

# NORTHVILLE TIMES

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## June Calendar of Events

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June 1, 2009

## Art in the Sun June 27 - 28

Downtown Northville comes alive with its annual juried art show, "Art in the Sun", presented by the Northville Arts Commission. The streets of Downtown Northville will close to exhibit a brilliant display of art featuring over 100 exhibitors from surrounding states who take part in this annual festive juried art show. Unique products, the Victorian atmosphere, special sales by downtown merchants and entertainment further provide a festive atmosphere in which to spend an afternoon.

Art in the Sun is sponsored by Guttertoppers, Infinity Windows, Renewal by Andersen, Everdry Waterproofing, Relax the Back, Achieving Health Chiropractic Plus, Atlas Home Improvement, Trupp Family Care Chiropractic.



Art show hours are 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. on Saturday and 11 a.m. – 5 p.m. on Sunday. For more information contact the Northville Chamber of Commerce at 248-344-0497.

**Town Square . . . a great place to visit this summer!** Catch a Summer Friday Night Concert, meet up with friends, bring the kids to a Tunes on Tuesday Concert, surf the web in our wireless internet park, cast your vote at the Talent for the Title finals, buy something fun at Art in the Sun, watch the 4th of July parade, throw coins in the fountain, enjoy a carry meal under one of our large market umbrellas, relax and enjoy the scenery, people watch. What could be better?

# IT'S TIME TO PLAY WITH US!

**Farmers' Market**  
 June 4, 11, 18, 25  
 July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30



There's something for everyone at the Northville Farmers' Market. Open Thursdays through October 29th, visitors will enjoy over 100 stalls of Michigan-made and Michigan-grown products. For all the green thumbs out there plants and flowers are available while other finds such as are fine juried crafters, garden art, soaps, jewelry, furniture, woodworking, and home accessories are also featured.

### CAN YOU DIG IT SERIES FEATURES

Held the 2nd Thursday of each month at 9 a.m. Offered by our own professional growers and Master Gardeners, they will address different gardening topics and techniques each month. Some sessions include hands-on activities and plenty of time for questions. No fee or pre-registration is required. The line-up includes:

- June 11 - Shady Characters - Plants and garden design ideas for shady areas.
- July 9 - Break the Code - Just the facts about "organic" terms, growing, and gardening.
- August 13 - Save the Planet - "Reduce, reuse, recycle" those plastic garden pots and reuse discarded plastic to make garden art right at the Market.
- September 10 -The Worm Turns - Vermicomposting for your garden
- October 8 - Dark Secrets - What comes next at the end of gardening season?



### The CHEFS AT THE MARKET SERIES

Held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month featuring local chefs, fresh produce, free recipes, cooking demonstrations, and samples. The line up includes:

- June 18 - Tim Bryant - Independence Village of Plymouth
- July 16 - Carolyn Simon - Red Pepper Deli
- August 20 Elaine Grange and Susan Pitsenbarger-Allie - Hotz Catering
- September 17 - Jason Brown - Rusty Bucket Corner Tavern
- October 15 - Andy Genitti - Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall

### MASTER GARDENERS

Master Gardeners will be available every Market day until noon to answer your gardening questions. They will be located in front of the white building in stall #57.

### GARDEN POT RECYCLING

Our garden pot recycling project last year was so successful that our Market is now a model for other markets. Watch for the signs that will direct you to our new, LARGER collection bin for clean pots, plug trays and flat trays. Let's try and exceed our donations of 650 pounds of plastic from last season. Gina Adams-Levy from Peace, Love & Planet (a grass roots, non-profit organization) runs this project for the Market.

### The Northville Farmers' Market Gives Back . . .

#### CIVIC CONCERN DONATIONS

The Wayne County Master Gardeners will be accepting donations of fresh produce from your garden, community garden plots, or purchased at the Farmers' Market. All fresh produce donations will be donated locally to Northville Civic Concern. Collection boxes will be located at the Master Gardener's booth.

#### FORGOTTEN HARVEST

Each year, our growers donate over 2 tons of fresh produce to the Forgotten Harvest Food Bank. Forgotten Harvest delivers to soup kitchens located throughout the greater Southeast Detroit area and into the Ann Arbor area as well.

The Farmers' Market is presented by Tom Holzer Ford and sponsored by Northville Downs, Patti Mullen - Remerica Hometown One, Toll Brothers, Varsity Lincoln Mercury, and St. Mary Mercy Hospital.

Time: Thursdays 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
 Contact: Northville Chamber of Commerce  
 248-349-7640 or visit them [online](#)

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**First Friday Art Walk**  
 June 5  
 July 3



A great way to spend a Friday night! Downtown Northville's art galleries have become a favorite place to visit the first Friday of each month. We currently have four outstanding galleries each one different than the other and all open until 9 p.m. during the Art Walk. A new artist is featured each month often with the artist in house to greet you and show their work. Many of the galleries offer complimentary hors d' oeuvres and beverages for their guests as they browse or shop. The First Friday Art Walk begins at 6 p.m.

Many of Downtown Northville's shops are also open until 9 p.m. during the Art Walk and also feature a special event or guest. Be sure to allow time for a leisurely dinner at one of our fine restaurants.

