Christmas in King City arrives Saturday

It's starting to feel a lot like Christmas. At least in King City it is!

The King City Business & Community Association, in partnership with the Township of King, is busy putting the final touches on its 5th annual Christmas in King City celebration this Saturday, Dec. 10. Last year's event was a tremendous success with visitors attending from all parts of York Region and beyond!

Highlights include the tree lighting ceremony at the four corners; roasted chestnuts compliments of the King City Lions Club; specials and booths by local retailers and community groups. Santa will be on hand for photos. Local schools, churches and talented youngsters will entertain with various performances.

Local restaurants are open for business and food vendors will be on hand along Keele Street.

This year's event has the makings of being bigger and better than ever.

Ana Pronio, president of the business association, extends their thanks for event sponsor, BMO Bank of Montreal, and corporate sponsor TD Canada Trust, as well as ?each and every sponsor, association member, vendor, performer and volunteer who has helped make this all possible!?

?Special thanks to our ?Sponsorship Ambassadors' ??Emily Fiorentino (Kids Country) & Maria Ongaro (Trends Realty) our Vice President (Volunteer) ? Agata Olivieri (Maple Drapery) and our organizing committee Annmarie Viola ? (Villanova College), Joanne Di Tulio (Party Couture), Kyle Tobin (Lawnsavers), Melissa Pronio (MP Photography), Jasmine Smith and Maria Ongaro (Trends Realty), our DJ and Master of Ceremonies Trevor White, Amanda Hicks and Tasha Veer (Township of King) and Parks & Recreation for all the behind the scenes preparation.?

A warm invitation is extended to everyone in the community to share some holiday cheer in King City.

The event runs 5 to 9 p.m. and Keele will be closed to accommodate pedestrians.