# HARLEM HOLIDAY SPONSORSHIP Package 2017

Harlem 125<sup>th</sup> Street Business Improvement District Event Date: November 16, 2017 www.harlemlightitup.com



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Parade Route Sponsor Thank You! Who We Are

# HAħL€M LIGHT IT UP!

2017 FEATURING NEW EVENTS & LIGHTING redesigned to be <u>BIGGER, BRIGHTER & BETTER!</u>



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### Harlem Holiday Lighting purpose



**PROMOTING CULTURE** 



**PROVIDING ENTERTAINMENT** 

- The 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Harlem Holiday Lighting celebration is a festive event that takes place in the lively neighborhood of Harlem located in Upper Manhattan, New York, NY.
- When: Harlem Holiday Lighting festivities will commence on November 16, 2017 and will kick off the holiday season in Harem.
- Harlem 125<sup>th</sup> Street will come to life with a diverse group of residents & visitors, music, and holiday fun.
- Harlem 125<sup>th</sup> Street Business Improvement District merchants host instore activities and special promotions for shoppers.



- Featuring <u>NEW</u> holiday light street decorations, individual custom pole decorations, a festive parade of lights and family friendly activities.
- The event stretches along 125<sup>th</sup> Street from 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue going west to Marginal Street [*Approximately a 1 mile distance*].



### Harlem Holiday Lighting Influence

Pedestrian Presence		Social Media & Advertising		Business Participation	
125th St. weekly crowd totals: 177 to 200,000 people		Harlem BID Website Visitors: 43,173		Retail Spaces in Harlem BID area: 432	
125 <sup>th</sup> St. Annual S <b>9,603,878 rider</b>	Subway Ridership: <b>s on A, B, C &amp; D</b>	Twitter: <b>2,727 Followers</b>	Facebook: <b>2,625 Followers</b>		
125 <sup>th</sup> St. Annual Subway Ridership: <b>4,989,981 riders on 2 &amp; 3</b>		Harlem BID E-Blast Newsletter: 5,478 Subscribers		Harlem Holiday Lighting supports the goals of the BID to promote 125 <sup>th</sup> Street as a vibrant cultural center and continue the revitalization & beautification of 125 <sup>th</sup> Street as the	
Footfall Pattern Per Month: 655,425		Harlem BID APP Visitors: <b>9000</b>			
Upper Manhattan Public Transportation to work: <b>68.7%</b>		Harlem Holiday Lights Publications: 100,000 local newspaper ads			
Walk to work: <b>11.4%</b>	Drive to work: <b>8.0%</b>			commercial and artistic	
Upper Manhattan Those who car pooled to work: <b>3.0%</b>					

## Event SPONSORSHIP – PART I

#### HARLEM GOLD SPONSOR (title sponsorship) \$50,000 – Only One

- Parade of Lights event named for sponsor
- Prominent signage on Community Stage
- One gold package lighted float with company name
- in Parade of Lights

parade of lights

- <u>20</u> guests on main open decker bus for Parade of Lights
- Company name on banner hung on open decker bus for

- Two custom pole decorations
- Company logo and link to company on BID website (1 year)
- Advertisement on BID's "Harlem Happenings" App (1 year)
- Company profile in Harlem Happenings e-blast (1 year) months)
- Prominent Recognition in BID's 2017 2018 Annual Report

### SILVER BELL SPONSOR (major sponsorship) \$30,000

- Prominent signage on Community Stage
- One silver bell package lighted float with company name in Parade of Lights
- One custom pole decorations
- Company logo and link to company on BID website (6 months)

- <u>10</u> guests on open decker bus for Parade of Lights
- Advertisement on BID's "Harlem
- Happenings" App (6 months)
- Company profile in "Harlem Happenings" e-blast (6 months)
- Prominent Recognition in BID's 2017 2018 Annual Report

#### **RED STAR SPONSOR** (holiday light events sponsorship) \$15,000

- One red star lighted float with company name in Parade of Lights
- <u>5</u> guests on open decker bus for Parade of Lights
- Company profile in Harlem Happenings e-blast (3 month)
- Company logo and link to company on BID website (3month)

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- Advertisement on BID's "Harlem Happenings" App (3 month)
- Company profile in "Harlem Happenings" e-blast (3 months)





## Event SPONSORSHIP – PART II

#### **Community Stage** (\$13,000)

The Community Stage serves as a meeting hub for the Harlem Holiday Lighting Program. Performances by local community members, greek fraternities and sororities and special guest dj's add to the festive celebration.



