



**Grand Haven**  
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CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU

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[visitgrandhaven.com](http://visitgrandhaven.com)

## March 2016 | Events Newsletter

**First Friday Art Hop****Friday, March 4 | 6 - 8pm**

Various Locations | Downtown Grand Haven

[Facebook Page](#), (616) 935-7337

Join downtown merchants & local artists for this monthly event. There will be more than 15 businesses participating. Stop in and out of a variety of stores to meet local artists and see their works. Free.

**West Michigan Symphony: Beethoven & Blue Jeans****Friday, March 4 | 7:30 - 9:30pm**

Frauenthal Center for Performing Arts

425 Western Ave. | Muskegon

[westmichigansymphony.org](http://westmichigansymphony.org), (231) 726-3231 x 226

West Michigan Symphony tackles Beethoven's first astonishing symphony, in which the young composer asserted his highly individual voice. Tickets are \$20-\$49.

**C2C Gallery Art Exhibit****Friday, March 4 | 6 - 8pm**

C2C Gallery

104 Washington Ave. | Grand Haven

[c2cgallery.com](http://c2cgallery.com), (616) 935-7337

Exhibit opening of "A Contemporary Look at Our Natural World" which features the pencil drawings of E.P. Lewandowski. Enjoy art and listen to live music by guitarist Greg Miller. Free to public.

**"Grease" the Musical****Friday, March 4-12 | 7:30 - 9:30pm**

White Pines Intermediate School

900 Cutler St. | Grand Haven

[centralparkplayers.org](http://centralparkplayers.org), (616) 850-6566

Dust off your leather jacket, pull on your bobby-socks and take a trip to a simpler time as 'bad boy' Danny and 'the girl next door' Sandy take the stage for the popular musical Grease. Tickets are \$12.

**Spanish Tapas Wine Tasting****Thursday, March 10 | 6:30 - 9pm**

Sandy Point Beach House

7175 Lakeshore Dr. | West Olive

[Facebook Page](#), (616) 796-8210

Sandy Point Beach House is preparing a delicious six course dinner featuring Spanish wines. The event is hosted by James Vanderklok of i-lixer Beverage. \$65 admission.

**Spring Thaw Pub & Grub****Friday, March 12 | 10am - 5pm**

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2326

20 N. First St. | Grand Haven

[vfwpost2326.org](http://vfwpost2326.org), (616) 842-6210

Melt away your winter blues with tacos, margaritas, and music! Eat, drink, and dance to some tunes at this event taking place in downtown Grand Haven. \$3 for two tacos and \$1 for each margarita sample.

**Music at the Museum: Brian Vander Ark****Friday, March 18 | 6-9pm**

Tri-Cities Historical Museum

Downtown Grand Haven

[Facebook Page](#), (616) 842-0700

Michigan native and musical success Brian Vander Ark is performing with Channing and Quinn, a two piece duo, at Tri-Cities Historical Museum. \$15 Admission.

**Sandy Point Beach House Beer Tasting****Wednesday, March 24 | 6:30 - 10pm**

Sandy Point Beach House

7175 Lakeshore Dr. | West Olive

[Facebook Page](#), (616) 796-8210

Join Sandy Point Beach House for a beer tasting featuring Grand Armory Brewing Co. The event consists of small plates paired with beers from Grand Armory Brewing, from Grand Haven. \$55 admission.

**Easter Egg Hunt****Saturday, March 26 | 11am - Noon**

Grand Haven Central Park

421 Columbus Ave. | Downtown Grand Haven

[grandhaven.org](http://grandhaven.org), (616) 842-3210

A fun holiday event for kids up to age 10. There are over 5,000 Easter eggs filled with candy & prizes to be found throughout Central Park. Free.

**Easter Egg Hunt****Saturday, March 26 | 10 - 11am**

Spring Lake Central Park

808 Central Ave. | Downtown Spring Lake

[slheritagefestival.com](http://slheritagefestival.com), (616) 842-1393

A fun holiday event for kids up to age 10. There are over 5,000 Easter eggs filled with candy & prizes to be found throughout Central Park. Free.

