

WALT DISNEY WORLD®

# Mickey's Very Merry Christmas Party

Ho, ho, ho! Our *Mickey's Very Merry Christmas Party* Park Plan will help you hit the highlights with the lowest wait times.



## Arrival (4 p.m.)

### Arrive early.

With a party ticket, guests can enter *Magic Kingdom*® Park as early as 4 p.m. Allow extra time for transportation, parking and going through security and the entrance touchpoints.

### Grab your wristband.

If you're already in the park before 4 p.m. as a daytime guest, go to a wristband distribution location between 4-7 p.m. so you can stay inside the park. If you arrive after 4 p.m., you'll get your wristband upon arrival through the designated touchpoints.



## Pre-Party Time (4 p.m. to 7 p.m.)

### Identify your priorities.

With so many special entertainment and activities to do in a limited time, it's important to identify your family's top priorities before the party starts, whether it's meeting Santa Claus, watching the parade or *hopping* on rides.

### Eat dinner.

Take the extra time now to sit down and fuel up before the party starts. Because time is limited, we recommend a quick-service spot such as Casey's Corner.

### Hit the rides.

Focusing on special entertainment, holiday treats and characters? Go on rides now. Not all rides and shows are open during the party, so make sure to prioritize any must-dos. Save any rides with special overlays for the party.

### Visit standard characters.

Certain characters wear the same outfit during the day and the party, so if you want to save meeting characters in their holiday best for the party, meet the characters with their regular outfits (or the characters who don't attend the party) during this time.





## Party Time (7 p.m. to 12 a.m.)

### Get exclusive treats and merch early.

Some special treats and merchandise may draw long lines and sell out early in the night.

### Prioritize characters.

If you must visit a certain character, such as Santa Claus, be sure to do so earlier in the night, as some may leave their location to be in the parade or their line may close 30 minutes before the party ends. Double check with a cast member to find out how long a line is. For a full list of character locations, *hop* over to our blog!

### Watch the first parade in Town Square (8:30 p.m.).

For a good view with shorter notice, grab a spot in front of the *Walt Disney World*® Railroad station. Stick around to see snowfall on *Main Street, U.S.A.*®.

### Find a spot for fireworks (10 p.m.).

Once the parade is over, move as close as you can to Cinderella Castle for the fireworks show so you can have a better view of the projections.

### Go hunting for holiday treats later.

There can be long lines for the holiday cookies and beverages early on, so focus on the rest of your plan and snag your treats later with little to no waits.



## Party Time (cont.)

### Circle back to characters and sprinkle in your favorite rides.

With the remaining time left, catch any characters you may have missed and go on your favorite rides — both of which have lower wait times as the night goes on. Don't *froget* about the rides with special holiday overlays, some of which are party exclusives:

- *Tomorrowland*® Speedway Race Through the Holidays
- *Monsters, Inc. Laugh Floor*® Holiday Show
- *Space Mountain*® - Holiday Run
- Mad Tea Party
- *Jingle Cruise*\*

### Get your wiggles out.

Dance the night away at Club Tinsel inside Cosmic Ray's Starlight Café or with Disney Junior Pals at the Disney Junior Jingle Jam.

### Finish the night with Mickey's Most Merriest Celebration (11:55 p.m.).

By watching the last stage show of the night, you get to stay past the official party time to close out the park with Mickey and Minnie Mouse and their friends.

\*Available during regular park hours, but may have lower waits during the party.

