

28th
Annual

WINTER WONDERLAND

NOVEMBER 26 - DECEMBER 31, 2025

A drive-thru holiday light display, benefitting TARC in Topeka, KS

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

What does Winter Wonderland raise funds for?

Winter Wonderland is the largest fundraiser for TARC, Inc. in Topeka. The funds raised from the event help TARC continue providing excellent service, support, and advocacy to 2,500 children, families, and adults in Topeka and Shawnee County with developmental, intellectual, and related disabilities and delays.

Is Winter Wonderland open every night, including holidays?

Winter Wonderland opens on Wednesday, November 27, and runs through December 31.

We will be CLOSED to the public the first three Mondays (Dec. 1, Dec. 8, and Dec. 15)

We are open on holidays (Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and New Year's Eve)

What are the hours of Winter Wonderland?

We have NEW nightly hours this year, closing an hour earlier on Sunday through Thursday.

- Sunday-Thursday > 6 pm to 9 pm
- Friday & Saturday > 6 pm to 10 pm

Where is Winter Wonderland located?

The gate entrance to Winter Wonderland is at the Lake Shawnee Campground, 3435 SE East Edge Rd, Topeka, KS 66605 (located off East Edge and SE Croco Road).

Can I walk through Winter Wonderland?

Winter Wonderland is a drive-thru-only event.

How much does it cost to attend the event?

We ask for a suggested donation of \$10 per vehicle or \$20 per large van or bus, per night.

- All donations made at Winter Wonderland benefit TARC, Inc.

Where can I purchase Winter Wonderland tickets?

Tickets can be purchased at the gate or in advance.

- Advance tickets are available at TARC (2701 SW Randolph Ave., Topeka, KS 66611)
 - If you want to purchase a large number of tickets in advance but can't pick them up during business hours, please contact us at 785-232-0597 or WinterWonderlandTopeka@tarcinc.org
 - Tickets at the gate can be purchased with cash, check, credit card, or Venmo @TARC_Inc

Is Winter Wonderland open during rain or snow?

We try to keep the lights on the best we can, but occasionally, we have to close due to the weather.

We will close if the road conditions deem it necessary or if rain/snow creates a challenge.

- Weather-related updates will be posted on our Winter Wonderland website (winterwonderlandtopeka.com), Facebook page (TARC Winter Wonderland), and KSNT News.
- If the weather is questionable, please check before heading out!

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