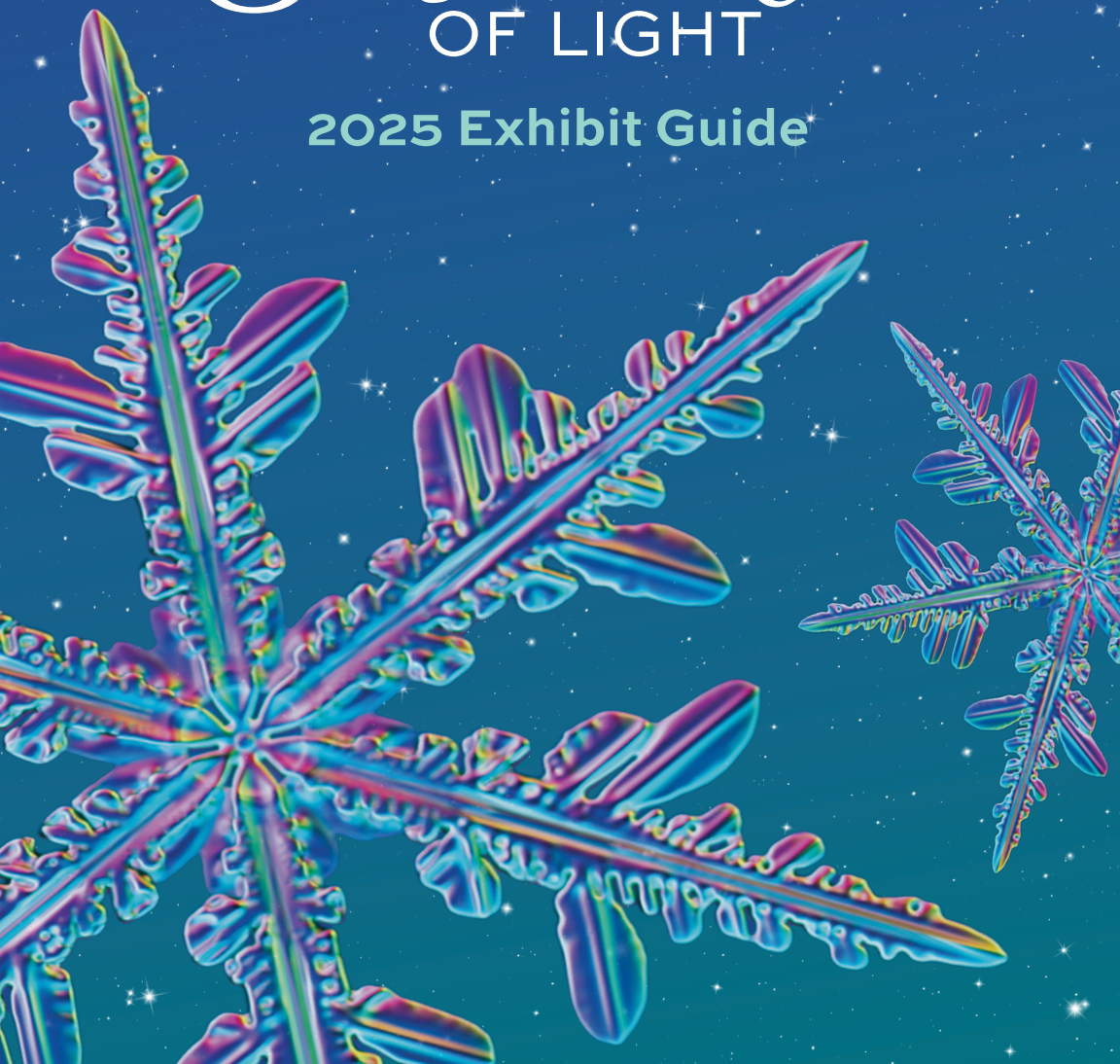




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Christmas AROUND THE WORLD & Holidays OF LIGHT