*Get Social With Us!*

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***NOTE: Event dates & times are subject to change. Please call to confirm or to obtain event details.*****For a complete calendar of events: [www.visitgrandhaven.com](http://www.visitgrandhaven.com) or call 616.842.4499**

# Ongoing Activities

See our website for a full list of upcoming activities & events!  
[VisitGrandHaven.com](http://VisitGrandHaven.com)

## Ottawa County Parks Programs (616) 738-4810 [miottawa.org/parks/](http://miottawa.org/parks/)

**Nature Education Center**  
 8115 West Olive Rd, West Olive  
 (616) 786-4847, [miottawa.org/parks](http://miottawa.org/parks)  
 Tuesday - Saturday | 9am - 5pm  
 Sunday | Noon - 5pm

**Coffee With Birds** Sat., Mar. 5  
 @ Hemlock Crossing 9:30am - Noon

**Winter or Spring Hike** Sat, Mar. 12  
 @ Hemlock Crossing 2:30 - 3:30pm

**Astronomy** Sat., Mar. 12  
 @ The Nature Center:  
 The Spring Sky 7 - 8:30pm

**Wildlife Encounter** Sat., Mar. 19  
 @ Hemlock Crossing 3 - 4pm

**Equinox Expedition** Sun., Mar. 20  
 @ Hemlock Crossing 3 - 4pm

## Cooking Classes **Artisan of Grand Haven**

1322 Washington Ave., Grand Haven  
[artisanofgrandhaven.com](http://artisanofgrandhaven.com), (616) 296-9200  
 Offering great classes for those who want to learn to cook like the pros or just get more comfortable in their own kitchen. Offering both demonstration style classes and hands-on classes, for adults and children. Visit website for class schedule.

## Line Dancing

**The Pipeline Smokehouse & Bar**  
 9104 US 31, West Olive  
**Wednesdays, Fridays & Saturdays | 8pm**  
 (616) 738-0088, [pipelinebbq.com](http://pipelinebbq.com)

**Grand Haven Elks Building**  
 15 S. Third St.  
**Saturday nights 7:30 - 10:30pm**  
 (231) 798-1341, [westmichiganbootscooters.com](http://westmichiganbootscooters.com)  
 \$6/adults, \$3/students.

**Coopersville Farm Museum**  
 375 Main St., Coopersville  
**Friday nights through February | 7-9pm**  
 (616) 997-8555, [coopersvillefarmmuseum.org](http://coopersvillefarmmuseum.org)  
 Lessons provided, followed by open dancing.  
 \$5 per person.

## Seven Steps Up **Live Music & Event Venue** (231) 557-7687 [sevenstepsup.com](http://sevenstepsup.com)

**Pin Drop Concerts**  
 116 S. Jackson St., Spring Lake  
[pindropconcerts.com](http://pindropconcerts.com)

**Rivers & Rust** Fri., Mar. 4  
 Tickets Start @ \$35 8pm

**Rose Cousins** Fri., Mar. 11  
 Tickets Start @ \$20 8pm

**Brian Dunne** Sat., Mar. 12  
 Tickets Start @ \$18 8pm

**Honeyhoney + Ryan Joseph Anderson** Sun., Mar. 13  
 Tickets Start @ \$25 7pm

**Ruth & Max Bloomquist** Fri., Mar. 18  
 Tickets Start @ \$18 8pm

**Ken Yates + Jesse Terry** Sat., Mar. 19  
 Tickets Start @ \$20 8pm

**Comedy Night at Jack's, Spring Lake**  
**Every Thursday at 9:30pm**  
 940 W. Savidge, Spring Lake  
[higrandhaven.com](http://higrandhaven.com), (616) 846-1370  
 Two stand up performances every week.

**Trivia Night at Odd Side Ales, Grand Haven**  
**Every Tuesday at 8pm**  
 41 Washington, [oddsideales.com](http://oddsideales.com), (616) 935-7326  
 Free trivia competition for cash prizes.  
 Teams of all sizes welcome to compete.

**Vinyl Night Wednesdays @ Grand Armory**  
**Every Wednesday at 7:30pm**  
 Grand Armory Brewing | [grandarmorybrewing.com](http://grandarmorybrewing.com)  
 DJ Dons will be spinning his favorites and your welcome to bring your favorite records.

