## Grand Haven AREA CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU

# September 2024 | Event Newsletter

## Annual Labor Day Bridge Walk

## Monday, September 2 | 9-11am

**3rd Street Bridge to Grand Trunk Depot | Grand Haven | Facebook** Starting at the 3rd Street Bridge at 9am and ending at the Grand Trunk Depot, this scenic walk is a great way to celebrate Labor Day. Be sure to stick around for prize drawings at the end!

## Grand Haven Farmers Market

## Wednesdays & Saturdays, September 4, 7, 11, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28 8am-1pm | 301 N. Harbor Drive, Grand Haven | Website Take home fresh Michigan-grown produce, flowers, and baked goods from farmers & vendors at the Grand Haven Farmers Market.

### Spring Lake Farm and Garden Market

Thursdays, September 5, 12, 19, 26 | 9am-2pm Tanglefoot Park | 312 W. Exchange Street, Spring Lake | Website Gather together with surrounding communities to support small business owners and local farmers.

## Holland Haven Marathon

Sunday, September 8 | 7:30am-2pm Rosy Mound Elementary | 14016 Lakeshore Avenue, Grand Haven Website

This is a USATF-certified Boston Marathon qualifying race. This event is a point-to-point marathon that follows Lakeshore Drive into downtown Holland.

## Wicked Grand Haven Township Historic Cemetery Tour

Tuesday, September 10 | 6-7pm Grand Haven Cemetery | 12604 168th Avenue, Grand Haven Website

Embark on a spine-chilling journey through the hallowed grounds of Grand Haven Township Cemetery. The tour is weather permitting.

## M-45 Celebration

### Saturday, September 14 | 9am-11pm | <u>Facebook Page</u> Allendale Park | 11048 68th Avenue, Allendale

The first annual M-45 celebration includes a craft & vendor fair, the Leprino M45 (4.5 miles) Run & a 1.5-mile free family walk, carnival rides, free kid zone, a cornhole tournament, live music, a cider and beer tent, a food fest, a drone show, and fun for all ages!

## Craft & Vendor Fair

Saturday, September 14 | 10am-2pm | <u>Website</u> Coopersville Middle School, Coopersville Enjoy crafts, live music, food, a quilt show, and more.

### Vintage Rails, Ales, and Wine Train

Friday, September 20 | 7-8:30pm

### Coopersville and Marne Railway | 306 Main Street, Coopersville Website

Enjoy your choice of wine, beer, or beverage with a flavorful charcuterie board and vintage tunes while riding on an evening train harkening back to the age of rail travel! Tickets must be purchased ahead of time, make sure to do so before they're gone!

## <u>Hispanic Heritage Festival</u>

#### Saturday, September 21 | 11am-10:30pm

#### Lynne Sherwood Waterfront Stadium, Grand Haven | Website

This festival highlights Latin American cultures and pays tribute to the generations of Hispanic Americans who have positively influenced and enriched our nation and society.

## "A Walk in the Woods" Pop-Up Art Sale

Sunday, September 22 | 1-4pm

#### Duncan Park | 1113 Sheldon Road, Grand Haven | Facebook

Artists will line the paved path through the woods and sell work at various prices. Find ceramics, jewelry, paintings, pastels, fiber arts, glass, sculpture, photography, and more.

#### Pumpkins at Chinook Pier hosted by The Chamber of Commerce Saturday, September 28 | 10-11am

## Chinook Pier | 301 N Harbor Drive, Grand Haven | Website

This is a free, family-fun pumpkin decorating event. Pumpkins and supplies will be provided to all children (while supplies last).

## BurZurk Brewing's OktoburZfest

Saturday, September 28 | 2-11pm

BurZurk Brewing Co. | 1442 Washington Ave, Grand Haven | Website

BurZurk's annual Oktoberfest! Live music, food trucks, beer, and more.

## Visitors Center Location | 512 Washington Avenue, Grand Haven, MI <u>VisitGrandHaven.com</u> | 616.842.4499 Monday - Friday 9am-5pm | Closed Weekends & Holidays

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## LIVE MUSIC

#### Porto Bello (Grand Haven)

Thursdays @ 6-9pm | Local Musicians Friday-Saturday @ 6-10pm | Local Musicians

#### Lucy's Backyard (Grand Haven)

September 6 @ 7pm | Izzy Joy September 8 @ 12pm | Elijah Russ September 14 @ 7pm | Jesse Ray September 28 @ 7pm | Carl Webb

