



January and February 2019 | Events Newsletter

Grand Haven NYE Ball Drop & Fireworks

Monday, Dec. 31 | 11:45pm

First three blocks of Washington Ave., Grand Haven
downtowngh.com; (616) 844-1188

Celebrate the end of 2018 and the beginning of 2019 by watching the ball drop in downtown Grand Haven! Gather along Washington Avenue & 1st Street in downtown before the stroke of midnight – all ages welcome. Stay for the fireworks. Free.

Wine About Winter

Friday, January 18, 2019 | 5-9:30pm

Downtown Grand Haven
downtowngh.com

A one day event showcasing local artists and great wines in an ice-free, walkable downtown. Bring friends and make new ones as you explore our charming downtown. This year's theme is "Our Tenth Anniversary Celebration" come and enjoy new vintages and vineyards from around the world.

Winterfest

Thursday-Sunday, Jan 24-27

Downtown Grand Haven

winterfestmi.org/schedule; (616) 296-0823

There's no better way to beat the winter blues than to embrace them. Come join in the festivities that will surely make you a winter lover. From the iconic cardboard sled race, glow blow, family dog pull and bonfire bash. This is the definitively the highlight of the season!

Snow Jam, Spring Lake Rotary Club

Friday, Feb. 15-16

Spring Lake & Grand Haven
rotarysnowjam.com

The 8th annual Snow Jam Festival and Euchre Tournament. The Festival features activities for the entire family including sledding, ice skating, the Snow Jam Dart Tournament, food & beverages, live music and the Grand Haven vs. Spring Lake Old Boys Hockey Match. This family friendly event raises funds for the Spring Lake Rotary's service initiatives locally and international efforts.

Restaurant Week

Saturday, Feb 18-24

Washington Ave., Grand Haven
downtowngh.com; (616) 844-1188

Discover old and new favorites as you explore eateries in Grand Haven's Main Street district during Restaurant Week. At participating eateries, you will find special menus or featured selections for Restaurant Week.

Frozen in Time-live Mannequin Event

Saturday, Feb 23. | 2-4pm

Washington Ave., Grand Haven
downtowngh.com; (616)-844-1188

In February, when it's freezing outside, Grand Haven Main Street businesses will display live mannequins in their windows related to the selected theme of "movies". Correctly match all scenes and enter a drawing for cash and prizes at the awards ceremony immediately following.

15th Annual Coopersville Chili Cook-off

Saturday, Feb 23. | 11am-1pm

Coopersville Farm Museum and Event Center
coopersvillefarmmuseum.org

Come taste and vote for your favorite chili recipes at the Coopersville Farm Museum! Admission is free or you can become part of the competition by entering your famous recipe for \$10 a team. Tastes/Votes are 2 for \$1 or 12 for \$5. The Homemade Jam Band will be performing from 11am-1pm inside the Coopersville Farm Museum.

Night March Hoffmaster State Park

Saturday, Feb 23. | 6-9pm

P. J. Hoffmaster State Park
fortunebay.org

A night time training hike at the P.J. Hoffmaster State Park. This training will couple the hazards of winter travel, with those of darkness. We will face soft sand, steep hills, ice, snow, brutal winds, and darkness. Depending on weather, we may have an opportunity to provide some celestial navigation instruction. This event is free and open to the public.



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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 or call 616.842.4499

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Ongoing Activities

See our website for a full list of upcoming activities & events!

Local Libraries & Events

Visit Websites for Current Event Listings

Loutit District Library

407 Columbus Ave., Grand Haven
loutitlibrary.org, (616) 842-5560

Spring Lake District Library

123 E. Exchange St., Spring Lake
sllib.org, (616) 846-5770

Coopersville Area District Library

333 Ottawa, Coopersville
coopersvillelibrary.org, (616) 837-6809

Allendale Library

6175 Library Lane, Allendale
allendalelibrary.org, (616) 895-5178

Pigeon Creek Park - Winter Fun

12524 Stanton Dr., West Olive
Miottawa.org/parks, (616) 738-9531

Park Hours

Daily | 7am to 8pm*

*Open until 10pm with hills and trails lighted during satisfactory snow conditions.

Lodge Hours

Monday - Thursday | 4 - 8pm

Fridays | 1 - 10pm

Saturdays | 9am - 10pm

Sundays | 9am - 8pm

*Lodge is open only during satisfactory snow conditions.