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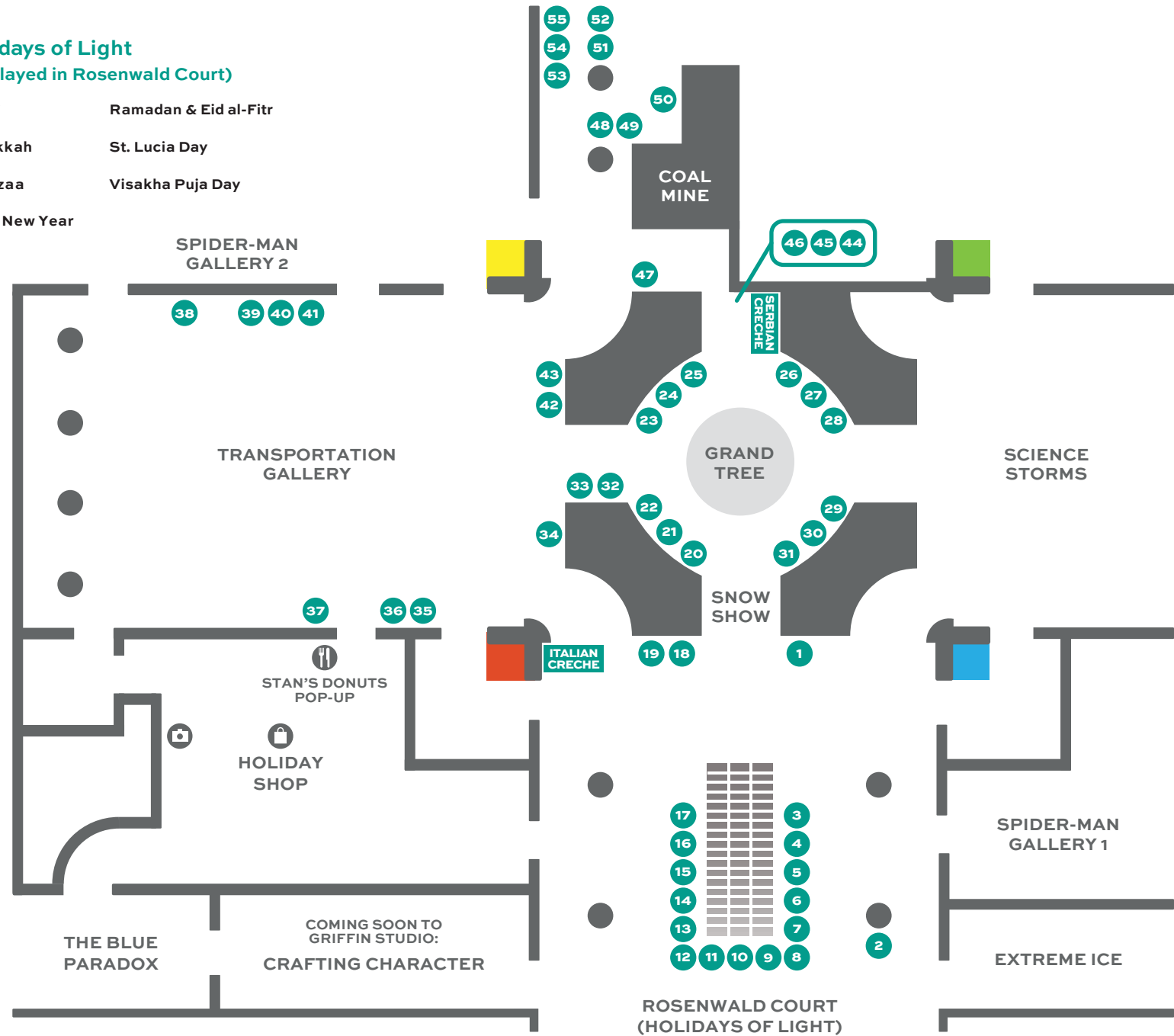


TREE AND DISPLAY MAP

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| 30 Assyria | 22 Italy |
| 36 Australia | 15 Japan |
| 55 Austria | 8 Latvia |
| 47 Belarus | 18 Lebanon |
| 10 Belgium | 44 Lithuania |
| 19 Belize | 16 Luxembourg |
| 45 Bolivia | 12 Mexico |
| 48 Bosnia & Herzegovina | 1 Native America |
| 54 Bulgaria | 35 Netherlands |
| 25 Canada | 40 Nigeria |
| 4 China | 42 Norway |
| 13 Colombia | 50 Philippines |
| 21 Croatia | 53 Poland |
| 52 Czech Republic | 9 Puerto Rico |
| 38 Denmark | 37 Republic of Kenya |
| 3 Ecuador | 29 Romania |
| 6 Egypt | 2 Russia |
| 49 England | 43 Scotland |
| 41 Estonia | 5 Slovakia |
| 7 Finland | 26 Slovenia |
| 39 France | 27 South Korea |
| 34 Germany | 24 Sweden |
| 17 Greece | 11 Switzerland |
| 51 Guatemala | 31 Thailand |
| 46 Hungary | 23 Ukraine |
| 14 Iceland | 32 United States |
| 28 India | 20 Wales |
| 33 Ireland | |

Holidays of Light (displayed in Rosenwald Court)

Diwali	Ramadan & Eid al-Fitr
Hanukkah	St. Lucia Day
Kwanzaa	Visakha Puja Day
Lunar New Year	



CREATING HOLIDAY MEMORIES SINCE 1942

At the height of World War II, the president of the Museum, Lenox Lohr, started this holiday tradition to bring joy to the Chicago community during an uncertain time. The festivities originally featured just one tree that was completely redecorated each day for 12 days to honor the nations the United States fought alongside.

This simple seed of unity has blossomed into *Christmas Around the World and Holidays of Light*. Now with more than 60 representations of holiday cheer, guests can experience seasonal traditions from across the globe. Stroll through dozens of Christmas trees lovingly decorated by volunteer organizations and explore celebrations of light, including Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, Diwali and more.



HOLIDAY SHOP

Stock up in our Holiday Shop with festive decorations representing cultural traditions from around the world. Whether you're looking for a special holiday gift or something unique to add to your collection, this is a must-see destination during your visit.

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