

Potton tree lighting ceremony

THE SCOOP
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On Friday, Dec. 3 at 6:30pm some 80-100 people gathered in the Place Manson square in the middle of Mansonville to celebrate Potton's Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony with friends and neighbours.

The evening featured live music with the Almut Ellinghaus Jazz Trio as well as Christmas carols performed by Potton's Choeur Des Chouettes; all performances adding the perfect touch to the evening of festivities and fun.

A visit from Santa Claus and gifts for registered children 12 years and under brought a line up of kids to sit on Santa's knee and tell the

jolly giant all of their wishes for Christmas. With parents clicking photos and the children smiling, the evening's chilly temperatures could not be dampened by the warmth and spirit on display.

A collection of non-perishable food items were encouraged for the CABMN food bank and their Annual Christmas baskets that will be distributed to needy families and individuals on Dec. 15.

For organizer, Municipality of Potton's community organizer, Trish Wood, the evening is always something she looks forward to.

"I enjoy these opportunities to celebrate alongside the Potton Municipal Council, staff and community," she said. "I extend a big thank you to the volunteers

organized by the CABMN Volunteer Centre who helped us a lot with the event," she added.

Members of the Potton Municipal Council were in attendance and they mingled through the crowd extending holiday wishes to all present. In this photo we see council members, left to right: Andre Ducharme, Cynthia Sherrer, Jason Ball as well as Mayor, Bruno Cote and council member, Emilie Larue. Absent from the photo: Francis Marcoux and Christine Baudinet.

For more information about Potton Municipal events, visit: www.potton.ca

With Potton lit up and the spirit of the season in the air, from one Municipality to another, Happy Holidays!



It's the most wonderful time of the year

With the kids jingle belling
And everyone telling you "Be of good cheer"

It's the most wonderful time of the year
It's the hap-happiest season of all

With those holiday greetings and
gay happy meetings
When friends come to call
It's the hap-happiest season of all

There'll be parties for hosting
Marshmallows for toasting
And caroling out in the snow
There'll be scary ghost stories
And tales of the glories of
Christmases long, long ago

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**Fill Your
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Holiday Spirit**



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*Wishing all the residents of the Borough of Lennoxville
a Happy Holiday season!*

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