

# Information and Registration

**Event Dates:** Registration: November 1st – November 29th by 4:30 pm

- Holiday lights and decorations must be displayed: November 30th – December 25th
  - Online Map Released for Community Viewing: December 3rd
  - Traditional Judging: December 3rd - December 5th
- People's Choice Facebook Voting: Friday, December 3rd – Sunday, December 12th
  - Winners Announced via Facebook

**Categories:** Traditional and People's Choice (Facebook Voting) - Participants will automatically be entered into both.

**Prizes/Judging:** 1st, 2nd & 3rd place prizes awarded in each category

- Independent parties will conduct official judging.
- Judges are exempt from winning.

**Contest Guidelines:** Contest is open to Village of Bourbonnais residents.

- Entries must be within Village of Bourbonnais corporate limits.
- No commercial entries – residential applicants only.

• Registration must be completed in order to participate. Completed forms must be received no later than Monday, November 29th at 4:30pm.

• Registration forms are available for downloading at [villageofbourbonnais.com](http://villageofbourbonnais.com) or at the Village of Bourbonnais Administration Building 600 Main St. NW during business hours Monday – Friday 8am – 4:30pm.

• Registration forms may be submitted:

o In person at the Administration Building 600 Main St. NW

o Email: Lindy Casey [caseyl@villageofbourbonnais.com](mailto:caseyl@villageofbourbonnais.com)

o Mail: Village of Bourbonnais Holiday Lighting Contest

Attn: Lindy Casey

600 Main St. NW Bourbonnais, IL 60914

Registration must be completed in order to participate.

***Each applicant will receive a confirmation email following receipt of registration form.***

• Addresses and lighting/decoration display photos will be made available via an online map for community viewing and Facebook voting for the People's Choice winner. (Names will not be included.)

• Each entry will be assigned an entry number and be provided a yard sign with the entry number. The sign must remain in a highly-visible location for viewing, judging and online voting purposes.

• Winners will receive an additional yard sign for recognition.

• The Village of Bourbonnais will collect all yard signs at the conclusion of the contest.

• Only one entry per residence permitted.

• The Village of Bourbonnais reserves the right to refuse participation to or disqualify any holiday lighting displays or decorations deemed off-subject or out of context; containing obscenity; containing offensive terms; is threatening, harassing or discriminatory; incites or promotes violence or illegal activities; threatens individual or public safety; or promotes or endorses political campaigns or candidates.

• Questions? Please contact Lindy Casey, Marketing & Public Engagement Manager, 815-937-3570  
[caseyl@villageofbourbonnais.com](mailto:caseyl@villageofbourbonnais.com)

*(Complete and return bottom portion. Retain top for your records.)*

Individual/Family Name *(Not included on map)*: \_\_\_\_\_

Display Address *(Included in online map; must be within Village of Bourbonnais corporate limits)*:  
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Would like to enter your home in the contest? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about the contest? \_\_\_\_\_ (Internal Use Only) Entry #: \_\_\_\_\_