**The Northville Art House** ~ Capturing The Craft ~ Theatre Portrayed Through the Artist's Brush ~ A Northville Art House and Tipping Point Theatre Collaboration



Be a pART of it! Experience the behind-the-scenes craftsmanship of live theatre as captured by the artists of the Northville Art House, and inspired by the professional actors and designers of Northville's Tipping Point Theatre. Don't miss your opportunity to view these one-of-a-kind pieces, and own a piece of artwork that is truly a "Northville Original." Featured artists:

Linda Logan, Daria Fileta, Peggy Kerwan, Barbara Eko Murphy, Candace Brancik and Mary Step.



The show will open at the Northville Art House with an artist reception Friday, June 5th from 6 - 9 p.m. and continue through June 20th during the Art House Gallery hours (Summer Hours: Thursdays - Saturdays, 1 - 5 p.m.) The Art House is a facility of the Northville Arts Commission. Admission to Art House shows is always free and open to the public.

**Call for Artists** ~ Art In Bloom, an all medial juried floral arts exhibition

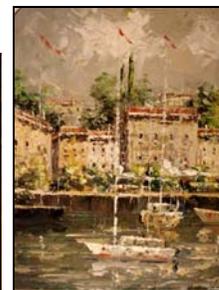
Take part in the growing cultural scene downtown as the Northville Art House presents an all-media juried Floral Arts Show. Visitors will enjoy a unique and beautiful arrangement of mixed-media Floral Art created by local and regional artists. The exhibit will open with an artist reception on July 3, as well as be a special stop on the Country Garden Club Of Northville's Annual Garden Walk on July 8th.

Now is your chance to participate in this exciting exhibit! Deadline for submissions is June 15. Please consider entering and feel free to forward this to any artist whom you think might be interested in participating.

A Call for Entries brochure is available on the Northville Arts Commission website.

Northville Art House ~ 215 W. Cady ~ 248-344-0497  
[www.northvillearts.org](http://www.northvillearts.org)

**Northville Gallery** ~ Northville Gallery welcomes summer by featuring summertime paintings at the June First Friday event! Children playing on beaches, sailboats adrift on calm waters, and scenes of hot summer days are only a few that you will find in the stacks of oil paintings available at Northville gallery.



Northville Gallery ~ 123 E. Main ~ 248-465-9630  
[www.northvillegallery.com](http://www.northvillegallery.com)

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First Friday Art Walk continued...

**Starring The Gallery** ~ Three artists with three very different styles will grace the walls of Starring "The Gallery" during Northville's First Friday Art Walk on June 5th. Starring: David Amamoto, with his narrative photographs of the American West; Michelle Moore, whose abstract paintings reveal something unique to each viewer; and Alea Hibbeln, whose whimsical birch tree series is painted on both canvas and windows. Friday night will be the third time this artist trio has shown their works together. Third time's a charm.



Starring "The Gallery" will also have the music of Sheila Landis, during the First Friday Art Walk from 6 - 9 p.m.

Starring "The Gallery" ~ 118 W. Main ~ 248-347-1642  
[www.starringthegallery.com](http://www.starringthegallery.com)

### Tom James Fine Art

Many may have heard that "he's moving" or worse yet, "closing the gallery". That was true until recent events have changed the situation at the Tom James Gallery of Fine Art. The name is changing to simply "Tom James Fine Art" and the custom framing business is alive and doing very well. Tough economic times have hit everyone and we are doing our best to provide extreme value in all purchases and services offered. As the summer unfolds, look for new art, a continuation of our First Friday open houses and a continued effort on our part to be the premier location in the area for fine art and related services. Tom James offers quality fine art, custom picture framing, art consultation services, art and photograph restoration and custom printing services.

Hours are 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday with Monday hours by appointment.

Tom James Fine Art ~ 116 E. Main ~ 248-349-0105

### First Annual Talent For the Title Competition Finals June 5

Northville's First Annual Talent for the Title competition received an overwhelming response of audition tapes from all around the state of Michigan. Invitations were sent out to more than 80 performers to participate in the second round of judging, which took place on May 28th and 29th. Thirty tickets to the finals were awarded at the conclusion of the evening's performances.

The final showcase will be held in Town Square and is open to the public and free of charge. The emcee for the evening will be radio personality Matt Watroba. The most exciting element to the evening will be the opportunity for the audience to get involved in selecting the overall winner. Gail & Rice Productions will provide a unique wireless audience response system. The first 200 audience members to purchase a ballot at the final showcase will receive a handheld electronic keypad allowing them to cast their vote for their favorite performer of the night. The audience score will be added to the official judge's scores to determine who will be named the grand prize winner of the First Annual Talent for the Title competition.

Time: 6 p.m.  
 Location: Town Square (Downtown Northville across from the Marquis Theatre)

In case of rain the entire show will move inside Northville Square (Main Street level) at 133 W. Main.

### Northville Chamber Annual Golf Classic June 10

The annual Northville Chamber Golf Classic offers a day of networking and golf at Northville Hills Golf Course. Each year the Northville Chamber hosts its annual Golf Classic, which serves as one of the Chamber's main fundraising events of the season. As a 501c(6) non profit organization, the Chamber operates from funding elicited through membership dues, event sponsorship and fund raising events. Proceeds from our annual Golf Classic allow us to continue our mission of promoting and supporting the business community of Northville. Sponsored by TDS Metrocom.