## Little Stitches **Sewing classes**

41 Washington Ave., Grand Haven  
[littlestitchesstudio.com](http://littlestitchesstudio.com), (616) 843-7146

## SilverFire Studios

**Metal clay and glass fusing classes**  
 219 N. 7th St., Suite 4B, Grand Haven  
[silverfirestudios.com](http://silverfirestudios.com), (616) 402-3145

## The Creative Fringe **Jewelry making classes**

210 Washington Ave., Grand Haven  
[thecreativefringe.com](http://thecreativefringe.com), (616) 296-0020

## Studio JSD

**Metalsmithing classes, jewelry fabrication & more**  
 219 N. 7th St., Suite 4, Grand Haven  
[studiojsd.com](http://studiojsd.com), (616) 607-2470

## Armory Art Center

**Art classes & workshops**  
 17 S. 2nd St., Grand Haven  
[armoryartcenter.com](http://armoryartcenter.com), (616) 402-6979

## Dreese Fine Art & Framing

**Painting parties**  
 8 N. Ferry, Grand Haven  
[dreesefineart.com](http://dreesefineart.com), (616) 402-4868

# Wine, Beer & Hard Cider Tasting

**12 Corners Winery**  
**Wine Tastings Daily**  
 Thursday | Noon-6pm  
 Friday & Saturday | 1-7pm  
 Sunday | Noon-5pm

41 Washington, Suite 144, Grand Haven  
[12corners.com](http://12corners.com), (616) 414-7070

## Odd Side Ales **Microbrewery**

**Sunday | Noon-8pm**  
**Monday-Thursday | Noon-11pm**  
**Friday & Saturday | Noon-12am**  
 41 Washington Ave., Grand Haven  
[oddsideales.com](http://oddsideales.com), (616) 935-7326

## Grand Armory Brewing **Microbrewery**

**Monday - Thursday | 3-10pm**  
**Friday | 3pm-12am**  
**Saturday | Noon-12am**  
**Sunday | Noon-8pm**  
 17 S. 2nd St., Grand Haven  
[grandarmorybrewing.com](http://grandarmorybrewing.com), (616) 843-0530

## Lemon Creek Winery Tasting Room

**Wine Tastings Daily**  
**Monday-Saturday | Noon-7pm**  
**Sundays | 12-5pm**  
 327 N. Beacon Blvd., Grand Haven  
[lemoncreekwinery.com](http://lemoncreekwinery.com), (616) 844-1709

## Dutch Girl Brewery **Microbrewery**

**Sunday | Noon-8pm**  
**Tuesday-Thursday | Noon-10pm**  
**Friday & Saturday | Noon-11pm**  
 14964 Cleveland St., Spring Lake  
[dutchgirlbrewery.com](http://dutchgirlbrewery.com), (616) 607-2026

## Santo Stefano del Lago

**Wine Tastings Every Saturday**  
**11am-5pm**  
 12 Washington Ave., Grand Haven  
[santo-stefano.com](http://santo-stefano.com), (616) 844-9060

## Vander Mill

**Hard Cider Tastings Daily**  
**Sunday-Thursday | 11am-9pm**  
**Friday & Saturday | 11am-10pm**  
 14921 Cleveland St., Spring Lake  
[vandermill.com](http://vandermill.com), (616) 842-4337

**Old Boys' Brewhouse**  
**Microbrewery & Restaurant**  
**Sunday | 12-8pm**  
**Monday-Thursday | 11:30am-10pm**  
**Friday & Saturday | 11:30am-12am**  
 971 W. Savidge St., Spring Lake  
[oldboysbrewhouse.com](http://oldboysbrewhouse.com), (616) 850-9950

## Trail Point Brewing Company **Microbrewery**

**Sunday | 1-10pm**  
**Monday | 5-10pm**  
**Wednesdays & Thursday | 2-10pm**  
**Friday & Saturday | Noon-12am**  
 6035 Lake Michigan Dr., Allendale  
[trailpointbrewing.com](http://trailpointbrewing.com), (616) 895-2739