#### Custom Pole Decorations (\$11,000 ea.)

Harlem's performers will have a chance to showcase their talent on the BID community stage. Located on Morningside Drive and St. Nicolas Avenue—the stage will host a variety of music & live performances, including carols, dancing, & gospel. This event aims to showcase Harlem's unique and historical culture through the arts.
<u>1 Custom Pole Decoration</u>
Prominent signage around lighting display
Company profile in Harlem Happenings e-blast (1 month)
Advertisement on BID's "Harlem Happenings" App (1 month)

#### **Parade of Lights**

(Gold Star Package\$6,000) (Silver Bell Package \$4,600) (Red Star Package \$3,200)

A procession of vibrant floats, vehicles, and crowds follow a stream of lights lit one by one along 125<sup>th</sup> St. until the street is transformed into a sea of decorative lights. This dynamic event drives visitors & local community members to 125<sup>th</sup> St and is a visual stimulus that dazzles and brightens the BID area. One lighted float with company name in Parade of Lights

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2 Guests on guests on main open decker bus for Parade of Lights



### Harlem Holiday Lighting Activities

#### **Children's Village**

**Community Board #9** hosts a fulfilled, educational, and art & crafts centric event. The Children's Village historically offers holiday activities for children (ages (3-10) and their family.



#### **Ugly Sweater Contest**

Taken!

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125<sup>th</sup> St. <u>Olive Garden</u> is hosting an "Ugly Sweater Contest" at 6:30pm on the night when we light up the streets for the holidays. Participating customers (21+) will have the chance to show off their ugly holiday sweaters and win an Olive Garden prize.



### Get involved!! Host An In-Store Activity!

125STREET

Taken!

We encourage businesses along 125<sup>th</sup> St. to also host an in-store activity as we turn on the holiday lights to kickoff the holiday season. during the Parade of Lights. Check out this early line up and get in touch with us!

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Caroling and Entertainment □ Food & Beverage Tasting Casino or Game Night □ Promotions (% Off Products & Services) Exercise class with a holiday twist Fashion Show □ Financial Literacy/ Educational Class □ Corporate parties **Food Tastings** Taken Harlem Funky Hat Hosted by: Competition aken! Hosted by: RED LOBSTER 1 ( 3 h 1 h 1 h 1

#### Karaoke

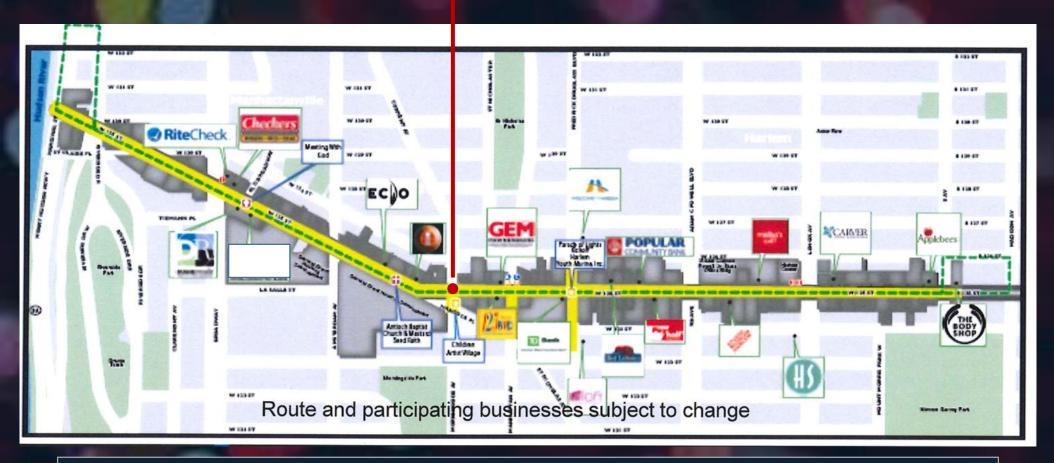
So you think you can SING! <u>HealthFirst</u> is hosting the 3<sup>rd</sup> Holiday Lighting Karaoke near the Apollo Theater. Passersby's can test out their skills while waiting for lights to come on.

#### A HIT EVERY YEAR!



## Harlem Holiday Lighting Parade ROUTE 2016

#### START/FINISH



Route subject to change pending approval with the New York Police Department (NYPD)



### Harlem Holiday Lighting THANK YOU



### THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR SPONSORS, PAST, & FUTURE





## Harlem 125<sup>TH</sup> Street BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

The 125<sup>th</sup> Street Business Improvement District seeks to develop a community based vision that maintains the heritage of 125<sup>th</sup> Street, helps secure future cultural presentation and production in Harlem, and encourages the ongoing revitalization of 125<sup>th</sup> Street as a premier art, culture, and entertainment destination.



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