Time: 9:30 a.m. Shotgun Start  
 Location: Northville Hills Golf Club  
 15565 Bay Hill Drive  
 (Between 5 & 6 Mile off Sheldon Rd.)  
 Contact: Northville Chamber of Commerce  
 248-349-7640 or visit their [website](#) to download golf brochure.

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## SeniorFest June 10

It's that time of year again. Join us for a wonderful picnic lunch, fabulous entertainment, and a cornucopia of prizes. Many senior-related businesses will also attend.

**Location:** Waterford Bend Park  
Northville Road & Six Mile

**Time:** 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

**Fee:** \$8 Northville residents  
\$9 non-resident  
Tickets must be obtained at the Northville Senior Community Center (303 W. Main) by June 5<sup>th</sup>. Absolutely no refunds.

**Contact:** Northville Senior Community Center  
248-349-4140

## Summer Friday Night Concerts June 12, 19, 26 July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31



Downtown Northville's popular Friday Night Summer Concert Series – sponsored by the Northville Downtown Development Authority and Wine Sync (122 W. Main, Downtown Northville) – returns for the 2009 season. Every Friday night through August 28th, enjoy the music of some of the finest local musicians while taking in the charming atmosphere of Downtown Northville.

The following performances are scheduled for June & July:

June 12      Lady Sunshine & The X Band ~  
Motown/Soul  
Sponsored by the Northville DDA



June 19      Shawn Riley Band ~ Top 40 Hits of  
Yesterday & Today  
Sponsored by Edward Jones – DJ  
Boyd, Dan DeLano, Brian Hanley, and  
Chris Willerer and Varsity Lincoln  
Mercury

June 26      Gia Warner ~ Motown/Rock 'n' Roll  
Sponsored by the Northville DDA

July 3        Randy Brock Band ~ Detroit Blues  
Sponsored by the Northville DDA

July 10      Mass Transit Band ~ Top 40 Hits of  
Yesterday & Today  
Sponsored by Northville DDA

July 17      The Kris K Band ~ Rock 'n' Roll/  
Americana  
Sponsored by the Northville DDA

July 24      Soul Academy ~ Detroit Soul Review  
Sponsored by the Northville DDA

July 31      Fifty Amp Fuse ~ Detroit's Premier  
Party Band  
Sponsored by the Toll Brothers and  
Varsity Lincoln Mercury

### Printable Flyer

**Time:** 7-9 p.m.

**Location:** Town Square/Downtown Northville  
(located on Main Street across from  
the Marquis Theatre)

**Contact:** Northville Chamber of Commerce  
248-349-7640 or visit their [website](#)  
Northville Parks and Recreation  
248-349-0203 or visit their [website](#)

## Mill Race Village Opens for the Season with a Teddy Bear Picnic

### Teddy Bear Picnic June 14

Just like the old song says, "The Teddy Bears are having a picnic."

On Sunday, June 14, Mill Race Village will open for the season. A special feature of Opening Day will be a Teddy Bear Picnic for 3 - 7-year-olds. Refreshments will be served, a costumed storyteller will spin tales. Participants are encouraged to bring their own special bears, and to wear Victorian costumes if they wish. They should bring a blanket or towel to sit on.

**Time:** 2 - 3 p.m. rain or shine

**Fee:** \$1/child  
Reservations accepted by June 10

**Contact:** Northville Historical Society  
248-348-1845

## IT'S TIME TO PLAY WITH US!

### Sundays at Mill Race Village

June 14, 21, 28

July 5, 12, 19, 26

Each Sunday afternoon mid-June to mid-October the buildings are open for public viewing. Costumed docents are on hand to inform visitors about the buildings, their contents, and about Northville's past. Many weekends, a working blacksmith demonstrates the craft, weavers and rug hookers ply their trades, and an occasional strolling musician may be found. Special events are planned for July 4<sup>th</sup> and the Victorian Festival.

To the uninitiated, the historic Village is a nineteenth-century jewel in Northville's crown. Seven buildings, ranging from approximately 1831 to the 1890's, have carefully been moved from various parts of Northville to the scenic park land on Griswold Street; two more have been meticulously reconstructed with the aid of period photographs and plans.



A visit to the Village is a delightful way to explore the past, take a pleasant stroll, and step back in time. Mill Race Village is open to all, and there is no admission charge. It's located on Griswold, just east of Downtown Northville, between Main Street and Eight Mile Road. The grounds are open daily from sunrise to sunset; the buildings are open on Sunday afternoons.