#### Grand Armory Brewing Company (Grand Haven)

September 3 @ 6:30pm | Vinyl Night September 5 @ 6:30pm | Gabrial James September 17 @ 6:30pm | Vinyl Night September 24 @ 6:30pm | Vinyl Night

#### Coopersville Brewing Company (Coopersville)

September 3 @ 6pm | Two Dudes in Flip Flops September 6 @ 6pm | Jess Williard September 7 @ 6pm | Nina Sophia September 13 @ 6pm | Funk by the Dump September 21 @ 6pm | Luke Cunningham

#### The Kirby House (Grand Haven)

September 14 & 15 @ 9pm | Sophia Macintosh September 28 @ 9pm | SilentBark

#### **Odd Side Ales (Grand Haven)**

September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 @ 5pm Sunday Night Shakedown

## GAME NIGHTS

**Coopersville Brewing Company (Coopersville)** Trivia Nights | September 4, 11, 18, 25 @ 7pm

Farmhaus Cider Co. (Hudsonville) Trivia Nights | September 5, 12, 19, 26 @ 7pm

Grand Armory Brewing Company (Grand Haven) Euchre | September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 @ 1:30pm

**Odd Side Ales (Grand Haven)** Trivia Nights | September 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 @ 7pm

Trail Point Brewing Company (Allendale) Trivia Nights | September 3, 10, 17, 24 @ 7pm

**Burzurk Brewing (Grand Haven)** Trivia Night | September 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 @ 7pm \*Reservation only, through Facebook

# **Ottawa County Parks Programs & Events**

Nature Education Center | 8115 West Olive Rd., West Olive | 616.786.4847 | Unless otherwise noted, registration is required and most programs are recommended for ages 12+. For more information and to download the events newsletter visit miottawa.org/parks

### **Bird Walk**

#### September 4 | 8-10am | Ottawa Sands

On these guided bird walks, you will search for warblers, sparrows, and more varieties of birds. Be prepared for muddy and wet trails. Ages 12+. Registration encouraged.

#### **Public Observing**

#### September 6, 13, 20, 27 | 8-11pm | Hemlock Crossing

View the stars at the observatory at Hemlock Crossing Park. Be sure to arrive before the park gates close at 10pm.

#### Naturally Speaking

#### September 12 | 7-8:30pm | Hemlock Crossing

Be the first to know about what's happening in Ottawa County Parks! Join parks staff as they update the public on current and upcoming parks projects! Ages 12+. Registration encouraged.

#### Astronomy Program

#### September 14 | 8-9pm | Hemlock Crossing

Join the Shoreline Amateur Astronomical Association for an astronomy presentation in the Nature Center. View the sky through the telescope afterward. Ages 12+. Registration encouraged.

#### Wildflower Walks

#### September 15 | 2-3pm | Hemlock Crossing

On this casual hike, you'll experience the variety of prairie wildflowers blooming in our parks through the summer. Ages 12+. Registration encouraged.

#### **Tuned into Nature**

#### September 18 | 9:30-10:30am | Hemlock Crossing

Kids can bring their favorite grown up to sing songs, dance, and learn about nature together. You'll spend time making and moving to music based on a nature theme. Ages 2-4. Registration required.

#### Family Fun Day

#### September 21 | 10am-4pm | Connor Bayou

Ride in the replica Gabagouache Canoe and experience a bit of what life was like during the fur trade of the 1700's. Registration encouraged.

#### Family Campfire

#### September 27 | 8-9:30pm | Pigeon Creek Park

As evening falls upon the woods, gather around the campfire to make S'mores and engage in various campfire activities. All ages are welcome. Registration is required.

# Wine, Beer, & Hard Cider Tastings

#### 12 Corners Winery

41 Washington Ave., Grand Haven 12corners.com | 616.414.7070

**Burzurk Brewing Company** 1442 Washington Ave., Grand Haven 5025 Stanton St., Hudsonville

Coopersville Brewing Company 1275 Randall St., Coopersville coopersvillebrewing.com | 616.384.3364

Farmhaus Cider Company

burzukbrewing.com | 616.414.7775 farmhauscider.com | 616.920.1867

#### Odd Side Ales

41 Washington Ave., Grand Haven oddsideales.com | 616.935.7326

#### Grand Armory Brewing

Fox and Hen Vineyards

Trail Point Brewing Company

6035 Lake Michigan Dr., Allendale

trailpointbrewing.com | 616.895.2739

17 S. 2nd St., Grand Haven 13373 104th Ave., Grand Haven grandarmorybrewing.com | 616.414.7822 foxandhenwinery.com | 616.291.7067

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