

# NEWS FROM THE Loneliest Road in America



Pony Express Territory Newsletter

Winter 2018

## Happy Holidays from The Loneliest Road in America!

It's the Perfect Time of Year to Enjoy the Festive Main Streets Along Nevada's Highway 50

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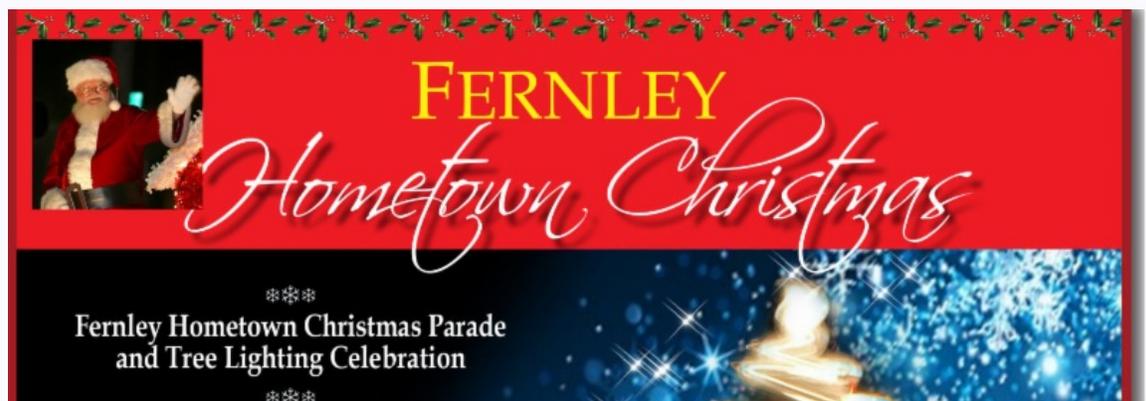


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## Fernley Loves a Parade, Especially When Celebrating the Holidays

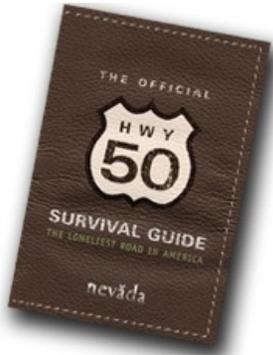
Fernley Christmas Extravaganza and Parade  
Saturday, December 8th



The Fernley 2018 Christmas Extravaganza and Parade takes place on Saturday, December 8th. This event will be followed by "Cocoa with a Cop," and the annual Tree Lighting at the Train Depot.

For more information, visit [fernleychamber.org](http://fernleychamber.org)  
or call (775) 575-4459  
or email [info@fernleychamber.org](mailto:info@fernleychamber.org)

**Request a  
Highway 50  
Loneliest Road  
Survival Guide!**



In July 1986, Life magazine described Nevada's Highway 50 from Ely to Fernley as the "Loneliest Road in America." Life said there were no attractions or points of interest along the 287-mile stretch of road and recommended that drivers have "survival skills" to travel the route.

The Highway 50 Survival Guide is a challenge to travelers to learn for themselves about America's Loneliest Road. Take the trip across Nevada's heartland, stop in any five of the seven largest towns (Austin, Dayton, Eureka, Ely, Fallon, Fernley, and Baker) to get your Official Highway 50 Survival Guide validated and discover it for yourself.

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# Fallon's Maine Street will be Lit Up Once Again

## Annual Christmas Tree Lighting

### Saturday, December 7th



The Town Celebrates the Holiday Season

The City of Fallon features their annual Christmas Tree Lighting on December 7, and Maine Street will once again be aglow. This Christmas tradition is a joyous event in Fallon when the community turns out for carolers, cookies and hot chocolate, the first glimpse of Santa and to watch the Christmas tree light up downtown Maine Street.

For more information, visit [visitfallonnevada.com](http://visitfallonnevada.com) or call the City Hall at (775) 423.5104

# Feel the True Spirit of the Season

## Austin's Live Nativity

Fernley's Christmas Eve Dinner



Tuesday, December 11th



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Make sure everyone knows about everything going on in the middle of Nevada!

Forward to a Friend



Feel the True Spirit of the Season at Austin's Live Nativity

Austin's Live Nativity remains a seasonal favorite each and every year. The festivities take place on Tuesday, December 11, from 6 pm to 8 pm. Always a popular community event, it features local volunteer actors, live animals, and beautiful singing. Afterward, attendees can enjoy cookies, hot chocolate, and a turkey giveaway raffle. Make sure to attend this very special event and get in the holiday spirit!

More information can be found at [AustinNevada.com](http://AustinNevada.com) or call the Austin Chamber at (775) 964-2200.

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## RMEF Eureka Christmas Banquet

Friday, December 7th



Enjoy a  
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for  
**ELK COUNTRY!**

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**EVENT NAME** RMEF Eureka Christmas Banquet

**DATE** Friday, December 7, 2018

**TIME** 6:00 p.m.

**LOCATION** Eureka Opera House Eureka, NV

**INFORMATION** Call or E-Mail Jamie Pritchett  
775-299-1173 jamie\_pritchett@yahoo.com

*Event proceeds benefit elk, other wildlife,  
their habitat and our hunting heritage.*

The town of Eureka is always well-decorated over the holidays, and this year is no different! Take a road trip to "The Friendliest Town on the Loneliest Road" as they ring in the holiday season.

For a complete Eureka events listing, go to [visiteurekanevada.com](http://visiteurekanevada.com).

## Experience the Magic of the Holidays on The Polar Express in Ely

Weekends between Thanksgiving and Christmas.





Experience the magic of Chris Van Allsburg's classic children's book "The Polar Express," as it comes to life on the rails of the Nevada Northern Railway.

This very special journey takes you from Ely, Nevada, on a special trip right to the North Pole. Santa's Elves are honored that Nevada Northern Railway's Polar Express train has been voted as the "Best Special Event in Rural Nevada" by readers of Nevada Magazine. Each passenger to the North Pole are served hot chocolate and cookies while listening to the beloved story of the Polar Express and music from the Polar Express soundtrack. Many of Santa's helpers are on-board to help you enjoy the trip. Everyone experiences that magic moment when the train arrives at the North Pole and Santa Claus himself is waiting! Santa will board The Polar Express and personally present each child their own special gift.

For more information, visit [nnry.com](http://nnry.com) or call toll free, **866-40STEAM (866-407-8326)** or **775-289-2085**.



For more information about what to see and do along Nevada's Highway 50, visit

[loneliestroad.us](http://loneliestroad.us)