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Caroling at the Carillon

The Thomas Rees Memorial Carillon will again host *Caroling at the Carillon* on Sunday, December 15, from 4:30 – 5:00 pm. *Caroling at the Carillon* is a great way to kick-off the holiday season! Gather around a roaring bonfire and sing Christmas Carols accompanied by the [Rees Carillon](#).

A new addition this year, members of the *Bank of Springfield's Community Involvement Committee* will lead the caroling. Robin Austin, Park District Carillonneur will play the Carillon. There will be a surprise visit by Santa Claus and complimentary hot cocoa and cookies after the concert -- courtesy of *Meijer*.

Arrive early and visit the *Washington Park Botanical Garden's 40th Annual Holiday Floral Show*. The Conservatory will be filled with poinsettias amongst the tropical collection. Poinsettias, tropical plants, and evergreens will overflow the Exhibit Hall for a stunning display.

Caroling at the Carillon is made possible thanks to the support of the Rees Carillon Society, The Carillon Belles and the Washington Park Botanical Garden. For additional information - www.carillon-rees.org or 217-546-3853.

The Thomas Rees Memorial Carillon is one of the largest and finest of the world's carillons. Located in historic Washington Park, the Rees Carillon is the site of numerous free public concerts, exciting community events and the world-renowned International Carillon Festival and Festival Fireworks Display, held each June

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