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Holiday Events in Rhode Island's East Bay 2023

A calendar of happy happenings all December long

By the editors

It's the holiday season and across the East Bay, there's a feeling of magic in the salty air! Local shops, venues, restaurants, and more have planned all kinds of experiences to get neighbors in festive moods, from bustling parties and street fairs to creating gifts and treats at workshops, annual performances, and so much more. And for those little believers, we've called out where to spot that jolly old elf by marking listings with **SANTA!** so you don't miss "one of his helpers" in the wild.

December 31

A Chanler Soirée for New Year's Eve: Send the year off in style with a glamorous night that includes luxe-crafted cocktails, passed hors d'oeuvres, and seafood stations before digging into a lavish four-course dinner. Dancing and a champagne toast caps the night. *Newport*, [TheChanler.com](https://www.thechanler.com)