

70TH ANNUAL

Lilac 
FESTIVAL
MACKINAC ISLAND

June 8 – 17, 2018

As of 5-12-18

Daily

FREE Family Playground, with Bounce Houses & More – Windermere Pt, June 8-10, June 15-17.
Local Artist Show, 10:00 am – 8:00 pm, Murray Hotel
Mackinac Island Legion and Lore Trek, Special Tours 11:00 am & 2:30 pm, Fort Mackinac
Mackinac Art Museum Open @ 10:00 am with Lilac Themed Projects in Kids Art Studio
Nightly Entertainment, local restaurants and pubs

Friday, June 8

2:00 pm – 8:00 pm: "Stop and Smell the Flowers", Specialty Beverages, Mary's Bistro Draught House.
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm: MI Beer and Wine Tasting, Bistro on the Greens, Mission Point Resort
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm: Market Street Art Walk
6:00 pm: Cannonball BBQ Dinner & Hayride, downtown to British Landing
8:30 pm- 10:00 pm: Sip N' Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Pete Kehoe

Saturday, June 9, 2018

9:30 am: Lilac Festival 10K & 11:00 am Walk-Run, begins at Windermere Point
11:00 am: 11th Annual Mackinac Public Library Book Sale
11:30 am – 1:00 pm: Bloody Mary and Mimosa Bridge Cruise, Sip n' Sail
1:00 pm: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
2:00 pm – 8:00 pm: "Stop and Smell the Flowers", Specialty Beverages, Mary's Bistro Draught House.
3:00 pm: Lilac Planting Seminar, with Jan Young, Ste Anne Church Yard
3:00 pm: Mackinac Revealed Walking Tour, 2 hours. Cost is: \$36.
1:00 pm: Author Linda Hughes, Secrets of the Island, Island Bookstore
4:00 pm: MI Beer and Wine Tasting, Bistro on the Greens, Mission Point Resort
4:00 pm – 5:30 pm: MI Craft Beer Cruise with DJ Mike Williford, Sip n' Sail

4:30 pm: GH Trio – for Coronation, Windermere Point
5:00 pm: Coronation of the Lilac Festival Queen, Windermere Point
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm: Live Music with Paul Bedour, Ice House, Island House Hotel
6:00 pm: Cannonball BBQ Dinner & Hayride, downtown to British Landing
6:30 pm: Cannon Firing by Contest Winner, Fort Mackinac
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm: Dancing in the Streets, with West Michigan BootScooters
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm: Sip n' Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Wixie Harrington

Sunday, June 10, 2018

1:00 pm: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
2:00 pm – 8:00 pm: "Stop and Smell the Flowers", Specialty Beverages, Mary's Bistro Draught House
2:30 pm: Artist Meet & Reception, Open to the Public, Mackinac Island Community Hall
3:00 pm: Lilac planting, with Lilac Expert, Jan Young, Ste Anne Church Yard
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm: Sip n' Sail Cruise, Great Turtle Voyage with Duo Michelle Chenard & Pete Kehoe
6:30 pm: Cannon Firing, Fort Mackinac

Monday, June 11, 2018

10:00 am: GH History Lecture with Bob Tagatz*
10:00 am: Walking Tour, with Jeff Young
1:00 pm: Walking Tour, with Jeff Young
3:00 pm: Lilac Planting, with Jan Young, Ste Anne Church Yard
6:00 pm: Historic Mackinac Walking Tour, Fort Guide. Meet at Mackinac Art Museum
7:00 pm: Lilac Festival Street Hockey Game
8:30 pm- 10:00 pm: Sip n' Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Wixie Harrington

Tuesday, June 12, 2018

10:00 am: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
12:00 pm: Luncheon with Author Karen Dionne, Discussing her latest book, The Marsh Daughter, Carriage House, Iroquois Hotel
12:30 pm: Nature Tour with Trish Martin
1:00 pm: Lilac Planting, with Jan Young, Ste Anne Church Yard
2:30 pm: Author Karen Dionne Book Signing, The Marsh Daughter, Island Bookstore
3:00 pm: Mackinac Revealed Walking Tour, 2 hours. Cost is: \$36.
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm: Specialty "Lilac" Cocktail, Pink Pony
6:00 pm: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
6:00 pm: Sip n' Sail Cruise, with DJ Mike Williford
6:30 pm: Lion's Club Bingo (age 18 and older), Mackinac Island Community Hall
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm: Sip N' Sail @ Sunset, with DJ Mike Williford
9:00 pm: Jazz Night, Gate House

