

Sons of Norway, Nortun Lodge, invites you to participate in

PEPPERKAKEBYEN (translation) GINGERBREAD CITY

Open November 16 to December 16, 2012

Gingerbread City is modeled after Pepperkakebyen in Bergen, Norway, a holiday tradition in which people and organizations from across the city make gingerbread houses for a huge display that is open to the public. Making, eating, and decorating with gingerbread has a long history throughout the Scandinavian countries of Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Iceland, and Finland.

For the 2012 holiday season, individuals, schools, churches, businesses, community clubs, agencies, and area lodges are invited to make their own authentic gingerbread houses and buildings for display in Gingerbread City. The only requirement is that you use real gingerbread - the rest is up to your imagination! We encourage houses, public buildings, landmarks, and creations unique to your neighborhood/area so that Gingerbread City is reflective of our beautiful area.

Deadline: Gingerbread City will be on display at the Nordic Center, 21 North Lake Avenue, Duluth, MN. You may drop off your gingerbread creation from 10 am to 5 pm, November 10th & 11th. Please label for display and identification. Following the closing of Gingerbread City in mid December, you may pick up your house/building for your holiday enjoyment.

Gingerbread City will open to the public on November 16 prior to the Christmas City of the North Parade.

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