



## **ANNOUNCING THE FIRST ANNUAL GREENFIELD FESTIVAL OF TREES!!**

**Do you love holiday decorating? Do you have great idea for a tree?**

**Show your holiday spirit at the**

**GREENFIELD FESTIVAL OF TREES!!**

**December 4, 2-4 pm during the GFD Fire & Ice Event**

**WHAT:** A display of themed holiday trees to benefit Friends of the Greenfield Meetinghouse! Trees must be artificial per fire codes. Depending on the weather, real trees may be displayed outside! *Donations will be accepted during the event, participation and entry are free.*

**WHO:** Calling all Greenfield residents, families, groups, clubs, nonprofits and businesses...pick a theme and let your decorating skills shine!

**WHEN:** Bring your tree and ornaments to the Meetinghouse for set-up on Friday, December 4 from noon-7 pm or Saturday from 8 am -noon. Trees will be displayed 2-4 PM on Saturday, December 4th during *Fire and Ice*.

**WHERE:** Greenfield Meetinghouse Meeting Room and front lawn. Cider & cookies will be served (hot chocolate uses too much electricity and we need the power for the lights!).

**HOW:** Please email the FGCM at [greenfieldmeetinghouse@gmail.com](mailto:greenfieldmeetinghouse@gmail.com) if you would like to bring a tree and with any questions!

### **Greenfield Festival of Trees Rules and Regulations:**

- Items set up inside must be artificial to adhere to municipal and NH state code requirements and must meet or exceed all fire, hazardous material, UL Electrical and safety regulations.
- Trees should have a tree skirt, topper and UL-approved miniature lights (preferably warm white or color LEDs)
- Tree heights may range from mini/table top trees, which will be displayed on tables or on the stage, or full size trees up to eight feet. Entrants must be able to transport and take down trees on their own. Tall trees must be adequately supported in tree stands.
- For safety reasons, the following items are not permitted on trees: unwrapped edible items; spray adhesives (such as glue), loose glitter confetti, or artificial snow, any flammable items left loose on tree or tree skirt. Glitter covered ornaments are permitted.
- Decorations and trees must be fully assembled prior to set up (no glue guns, etc permitted in the Meetinghouse.)
- The FGCM reserves the right to reject any trees with inappropriate themes or controversial decorations. No political themed trees are permitted.
- Please provide your own extension cord (labeled with your name) and, if needed, power strips. All must be in good, workable order. Please note the Meetinghouse has a weak power supply and low energy lights are preferred.
- Tree setup will be Friday, December 3, 12-6, and Saturday morning 8-12. Please bring your own stepstool or ladder if needed.
- Spots will be reserved on a first come, first serve basis.

*Thanks to the Peterborough Recreation Department for their help with these regulations!*