





# Manistee County Family Events – December 2019



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 December is <b>READ A NEW BOOK MONTH!</b> Check out the library and see what new books they have!	2 <b>Visit the Old Christmas Weekend website</b> For a list of all events!	3 <b>Story Time</b> Manistee Library 11:00 am Weekly	4 <b>Santa List Day</b> Write a letter to Santa and mail it to the north pole!	5 <b>Manistee MOPS &amp; MOMSNEXT</b> 9:00 11:00 am <b>Old Christmas Weekend Kicks off</b>	6 <b>Brethren Playgroup</b> 9:30 – 11:00 am <b>Elf the Musical</b> 7:30 pm Manistee High	7 <b>Sleigh Bell Parade</b> Downtown Manistee 5:30 pm <b>Free Holiday Movie</b> The Vogue- 10 am
8 <b>Santa's Headquarters'</b> Manistee Marina 1:00 – 3:00 pm	9 <b>Homemade Gift Day</b> Make a gift for someone special!	10 <b>Arcadia Playgroup</b> 11:30 – 2:00 pm Weekly	11 <b>Manistee Playgroup</b> 9:30 – 11:00 am Weekly	12 <b>Story Time</b> Onekama Library 10:30 am Weekly	13 <b>Early Childhood Collaboration</b> 9:00 – 11:00 am Manistee ISD <b>Elf the Musical</b> 7:30 pm Manistee High	14 <b>.25 Cent Family Movies</b> Elf 10 am The Vogue Weekly
15 <b>Cupcake Day</b> Make a Christmas Cupcake!	16 <b>Chocolate covered anything day!</b> Experiment coating different foods in chocolate!	17 <b>Wright Brothers Day</b> Build a paper airplane!	18 <b>Bake Cookie Day</b> Get the icing and sprinkles out to make Christmas cookies!	19 <b>Manistee MOPS &amp; MOMSNEXT</b> 9:00 11:00 am	20 <b>Brethren Playgroup</b> 9:30 – 11:00 am	21 <b>Winter Solstice</b> Make a Swedish snowball lantern!
22 <b>Check out Sparkle in the Park!</b> All Month long in Bear Lake!	23 	24	25 <b>No playgroup!</b> 	26 <b>Candy Cane Day!</b> Make a paper Candy cane!	27 <b>Cut out a snowflake day!</b> Make snowflakes to display in your window!	28 <b>.25 Cent Family Movies</b> 10 am The Vogue Weekly
29 <b>Tick Tock Day</b> Only two days left of 2019, did you get your bucket list checked off?	30 <b>Take a Walk Day!</b> Break out the snowshoes and take a walk!	31 <b>New Year's Eve!</b> Make a Paper plate noise maker to ring in <b>2020!</b>	<b>Make note of a new Parent Coalition coming to Manistee County! First Meeting will be January 21<sup>st</sup>! More information to come!</b>			



**Wexford-Missaukee-Manistee Counties**

**Manistee Great Start Parents/Playgroup**

Contact – [Lacy2191@gmail.com](mailto:Lacy2191@gmail.com)

Locations-

**Manistee Playgroup-** Madison Elementary Second portable, 515 Bryant Ave, Manistee,

**Brethren Playgroup-** 4 Star Playgroup, 4400 North High Bridge Rd. Brethren

**MOPS –** Faith Covenant, 475 8th St, Manistee

**Arcadia Playgroup-** Pleasant Valley Comm. Center, 3586 Glovers Lake Rd, Arcadia

Helpful Links/Numbers for Manistee

- Info on food pantries; [ManisteeKitchen.org](http://ManisteeKitchen.org)
- District Health Dept # 10 – (231) 723-3595
- Manistee County WIC – (231) 723-3971
- United Way of Manistee – (231) 723-2331
- Michigan 2-1-1 Dial 211 or (844) 875-9211