



2023 Dayton Operation Santa Sleigh

On Saturday, December 23, 2023, Miami Valley First Responders will be participating in the 5th Annual Operation Santa Sleigh, driving a public safety vehicle with their emergency lights on, caravanning to bring cheer to the community with a final stop at Children's Medical Center for those who need it the most. This event will also be occurring simultaneously in nine different cities throughout Ohio, visiting their local Children's and Veteran Hospitals.

This event is organized by *Light Ohio Blue* and comprised of members from public safety agencies throughout the Miami Valley region, many who are off duty, with the desire to spread holiday cheer throughout the community and Dayton Children's Hospital.

Operation Santa Sleigh is partnering with the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police, Buckeye State Sheriff's Association, Ohio State Highway Patrol, and International Association of Fire Fighters to make this event possible.

Staging location: River Park Drive, University of Dayton U1 parking lot, located to the east of the Dayton Marriott Hotel.

Staging Time: 1700 to 1815 Hours

Step Off Time: 1830 Hours

Santa Sleigh 2023 registration: <https://lightohioblue.org/events/>
social media #operationsantassleigh2023

Santa's First Responders' caravan route will be announced at a future date.