

Severe Weather Causing Christkindlmarket to Close Early

Reduced Hours and Early Closure in Aurora, Chicago and Wrigleyville

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Due to the dangerous weather conditions, the <u>Christkindlmarket Chicago</u> and <u>Aurora</u> will reduce their hours and close at 4pm on Thursday, December 22. The <u>Christkindlmarket</u> <u>Wrigleyville</u> will stay closed all day on Thursday, December 22. All three market locations will be closed on Friday, December 23 and Saturday, December 24. As this week marks the end of the season of the Christkindlmarket Chicago and Aurora, visitors are encouraged to visit both locations today or tomorrow.

However, there is still time to enjoy all the food, shopping, and family-friendly fun the German-style holiday market has to offer! The Christkindlmarket Wrigleyville at Gallagher Way will be open daily from December 26 – December 31, 2022.

Further updates about the Christkindlmarket Wrigleyville at Gallagher Way will be posted <u>on</u> <u>the Christkindlmarket website</u> and the <u>Christkindlmarket Wrigleyville Facebook page</u>. More information about the Winterland at Gallagher Way can be found on <u>www.gallagherway.com</u>.

German American Events, LLC's top priority is the safety and security of all visitors, vendors, staff, and partners.

About German American Events, LLC

German American Events LLC, a subsidiary of the <u>German American Chamber of Commerce of</u> <u>the Midwest</u>, is a Chicago-based nonprofit organization that plans and executes the Christkindlmarket Chicago, Wrigleyville, and Aurora. All locations are modeled after the classic German holiday market in Nuremberg, Germany, with traditional candy cane striped huts.

The free outdoor holiday markets host international and local vendors who display and sell hand-crafted ornaments, toys, and special holiday gifts as well as traditional German foods, sweets, and beverages. The markets are rich in cultural tradition and include special events, entertainment and activities that are fun for the whole family.