Location: Mill Race Village  
215 Griswold  
Time: 1 - 4 p.m.  
Contact: Northville Historical Society  
248-348-1845

### Mill Race Village Volunteer Opportunities

#### Mill Race Village Volunteers Sought Docent Luncheon June 6th

Share your love of history—become a Docent! Docents are wanted at Mill Race Village to inform visitors about the history of Northville and our Village buildings. Friendly, outgoing volunteers dress in period-reminiscent costume ~ costuming assistance is available; training materials are provided. Work as many or as few dates as you wish, serving primarily from mid June to mid October, on Sunday afternoons from 1 - 4 p.m., or holidays and special events. A Docent Luncheon is scheduled for Saturday, June 6th, at 11:30 a.m. at the Cady Inn at Mill Race Village ~ drop in to sign up. Can't attend? Have questions? Call Judy Davis, Docent Chairman, at 248-347-4871.

#### Mill Race Village Board Members Needed

Special People Wanted! The Northville Historical Society Board of Directors assumes all responsibility for all aspects of the Society, its archives, and Mill Race Village - from Buildings and Grounds to Fundraising to Education to Finance to Master Planning, and more. Additional Board members are sought - how about YOU? Interested parties can call the Northville Historical Society office at Mill Race Village, 248-348-1845.

#### Help spread your love of Mill Race Village.

Do you like to write? Create posters and flyers? Establish contacts? Help with office work and mailings? Can you help distribute promotional materials throughout the community? This is an important time in the growth of The Northville Historical Society and Mill Race Village. To become part of the excitement, e-mail [ILoveMillRaceVillage@yahoo.com](mailto:ILoveMillRaceVillage@yahoo.com) or leave a message for "Miss Barbara" at the office, 248-348-1845.

#### Oakwood Cemetery Walk Help Needed

In the past 8 years hundreds (thousands?) have attended the popular Oakwood Cemetery Walk held each year on the second Sunday of October. All kinds of help is needed - event planning, tour leading, publicizing, acting, decorating, cleaning up, graphic designing, baking, and more. Can you help? E-mail [OakwoodCemWalk@yahoo.com](mailto:OakwoodCemWalk@yahoo.com), or leave a message at 248-348-1845.

# IT'S TIME TO PLAY WITH US!

## Tunes on Tuesdays Children's Concert Series

June 16, 23, 30  
July 7, 14, 21, 28

The popular FREE concert series for kids – sponsored by Toll Brothers, the Northville Downtown Development Authority, and Northville Parks & Recreation – returns for the summer in Downtown Northville every Tuesday morning through August 4th! Performances will be held rain or shine. Rain location will be at Genitti's Little Theatre (108 E. Main). The following performances are scheduled for June and July:

- June 16 Park Ranger Roy ~ "Walkin' Thru The Park"  
Sponsored by Abir Faraj, D.D.S., P.C.
- June 23 Tom Hodgson ~ Great animal songs and stories  
Sponsored by Rangel Orthodontics
- June 30 Rick Kelley ~ Don't Just Sit There,  
Sponsored by Rangel Orthodontics
- July 7 Gemini ~ This twin brother team includes rousing sing-alongs, hand motion tunes, folk tales, and music from around the world.  
Sponsored by Monroe Bank & Trust
- July 14 The Music Lady ` Beverly Meyer with a guitar in her hand and a smile on her face, the audience can't help but dance and sing along with her.  
Sponsored by Abir Faraj, D.D.S., P.C.
- July 21 Guy Louis and the Chautauqua Express ~ Guy Louis presents an exciting performance with active audience participation, expert musicianship, and light-hearted humor.  
Sponsored by Abir Faraj, D.D.S., P.C.
- July 28 Palamazoo ~ Susan's lively spirit, playful songs, and colorful PALamazoo puppet characters invite you to join in the fun.  
Sponsored by Rangel Orthodontics

[Printable flyer](#)

Location: Town Square (Downtown Northville across from the Marquis Theatre)  
Time: **New Time** 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.  
Contact: Northville Parks & Recreation  
248-349-0203 or visit their [website](#)

## 7th Annual Solstice Run

June 27

The 7th Annual Solstice Run is presented by Foresters New for 2009 ~ Start at Northville Downs and the run first 1/2 mile on the famous horse track.

- 10K Run ~ 7:30 a.m.
- 5K Run/Walk ~ 8:45 a.m. ~ Fundraiser for Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute
- Kids Fun Run (1/4 mile in FORD FIELD) ~ 8:35 a.m. ~ Presented by Foresters

For more information visit the Solstice Run [website](#).

## Art in the Sun

June 27-28



Details on the juried art show are on page 1.

## Independence Day Parade

July 4

Everyone loves a parade! Celebrate July 4 with our annual parade featuring bands, clowns, floats, bikes, cars and more.



Location: Downtown Northville  
Time: 10 a.m.  
Contact: Northville Community Foundation  
248-374-0200

## IT'S TIME TO PLAY WITH US!

### Mill Race Village Independence Day Activities July 4

It's July 4<sup>th</sup>. The parade may be over - but the festivities are only beginning. Mill Race Village invites all to join in for a day of fun and history featuring a lineup of entertainers, vendors, activities and more, including the Village's array of Nineteenth-Century buildings will be open, each manned by informed docents who can describe the structures and Northville's past.

Location: Mill Race Village  
215 Griswold  
Time: 10 a.m.  
Contact: Northville Historical Society  
248-348-1845

### 16th Annual Northville Garden Walk "A Salute to Gardens" July 8

Created by the exceptional efforts of dedicated gardeners in the Northville area, the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Garden Walk is an outdoor gardening showcase that shouldn't be missed. The Walk features many Different styles and sizes of gardens and attractions for all.

