

HOW TO HACK THE HOLIDAYS IN DALLAS

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Everyone has different ways of approaching the holiday season, from upholding long-running traditions to indulging in newly discovered delights. It's no different here at D Magazine, where our staff celebrates with card-making parties, rounds of Old Fashioneds, and (yes) camel costumes, among plenty of other festive pursuits. Maybe you can add some of their suggestions on the pages that follow to your own itinerary.



Eatzi's Market & Bakery

Thanksgiving musts are more about food. We mostly pick up all the sides from Eatzi's—they come out with holiday menus to order in advance—plus a ham from Honey Baked Ham. For Christmas, we always go to the downtown Neiman's for fun shopping, lunch at The Zodiac, and see Santa from afar because heaven forbid my 13-year-old be seen on his lap. For lights, we have to hit up Highland Park Village, the "Santa House" on Southwestern and the Tolleson estate on Hunters Glen Road because their Christmas lights are insane.