Wednesday, June 13, 2018

9:30 am: Governor's Summer Residence Tour
10:00 am: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
1:00 pm: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
2:00 pm: Irish Ceili Dance Session, Ardan Academy, Windermere Point
3:00 pm: Lilac Planting, with Jan Young, Ste Anne Church Yard
6:00 pm: Historic Mackinac Walking Tour, Fort Guide. Meet at Mackinac Art Museum.
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm: Sip n' Sail, with Willie Harrington
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm: Sip n' Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Willie Harrington

Thursday, June 14, 2018

9:30 am: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
11:30 am – 1:30 am: Taste of Mackinac, Harbour View Inn – **Sold Out**
3:00 pm: Lilac Planting, with Jan Young
3:00 pm: Meet the Artist Maeve Croghan, Maeve's Arts, Market Street
3:00 pm: Mackinac Revealed Walking Tour, 2 hours. Cost is: \$36
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm: Specialty "Lilac" Cocktail, Pink Pony
6:00 pm: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm: Bells & Upper Hand Breweries Sip n' Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Paul Bedour

Friday, June 15, 2018

10:00 am: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
2:00 pm – 8:00 pm: "Stop and Smell the Hops", Featuring IPA's, Mary's Bistro Draught House.
1:00 pm: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
3:00 pm: Lilac Planting, with Jan Young, Ste Anne Church Yard
4:00 pm: MI Beer and Wine Tasting, Bistro on the Greens, Mission Point Resort
5:00 pm: Feast of Epona, "Blessing of the Animals" – Trish Martin, Little Barn, Trescott Ave
6:00 pm: Cannonball BBQ Dinner & Hayride, downtown to British Landing
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm: Sip n' Sail Cruise, with Sean Moylan
6:00 pm: Market Street Art Walk
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm: Sip n' Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Sean Moylan

Saturday, June 16, 2018

10:00 am: Dog & Pony Parade, Mackinac Island School to Windermere Point (**New Time**)
10:30 pm - 1:00 pm: Magic Show & Face Painting, 2 Clowns, Windermere Point.
11:00 am: Book Signing, with several local authors, including MSHP Director, Phil Porter.
11:30 am: Bloody Mary and Mimosa Bridge Cruise, Sip n' Sail
1:00 pm: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young

2:00 pm: Mackinac Public Library duct tape workshop with Joel Tacey
2:00 pm – 8:00 pm: "Stop and Smell the Hops", Featuring IPA's, Mary's Bistro Draught House.
2:30 pm: Ice Cream Social, Fort Mackinac
2:30 pm: Live Music, Fort Mackinac
3:00 pm: Lilac planting, with Jan Young, Ste Anne Church Yard
3:00 pm: Mackinac Revealed Walking Tour, 2 hours. Cost is: \$36.
4:00 pm - 6:30 pm: MI Craft Beer Cruise aboard the Sip n' Sail, with Robert Yates
4:00 pm: MI Beer and Wine, Bistro on the Greens, Mission Point Resort
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm: Live Music with Nick Vasquez, Ice House, Island House Hotel
6:00 pm: Cannonball BBQ Dinner & Hayride, downtown to British Landing
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm: Sip N Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Gabi Bowditch

Sunday, June 17, 2018

8:30 am: Walking Tour with Lilac Expert, Jeff Young
11:00 am - 12:30 pm: Parade Day Bloody Mary and Mimosa Bridge Cruise, Sip n' Sail
12:00 pm: Pulaski High School Choral, Theatre, Mission Point Resort
1:45 pm: Patrick Sinclair Scottish Tattoo – Fort and Glen Ellen Pipe Band, Marquette Park
2:00 pm – 8:00 pm: "Stop and Smell the Hops", Featuring IPA's, Mary's Bistro Draught House.
2:45 pm: Tribute to Joe Plaza, Barb Fisher, Judi Gough, Scottville Clown Band
Pipe Band to play Amazing Grace, Short Speech, Clown Band Tribute Song.
3:00 pm: Scottville Clown Band – Marquette Park
4:00 pm: Grand Parade, with Fort Cannon to start Parade
5:30 pm: Parade Winners & Raffle – Mary's Bistro, Raffle at 6:30 pm-7:00 pm.
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm: Sip N Sail Cruise, with Chris Calleja
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm: Sip N Sail Cruise @ Sunset, with Chris Calleja