Tickets will be available beginning on June 8<sup>th</sup> at Gardenviews (202 W. Main, 248-380-8881) and at the Cady Inn only on the day of the garden walk. Special attractions include:

- Refreshments and vendors at the Cady Inn at Mill Race Village
- Garden market at Mill Race Village
- Raffle items donated by Gardenviews
- Art In Bloom, an all media juried floral arts exhibition ~ Take part in the growing cultural scene downtown as the Northville Art House presents an all-media juried Floral Arts Show. Visitors will enjoy a unique and beautiful arrangement of mixed-media floral art created by local and regional artists. The exhibit will open at the Northville Art House with an artist reception on July 3, as well as be a special stop on the Country Garden Club Of Northville's Annual Garden Walk on July 8th.
- Charming Downtown Northville shops and eateries

Time: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
Contact: Country Garden Club of Northville  
248-380-9259

### 4th Annual Grub Crawl July 28

The 4th annual Northville Grub Crawl is on tap for another fun-filled, filling evening of "crawling". Participating restaurants ~ including Northville Sports Den (formerly Dino's), Poole's Tavern, and Rusty Bucket Corner Tavern ~ provide free samples of appetizers and signature items along with cash bar specials for our "Crawlers". Highlights include free shuttle transportation and a Grand Prize Drawing for an Outdoor Grill, compliments of Home Depot (7 Mile). Ticket holders receive a brochure containing an event map and their starting point. Free shuttle transportation operates on a 15-minute schedule to take "Crawlers" from one restaurant to the next, or you can "crawl" on your own.

Tickets go on sale June 12th and may be purchased at the Northville Chamber of Commerce (195 S. Main, 248-349-7640), Gardenviews (202 W. Main, 248-380-8881), and Good Time Party Store (567 Seven Mile Rd., 248-349-1477). Tickets are limited and this event does SELL OUT, so get your tickets early! This year's event is sponsored by Patti Mullen - Remerica Hometown One, Northville Record, and Residential Design.

Time: 6 - 10 p.m.  
Fee: \$30 (must be 21 or over)  
Contact: Northville Chamber of Commerce  
248-349-7640

### July 31-August 1 Sidewalk Sales

Do you love a good sale? If so, Downtown Northville is the place to be this weekend! Shoppers attending the two-day Sidewalk Sale will enjoy purchasing great finds at the many unique businesses located in Downtown Northville.

Location: Downtown Northville  
Time: TBD  
Contact: Northville Central Business Association (NCBA)  
[ncbanorthville@yahoo.com](mailto:ncbanorthville@yahoo.com)



*IT'S TIME TO SHOP WITH US!*

**New ~ Northville Holistic Therapies & Education**

215 E. Main, Suite 201  
 248-982-5971  
[www.paulaneys.net](http://www.paulaneys.net)

Formerly Energy Medicine Services, Northville Holistic Therapies & Education has relocated to Downtown Northville. Paula Neys, Occupational Therapist, is currently offering specials on QXCI Biofeedback and Reiki sessions. Either modality will greatly reduce the effects of stress.

Paula can be reached at 248-982-5971 and by e-mail at [pneys@wideopenwest.com](mailto:pneys@wideopenwest.com).

**Coming Soon ~ Uptown Body - A Fitness Studio**

170 E. Main, Suite 301 (above Utopia Salon & Spa)

A new place to work out - coming July 2009

**Coming Soon! The Next Chapter, bookstore and café**

141 E. Main

Interior and exterior renovations are underway with plans for a summer opening. This will be the place to find that good book or meet up with friends over a cup of coffee or a light meal.

**Coming Soon! Sweet 220**

133 W. Main, Suite 220

Living the "sweet" life requires a lot of hard work and pastry chef extraordinaire, Hass Makki, has definitely put his time in. Immediately following his graduation from the world renowned pastry school, The French Culinary Institute in New York, Hass kneaded his skills into a rising career beginning with his internship at Jacques Torres Chocolates in Brooklyn, NY, one of the best chocolatiers in the world.

Continuing to rise to the top, Chef Hass took his passion for pastry arts to The Ritz Carlton, Dearborn, MI and didn't stop there. Four years later, in "knead" of change, Hass jumped at the opportunity to work for the posh JW Marriott Desert Springs Resort and Spa in CA. Next Hass found himself at the Phoenician, Scottsdale, AZ. Finally following a one year venture at the five star, five diamond resort, and homesick, Hass was back home in Detroit and working at the MGM Grand Hotel & Casino.

But home is where the heart is and Hass's heart is in his newest venture with his wife Dalia, Sweet 220. They are planning to apply their years of experience in luxury hospitality to cultivate a new approach to enjoying pastries.

**Relocated ~ Goody Two Shoes**

Now located at 105 E. Main  
 248-465-0900  
[www.shopgoodytwoshoes.com](http://www.shopgoodytwoshoes.com)

GOODY TWO SHOES IS EXPANDING!  
 Come see our new location with new styles, expanded clothing and accessories, and of course, the best service around. Our hours will remain the same in this new location: Monday - Friday 10a.m. - 7p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sorry closed Sunday.