Offering a variety of winter activities including cross country skiing, snowshoeing, sledding, rentals, ski clinics, concessions, and more. There are no entry or trail fees. Two hour ski and snowshoe rentals are \$6-\$8.

SilverFire Studios

Metal, clay, and glass fusing classes

41 Washington Ave., Ste. 387, Grand Haven
silverfirestudios.com, (616) 402-3145

Visitors Center

225 Franklin Ave.,
 Grand Haven
 (616) 842.4499
visitgrandhaven.com

Hours:
 Monday - Friday
 10am-4pm

Closed Weekends &
 Holidays

Mulligan's Hollow

Thurs. / Fri. 4:00-8:00 pm

Sat. / Sun 11:00 am -6:00 pm

(11:00am - 6:00 pm

GHAPS holidays + Snow days only)

Visit www.mulliganshollow.com for pass rates.

Remember, parents ski free with kids!

The Creative Fringe

Jewelry making classes

117 Washington Ave., Grand Haven
thecreativefringe.com, (616) 296-0020

Studio JSD

Metalsmithing classes, jewelry fabrication & more

219 N. 7th St., Suite 4, Grand Haven
studiojsd.com, (616) 607-2470

Seven Steps Up Live Music & Event Venue

(231) 557-7687

sevenstepsup.com

Pin Drop Concerts 2019

116 S. Jackson St., Spring Lake
pindropconcerts.com

Charlie Mars
 Tickets Start @ \$25

Sat., Jan. 5
 8:00 pm

Cameron Blake
 Tickets Start @ \$20

Fri., Jan. 11
 8 pm

Annagail
 Tickets Start @ \$15

Fri., Jan. 18
 8 pm

Cheyli Wright
 Tickets Start @ \$32

Thur., Jan. 24
 7:30 pm

Cooking Classes

Artisan of Grand Haven

1322 Washington Ave., Grand Haven
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.

Visit website for more info on "Dinner and a Chef", "Dinner and a Demo", booking a private event and more!

Armory Art Center

Art classes & workshops

17 S. 2nd St., Grand Haven
armoryartcenter.com, (616) 402-6979

Dreese Fine Art & Framing

Painting parties

8 N. Ferry, Grand Haven
dreeseart.com, (616) 402-4868

Wine, Beer & Hard Cider Tasting

12 Corners Winery

Wine Tastings Daily

Wednesday & Thursday | Noon-6pm

Friday & Saturday | 1-7pm

Sunday | Noon-5pm

41 Washington, Suite 144, Grand Haven
12corners.com, (616) 414-7070

Odd Side Ales

Brewery

Sunday | Noon-8pm

Monday-Thursday | Noon-10pm

Friday & Saturday | Noon-12am

41 Washington Ave., Grand Haven
oddsidaales.com, (616) 935-7326

Grand Armory Brewing

Brewery

Monday-Thursday | 3-10pm

Friday | Noon-12am

Saturday | Noon-12am

Sunday | Noon-8pm

17 S. 2nd St., Grand Haven
grandarmorybrewing.com, (616) 414-7822

Lemon Creek Winery Tasting Room

Wine Tastings Daily

Monday-Saturday | Noon-7pm

Sundays | 12-5pm

327 N. Beacon Blvd., Grand Haven
lemoncreekwinery.com, (616) 844-1709

Old Boys' Brewhouse

Brewery & Restaurant

Sunday | Noon-8pm

Monday-Thursday | 11:30am-10pm

Friday & Saturday | 11:30am-12am

971 W. Savidge St., Spring Lake
oldboysbrewhouse.com, (616) 850-9950

Vander Mill

Hard Cider Tastings Daily

Wednesday & Thursday | 2-9pm

Friday | 2-10pm

Saturday | 11am-10pm

Sunday Brunch | 10am-2pm
 14921 Cleveland St., Spring Lake
vandermill.com, (616) 842-4337

Santo Stefano del Lago

Wine Tastings Every Saturday

11am-5pm

12 Washington Ave., Grand Haven
santo-stefano.com, (616) 844-9060

Trail Point Brewing Company

Brewery

Sunday | 1-8pm

Monday-Thursday | 3-10pm

Friday & Saturday | Noon-12am

6035 Lake Michigan Dr., Allendale
trailpointbrewing.com, (616) 895-2739

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