

Press Release

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Southdown Lights and Lanterns Extravaganza Taking Place on 29 November

Harpenden Town Council and the Southdown Lights Up Steering Group will be welcoming the Christmas season to Southdown at the annual Lights & Lanterns Extravaganza on Friday 29 November 2019!

The event will kick off at 5:30pm with a procession starting from Grove School, leading down Grove Road to the Christmas Tree. Several local vendors & organisations will have stalls at the event, and the on-site funfair & fire engine are sure to be popular attractions. Visitors will be treated to carol performances by Grove School pupils and the Miscellany Folk Singers throughout the evening, and Santa will be greeting children in Santa's Grotto (free of charge, open from 6pm until 7pm).

The lights will be switched on at 6:15pm and the event will wrap up at 7:30pm, leaving plenty of time for attendees to enjoy everything on offer.

The Town Council is also organising Batford Lights Up, which takes place at Batford Corner on 1 December from 5-6:30pm. There will be children's craft activities, carol performances, free tea, coffee & mince pie, and the Christmas lights will be switched on at 6pm. Further details on these events can be found at harpenden.gov.uk/christmas.

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About Harpenden Town Council

Harpenden Town Council was created in 1974 and is the largest parish in the St Albans District with a population of almost 30,000 represented by 16 Councillors across 4 Wards.