Besides our bigger, better, bolder new look, we can now offer free parking in the large lot behind the store, a back entrance, and easy access through the alley on Center Street!

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Fun "Affordable" Trendy Accessories  
 \*Designer Like Purses\* Jewelry \*Sunglasses and More\*

**OUR NEXT SHOPPING EVENT!!!**

**June 3,4,5,6**

**July 1,2**

WED - FRI 10:00 - 6:00

SAT 10:00 - 5:00

**LOTS OF SPRING COLORS**

**CLEARANCE NOW 50%OFF**

141 E. Cady Street, Northville (Next to Margo's)  
 We are happy to accept Checks or Cash!  
 Sorry, no credit or debit cards.  
 For more info. Call 248-767-7522

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 OUR LOCATION  
 SAVES YOU  
 MONEY!**

## IT'S TIME TO SHOP WITH US!

### "The Night Before Father's Day" June 20th at Solid Grounds Coffee House 6 - 9 p.m.

#### Solid Grounds Coffee House

133 W. Main, Suite 222

248-348-9737

[www.myspace.com/solidgroundscoffeehouse](http://www.myspace.com/solidgroundscoffeehouse)

"The Night Before Father's Day - Northville" will be an acoustic event showcasing local fathers performing music with their children. Bogdon Vasquaf and Tarik Abbas will host this FREE family fun event. Moms are encouraged to take photos to show off on Father's Day. Fathers that would like to perform music, comedy, poetry, or anything with their children must RSVP to Chris Badynee at 734-425-7545.

#### Northville Gallery

123 E. Main

248-465-9630

[www.northvillegallery.com](http://www.northvillegallery.com)



Northville Gallery has a huge inventory of wood frames varying in finishes from dark walnut to white stain. Some have linen liners and others are all wood. Because of this overstock, Northville Gallery will offer wood frames for 75% off for the month of June.

Come in to browse through hundreds of oil paintings and then choose a frame to complement it!

#### Jacque Martin-Downs, LMSW

215 E. Main, Suite 201

800-940-3808

[www.jacquemartindowns.com](http://www.jacquemartindowns.com)

As the school year winds down, some parents have noticed that their kids from 3 to 18 had some bumps in the road this year and would like to not have the same thing play out next school year. Maybe this is the time to get your child into counseling to help him or her discover some new tools for having a good 2009 - 10. In this relaxed setting, all students feel a sense of calm and a non-threatening atmosphere that helps them increase self-esteem, as well as gain confidence that they CAN fill their personal "toolbox" with strategies for success.

#### Orin Jewelers

101 E. Main

248-349-6940

[www.orinjewelers.com](http://www.orinjewelers.com)

Orin Jewelers is the place to be in June!

Visit Orin Jewelers in the month of June for some fantastic sales on the jewelry you love to wear the most.

- For the treasure hunter in you, come browse our estate and collectables sale and find values as low as 50% off.
- Enjoy huge savings on select pieces from some of our most popular designers.
- Receive a free set of wine glass charms (\$40 dollar retail value) modeled after Pandora's most popular beads, with a minimum purchase of \$150.00 when you shop during our Pandora Wine and Cheese tasting event 4 - 8 p.m. June 5th. Pandora is also offering a limited edition grape charm that will only be available only during the month of June.
- Don't forget Dad on his special day. Father's Day is June 21st. We have recently received a large shipment of new men's jewelry and money clips!
- June is graduation month ~ shop early to pick out the perfect gift for your graduate! Several great gift ideas, like freshwater pearl necklaces from \$49.95, bracelets from \$29.95, and earrings from \$9.95!

### It's the Bread, of course!

#### Great Harvest Bread Company

139 E. Main

248-344-4404

[www.greatharvestnorthville.com](http://www.greatharvestnorthville.com)

Some say ... it's the bread, of course that makes a sandwich. Well if that's the case, then get ready to eat the best sandwich in Northville because it's waiting for you at Great Harvest. What's even better is you design it from the wide selection of famous Great Harvest breads, cheeses, meats and condiments and the staff will build it just the way you like it.

Of course don't forget to top off lunch with one of their delicious giant cookies. If you want to make your order to go, it's the perfect opportunity for you to enjoy the sunshine at one of the café tables directly across the street in Town Square.

## IT'S TIME TO SHOP WITH US!

### Starring The Gallery

118 W. Main  
248-347-1642  
[www.starringthegallery.com](http://www.starringthegallery.com)

Peace, Love & Planet, Inc. (PLP) is a dual purpose Northville grassroots organization. PLP was created to provide alternatives for garden plastic not recycled curbside in our community and promote environmental education in our schools and local organizations. We offer simple solutions for reducing, reusing and recycling, which results in a cleaner and healthier planet.

The first objective is to empower children to be stewards for the earth. PLP offers fun, interactive outreach programs designed to help students and community groups develop environmentally sound habits. By incorporating simple steps in one's life, we can significantly reduce our carbon footprint and live a sustainable life.

