Candy Cane Lane with animated reindeer, Frosty
- the Snowman, the Nutcracker and Toy Soldiers
- Visit with Mr. & Mrs. Claus indoors- pictures with Santa
- Sounds of Christmas every evening
- Concert and Drama Presentation "No Vacancy"
- Free: Cookies, Hot Chocolate, and Cider

Place: **Blessed Sacrament Church... 14 Summer St.**

Time: 10:00AM--2:00PM

Activities:

- **St. Nicholas Party** (10AM - 12Noon)
- Holiday Music
- Inexpensive ornament making table for children
- Coloring table for smaller children
- Face painting and over a dozen raffles
- Christmas card making for Veteran's at Soldier's Home
- Baked goods, coffee, soda, hot dogs and chips

Place: **Saugus Historical Society... 30 Main St.**

Time: 10:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- Open House
- The Saugus Historical Society is pleased to announce that they will be open at 30 Main Street at this year's Christmas Stroll.
- The 2002 Saugus calendars will be making their debut and will be available free of charge. There will be an exhibit titled, Saugus and the Civil War, as well as a few videos being shown including Saugus Chronicles and The Restoration of the Iron Works. The first fifty visitors will receive a free Wallace Nutting postcard.
- A free raffle will be held awarding a few one year memberships to the Saugus Historical Society. Saugus magnets, postcards, tee shirts and all Saugus Historical Society publications will also be available for purchase.

Place: **Waybright School... Talbot St.**

Time: 9:00AM --11:30AM

Activities:

- Holiday Stroll Breakfast -
- Scrambled eggs, french toast sticks, english muffins, sausages, Coffee, O.J., munchkins and cereal.
- The price will be \$3.00 p.p., \$12.00 for a family of five, Toddler breakfast for \$1.50.
- Photos will be taken with Santa - \$3.00
- Come make an ornament - \$1.50
- Raffles... Gift Certificates, Gift Baskets and Gift Items
- Waybright Cookbooks for Sale \$6.00 each

Place: **J. Pace & Sons Inc... 325 Main St.**

Time: 10:00AM--3:30PM

Activities:

- Holiday Raffles
- Holiday Music
- Imported cheese sampling

Place: **Gannon Real Estate... 345 Main St.**

Time: 10:00AM - 3:00PM

Activities:

- Holiday Raffle...Stop by and register to win!
- Free Light Refreshments

Place: **Saugus Family YMCA... 298 Main St.**

Time: 11:00AM--4:00PM

Activities:

- SAUGUS FAMILY YMCA HOLIDAY CARNIVAL
- Games of Skill -
- Moonbounce & Inflatable Attractions
- Holiday Craft Stations -Face Painting
- Carnival Food Court
- Meet our holiday characters
- Raffles and much more - An afternoon of holiday fun
- Come check out the new YMCA Fitness Center

Place: **Oaklandvale School... 266 Main St.**

Time: 9:00AM--4:00PM (buses stop at 3:30)

Activities:

- Kids make their own crafts and decorate cookies
- Temporary Tattoo's, games, and raffles
- Special Raffle Board with over 50 prizes
- Entertainment and Karaoke
- Raffle Calendars for sale (Grand prize is \$500.00 plus two round trip airfare tickets to anywhere in the Continental U.S.)
- Food -Hot dogs, snacks and drinks
- Free coffee

Place: **First Congregational Church... 300 Central St.**

Time: 7:00PM - Sunday Evening - December 9, 2001

Activities:

- The First Congregational Church, Saugus Center, will present their annual Christmas Concert Sunday evening, December 9, 2001 at 7:00PM. The evening will take on a musical "Journey to Bethlehem". The choirs, musicians and soloists will present to the audience the sounds of Christmas. Please join us on December 9, 2001 at 7:00PM and enjoy an evening of music filled with the spirit of the Christmas season. You won't want to miss "Journey to Bethlehem". Refreshments will be served after the concert.

### **Historic Saugus Holiday Ornaments**

This is the 6th annual limited edition ornament. Holiday Ornaments will be available at various locations along the Stroll route, including the Town Hall. The cost is \$6.00 each and all proceeds will go toward the Saugus High School Scholarship Fund sponsored by the: SAUGUS DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION FUND

### **Historic Saugus Calendars**

The Saugus Historical Society is handing out copies of the 2002 Historic Saugus Calendar for free. Get your copy at the Historical Society House (30 Main Street) during the stroll.

### **Saugus.net**

Saugus.net representatives will be wandering around taking pictures. Keep your eyes open and you may find a picture of yourself online...