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## MEDIA RELEASE

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### Bensenville Celebrates the Season with Holiday Magic & Tree Lighting Ceremony

**Bensenville, IL** – The Village of Bensenville celebrated another outstanding Holiday Magic & Tree Lighting Ceremony on Sunday, November 23, 2025, welcoming families from across the community to kick off the festive season. This year's event brought record attendance, transforming downtown Bensenville into a vibrant winter celebration filled with lights, music, and family-friendly activities.

The evening kicked off with a countdown to the annual tree lighting, illuminating the Village's signature holiday tree and lighting displays throughout downtown Bensenville. Guests enjoyed holiday train rides, music, and seasonal treats provided by community partners. Children had the chance to visit Santa and Mrs. Claus and take part in a variety of interactive holiday activities.

The success of this year's event was made possible through the efforts of Village staff, community volunteers, local organizations, and sponsors who contributed resources, time, and creativity to ensure a memorable evening for families.

Village President Frank DeSimone praised the community's enthusiasm and participation, stating:

“Holiday Magic is one of our most cherished traditions, and this year's celebration truly showcased the spirit of Bensenville. Seeing families come together to enjoy the activities, support local performers, and share in the excitement of the tree lighting reminds us of what makes this community so special. I want to thank our staff, volunteers, and partners who helped create a festive and welcoming event for everyone to enjoy.”

The Village of Bensenville extends its gratitude to all who attended and supported the 2025 Holiday Magic & Tree Lighting Ceremony. The event continues to serve as a joyful start to the holiday season and a celebration of community togetherness.

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Village of Bensenville residents gathered to celebrate the season at the annual Holiday Magic Tree Lighting event.

**About Bensenville:** Bensenville is conveniently located just 20 miles west of downtown Chicago in DuPage County, adjacent to O'Hare International Airport, surrounded by major expressways, and boasts several public transportation options including a Metra commuter station. With plenty to offer both families and businesses like brand new schools, great parks, and special events year round, Bensenville really is the "Gateway to Opportunity." Please visit our website at: [www.bensenville.gov](http://www.bensenville.gov)