PLP also strives to prevent hundreds of thousands of pounds of garden plastic from entering our Michigan landfills. Americans spend \$10 billion each year on plants, most of which are packaged in plastic pots and trays that are not recycled curbside. An unfortunate and fundamentally flawed consequence of this massive beautification effort is the accumulation of non-biodegradable plastic in the earth.

In the spring of 2008, PLP launched a flower pot/tray collection at the **Northville Farmers' Market**, giving gardeners an alternative for plastic pot and tray disposal. Thanks to community participation, PLP collected over 500 pounds of plastic. Half was returned to appreciative farmers for reuse ~ the ultimate goal in recycling! PLP is expanding plastic flower pot/tray collection sites in 2009 to 4 garden Centers, the Farmington Farmers' Market and a wholesale plant center in hopes of recovering plastic containers consumed by landscapers. By recovering, reusing and recycling this plastic we will reduce petroleum consumption and preserve earth's precious



nonrenewable resources. This is sustainability in its truest sense.

In order to support this endeavor, the president, Gina Adams-Levy, makes garden art flowers out of recycled flower pots. These are whimsical, colorful flowers that add fun to any garden. You can find them for sale at **Starring The Gallery** in Downtown

Northville through June. A portion of the proceeds will also be donated to the Northville-Novii Branch of American Association of University Women (AAUW).

Remember, going green is not a fad. PLP makes it easy for everyone to reduce their carbon footprint. Check out [www..PeaceLoveandPlanet.org](http://www.PeaceLoveandPlanet.org), a 501(c) 3 to see collection sites and dates, and information on volunteering, hosting an outreach workshop or donating.

### As The Page Turns

149 N. Center  
248-912-0085  
[www.asthepageturns.biz](http://www.asthepageturns.biz)

### June Calendar

- 5 First Friday Gallery Walk from 7-9 P.M. Ms. Jean Tobin will share her insight into handling human resource issues when a company closes.
- 19 Bill Stahl author of *The Bible's Story of Salvation*, will join us. This book will be of great assistance to anyone who wants to know and understand the Bible, and it will be a wonderful tool for use in the Sunday school classroom, junior-high level and higher.
- 20 Please join us for an enlightening discussion on her new book on traumatic brain injury with Mary Burgess Smith at 4 p.m.
- 23 Community Forum with the Center For Michigan at 7 p.m. Register now and be ready to share with the audience ways to improve Michigan for everyone's benefit.
- 27 Join us as we welcome Denise Crittenden, former editor of African American Family Magazine, as she signs her new book.

### July Calendar

- 18 Beverly Jenkins will join us to sign her new book.
- 23 Northern Destinies author, Lilli Babits, will join us at 7 p.m.

### Chocolates by Renee

118 E. Main  
248-349-6362  
[www.chocolatesbyrenee.com](http://www.chocolatesbyrenee.com)

Travel back in time at Chocolates by Renee. We will be stocked to the top with nostalgic candies that will make you feel like a kid again. Current favorites will also be on hand ~ sour belts and everything gummi!

# IT'S TIME TO SHOP WITH US!

## Long Plumbing Celebrates 60 Years Open House June 5th

**Long Bath Gallery  
Long Plumbing / Mechanical**  
190 E. Main  
248-349-0373  
[www.longplumbing.com](http://www.longplumbing.com)

Long Plumbing Co. has proudly served the Northville community for 60 years! To celebrate our big 6-0 we are having an **Open House on Friday, June 5th** and would like you to join us! Details on how to RSVP can be found below – first, a little history:

Glenn and Lois Long started Long's in 1949 out of their home in Northville. Glenn would make service calls and Lois answered the phone and took care of the company books. As the business began to grow, in 1954 they constructed an office, showroom, and warehouse facility on Seven Mile Road. Additional employees were hired to service their growing number of plumbing customers.

In 1964, Glenn Long acquired property in Downtown Northville and a new building was constructed on Dunlap Street. The large showroom highlighted plumbing fixtures and parts for plumbing repairs. In 1970 a portion of the showroom was dedicated to bath and kitchen remodeling, which laid the groundwork for today's Long Kitchen & Bath Design.

Continued business growth built on customer satisfaction led to the construction of the current office and showroom on Main Street in Downtown Northville in 1974. Residential heating and cooling services were added in 1999.

Please join us on Friday, June 5th as we take a walk back through our 60 years



and thank our community and clients for the continuous support they (you!) have given us over the years.

And as always, if you are in need of Plumbing, Heating or Cooling Service or Bath and Kitchen Remodeling – give us a call (248-349-0373) or stop by our showroom!



### Open House Details:

<b>Date</b>	Friday, June 5th
<b>Time</b>	6 - 9:00 p.m.
<b>Location</b>	190 E. Main Street Downtown Northville.
<b>RSVP</b>	<a href="http://www.eveningwithlongs.com">www.eveningwithlongs.com</a> or 248-349-0999 ext. 101

### The UPS Store

143 CadyCentre  
248-344-1980  
[www.theupsstore.com](http://www.theupsstore.com)

It is savings time at the Northville UPS store

- Color copies now 35 cents
- Free months service on private mail box rental (like a PO box only much more)
- Sale on moving and storage boxes and supplies
- AAA Members ~ show your card and save and shipping, boxing and packing
- Chamber of Commerce and local business People ~ don't forget to use VIP card and save.
- Ask us about our exclusive "pack and ship promise".

