

JANUARY 2022

Happy New Year to my Little Friends, Mom's, Dad's, Grampa's and Grandma's!

Mrs. Claus and I would like to thank everyone who attended to see Santa at Oshawa's Drive Thru Visit with Santa on Saturday, December 11, 2022 in the parking lot at the 420 Wing Air Force Veterans Club and Ontario Tank Museum. For the better part of the day, Mother Nature kept the weather beautiful for us for the drive thru.

Many thanks to the 420 Wing and Ontario Tank Museum for your support of this event once again. Thank you to the enthusiastic students from McLaughlin Collegiate and other high schools who skipped and sang as elves, snowmen, trees, gingerbread men and those on traffic duty and other positions who came out to support this wonderful event.

Special thanks to Katrina and Christina from Oshawa Storm Ringette who supported this event by bringing music, Snoopy and their helping hands. Also, special thanks to Graham and Devon who assisted with traffic control, Tiffany from Settlement House Foodbank, Cindy from Humane Society, Derek from KX96 and Nick from La Pizza Pasta. My Santa Committee and I really appreciated your wonderful support.

Rudolph and our reindeer team along with our elves had a fun-filled holiday following my deliveries on Christmas Eve and my Head Elf Leroy now has the elves singing and dancing as elves love to do in the toy shop. Singing and dancing is how my elves pour their love into the toys they make. My head reindeer Donner has Rudolph and the other reindeer in training for this year's flight. Exciting eh?

Saving the best for last, Mrs. Claus and I especially want to thank our Santa Committee for their dedication to the Drive Thru Visit with Santa. This event was created in lieu of Oshawa's Annual Santa's Parade of Lights which, due to the pandemic, had to be cancelled for the safety of everyone. When the Drive Thru was suggested, our Committee immediately jumped on board: Phil, Josie, Cindy, Dan, Carole, Lisa, Deanna, Janet, Melody, Terri, Doreen, Carlee, Fred, Sandy,

Jewel, and Judy. Please forgive me if I have missed any of my elves. You are ALL the very best!

Please continue to stay safe, wash your hands, social distance and listen to your mom, dad and grandparents, and we will all get through 2022 safely together!

Remember - Santa is everywhere and always watching!

BIG AIR HUGS TO YOU ALL!

Love Santa