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## ORANGEVILLE NORTHMEN WELCOME SANTA CLAUS TO TOWN

TORONTO, ON – November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021 – Both holiday spirit and community lacrosse passion were on full display as Santa Claus made his annual pre-Christmas appearance down Broadway St. in Orangeville, ON last Saturday afternoon. A mixture of Northmen players from Orangeville's box, field, women's field and Junior "B" teams joined Salty the mascot as the parade greeted a large number of residents who lined the streets. Participating players were proudly adorned with their Orangeville Northmen jerseys and recent provincial championship medals.

"The kids loved it, they just had so much fun. Community presence, visibility and unity are incredibly important to Northmen lacrosse culture," said Kim Bovaird, VP Rep of the Orangeville Northmen Lacrosse executive. "It was so good for our players to see each other again, and to get excited about wearing their Northmen jerseys in the upcoming 2022 season."

When reached for comment about what it was like to have lacrosse players clearing the path ahead, Santa Claus remarked, "Ho ho ho! Couldn't do it without lacrosse players! Thanks to the good Northmen boys and girls for the big assist!"











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