## IT'S TIME TO SHOP WITH US!

### Monroe Bank & Trust

201 E. Main  
248-449-3700  
[www.mbandt.com](http://www.mbandt.com)

Monroe Bank & Trust is redefining checking! With new Performance Checking - always free checking that lets you earn 3.01% APY on all balances between 1 penny and \$25,000 - with no minimum balance required! And that's not all. You'll also enjoy fee-free ATM anywhere.

### Kudos to the Northville Beautification Commission!

The Beautification Commission has, for many years, done a great job of helping our City look colorful and fresh with flowers, greenery and cleanups. This past week both Township and City Beautification Commission members, in conjunction with the Northville Garden Club, volunteered about 4 hours of their time to plant the flower barrels to beautify our downtown throughout the summer.



The Rotary Well, next to the Chamber of Commerce on S. Main Street, has also received some TLC by volunteer Donna Moak and her yoga group. Allen Terrace flower pots and the Center Street boulevard south of Eight Mile were also recently planted with annuals for everyone to enjoy this summer.

Appreciation goes to Julie Mantay, Karin Amrein, Donna Moak, Karen Bitterle, Pat Baker, Sally Hayes, Nachi Hirato, Sue Hooper and Doug Bingham.

You can help make a difference. Be a member of the

Beautification Commission by volunteering your time and helping to organize a project. Send your emails to [Douglas Bingham](mailto:Douglas.Bingham@northville.com) with questions or interests or contact [Julie Mantay](mailto:Julie.Mantay@northville.com), Commission Chairperson.

### 2009 People's Choice Awards The Best of Northville

Readers of the Northville Record are proud of their community—and have voted again this year in our **People's Choice Awards** to show support for their favorite businesses.

Best Breakfast	Joseph's Coney Island
Best Hot Dogs/Coneys	Joseph's Coney Island
Best Soup	Edwards Café & Caterer
Best Desserts	Edwards
Best Waitress	Carrie, Edwards
Best Burgers	Poole's Tavern
Best After Work	Poole's
Best Sports Bar	Poole's
Best Italian	Little Italy
Best Wine Selection/ Restaurant	Little Italy
Best Beer selection/ Restaurant	Little Italy
Best Romantic Dinner	Little Italy
Best Hair Salon	Margo's of Northville Salon & Spa
Best Bank	Comerica
Best Health Club	Planet Fitness
Best Waitress	Julie, Starting Gate Jim, Starting Gate
Best Chiropractor	Dr. Stopa
Best Art Store	Starring The Gallery
Best Eye Care	Urban Optiks
Best Bakery/ Baked Goods	Great Harvest
Best Jewelry	Orin's Jewelry
Best Children's Wear	The Moon & Me
Best Men's Wear	Alexander's Custom Clothier
Best Women's Wear	Van Dam's Boutique
Best Resale Shop	Baby Baby

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## Northville District Library

212 W. Cady  
248-349-3020  
[www.northville.lib.mi.us](http://www.northville.lib.mi.us)

### June Events

#### Monday, June 8, 7 p.m.

Between the Lines Adult Book Discussion  
"The Nine: Inside the Secret World of the Supreme Court" by Jeffrey Toobin

#### Tuesday, June 9, 7 p.m.

Effective Resumes  
Learn how to create a resume which reflects your strengths and is an effective marketing tool in your job search from Career Development Professional Martha Adamson. Call to register.

#### Tuesday, June 23, 7 pm

Successful Interviewing  
Learn how to prepare for, execute, and follow up on a job interview to make you the candidate of choice. Presented by Martha Adamson, Career Development Professional. Call to register.

#### Monday, June 15, 6:30 p.m.

Foreign Films @ the Library  
"Reprise". Two aspiring novelists and lifelong friends journey down different paths after one's first novel receives wild acclaim and the other a pile of rejection slips. Norwegian film.

Library Summer Reading Program Kicks off Friday June 12. Kids! Be Creative @ Your Library! Teens! Express Yourself @ Your Library. Adult Summer Reading begins June 1st.

**Coming Very Soon** - New seasonal flowers in Town Square.



## Summer Art Classes at Art House!

### Northville Art House

215 W. Cady Street  
248-344-0497  
[www.northvillearts.org](http://www.northvillearts.org)

Be a pART of it! The Northville Art House is offering a variety of summer art and pottery classes and camps for children, ages 2 through teenagers. Creative Tots, Parent/Child classes, Creative Kids, digital photography, pottery and sculpture classes, Funtastic Fridays, Still Life Open Studios, quilting, basket weaving and jewelry are just some of the classes and camps being offered at the Northville Art House located at 215 W. Cady in downtown Northville. For information or to register, please call 248-344-0497 or stop at the Art House for a brochure of activities Thursdays through Saturdays from 1:00-5:00 p.m. Make it a creative summer with your children while you picnic in our park or shop nearby stores!



### DDA News is Online

Past and current issues of the DDA Newsletter are available on the [DDA website](#).

The DDA office is open Monday through Friday 9:00am—4:30 pm.

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