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Warm Greetings Planned for St. John's International Airport this Holiday Season

St. John's, NL, Monday, December 4th, 2017 – Throughout the holidays, travellers and their greeters will receive a warm welcome at St. John's International Airport as they encounter live musical performances and holiday décor, including the popular mummer displays that celebrate a Newfoundland Christmas tradition.

“We're delighted to have such a diverse group of performers this year and to showcase the local talent that exists in our community,” said Marie Manning, Director of Marketing and Business Development with the St. John's International Airport Authority. “We look forward to sharing the sounds of the season, as well as highlighting our Newfoundland traditions with everyone travelling through our Airport over the holidays.”

The Airport Authority is once again collecting non-perishable items for the Community Food Sharing Association to help those in need during the holiday season. The drop-off box is conveniently located in the Atrium on the first floor of the Airport Terminal Building, and the Authority is kindly asking those visiting the Airport to consider donating an item.

A list of entertainment throughout the month includes the following:

- *YYT Movie Series* - many family-friendly movies will be playing throughout the holidays and include movies such as, *The Search for Santa Paws*; *Santa Paws 2: The Santa Pups*; *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*; *The Muppet Christmas Carol*; *The Santa Clause*; *Santa Clause 2*, and *Arthur Christmas*. These will be showing on Level One of the Airport Terminal Building, near the arrivals area.
- A schedule of musical events is listed below. These will take place in the Atrium area, located on Level One of the Airport Terminal Building.



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| Strong Harbour Strings | Friday, Dec. 1 | 345pm |
| Rennie's River Elementary | Monday, Dec. 4 | 12 noon |
| Cowan Heights Elementary | Tuesday, Dec. 5 | 12 noon |
| MacDonald Drive Elementary | Wednesday, Dec. 7 | 12 noon |
| Roncalli Elementary | Friday, Dec. 8 | 12 noon |
| MacDonald Dr. Elementary | Thursday, Dec. 11 | 12 noon |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Carollers | Monday, Dec. 11 | 10pm |
| The Anchormen | Tuesday, Dec. 12 | 12 noon |
| Roncalli Elementary | Wednesday, Dec. 13 | 12 noon |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Carollers | Wednesday, Dec. 13 | 10pm |
| Brookeside Intermediate | Friday, Dec. 15 | 12 noon |
| Strong Harbour Strings | Friday, Dec. 15 | 345pm |
| Suzuki Talent Education Sting Quartet | Saturday, Dec. 16 | 12 noon |
| Holy Trinity Elementary | Monday, Dec. 18 | 12 noon |
| Tiffany Village Choir | Monday, Dec. 18 | 2pm |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Carollers | Monday, Dec. 18 | 10pm |
| St. Bonaventure's College | Tuesday, Dec. 19 | 12 noon |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Carollers | Tuesday, Dec. 19 | 10pm |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Carollers | Wednesday, Dec. 20 | 10pm |
| Roncalli Elementary | Thursday, Dec. 21 | 12 noon |
| Strong Harbour Strings | Thursday, Dec. 21 | 345pm |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Carollers | Thursday, Dec. 21 | 10pm |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Full Choir | Friday, Dec. 22 | 11am |
| Quintessential Vocal Ensemble Carollers | Saturday, Dec. 23 | 10pm |

A schedule of all holiday events can be found on the Airport Authority's website: www.stjohnsairport.com. Photos and videos from the Airport events will be posted on its social media channels, including Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/StJohnsInternationalAirport/>, Twitter <https://twitter.com/stjohnsairport>, YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/user/stjohnsintlairport>, and Instagram <https://www.instagram.com/stjohnsairport/>).

St. John's International Airport Authority is a private, not-for-profit organization with the mandate to provide the region with a safe, cost-efficient transportation facility that is a catalyst for economic growth. Under the provisions of a long-term Ground Lease with the Federal Government of Canada, the Airport Authority is responsible for the airport's operations on behalf of the community it serves.



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