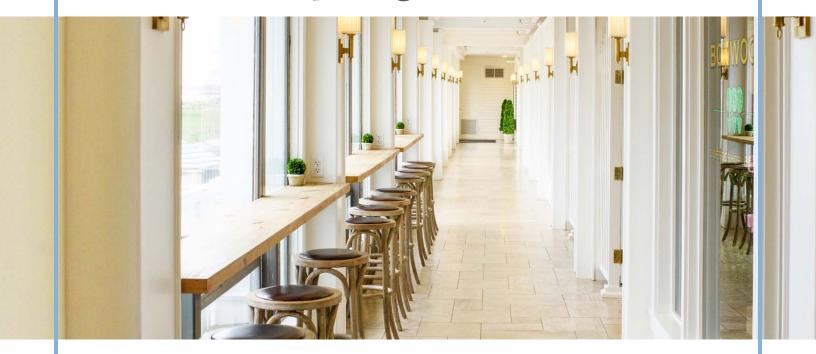


## MISSION POINT

# spring 2017 newsletter



### THE MARKETPLACE

at mission point

Artfully made lattes, exclusive lifestyle apparel, worldly wines, charcuterie, cheeses, and unique gifts; all with spectacular views located steps off Main Street, just east of Circle Drive.





Peruse *The Boutique* and you will find sophisticated apparel and gifts. Find brands such as Durbarry of Ireland, Smathers and Branson, Saint James, Lacoste and more.

Walk through the actual garden gate at *Garden Gate* and you will find locally made memorabilia, note cards, rainy-day activities, and a plethora of Mackinac-themed books and sundries.





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#### Lakeside Spa & Salon

A thoughtful respite on Mackinac Island



Lakeside Spa and Salon is the only full-service salon and wellness center on Mackinac Island. Services now offered at our Aveda spa and salon include full-service hair care, manicures, pedicures, massages, and facials, as well as signature treatments like the Mackinac Stone Massage. The spa also provides valuable services for weddings and can be used for events. The tranquil space is a relaxing way to spend a day. Guests have access to the steam room, sauna, relaxation area, and newly renovated exercise area. Lakeside Spa and Salon: 906-847-3043.







#### Purple Pig Roast



In homage to the beautiful purple of the lilac and the festival itself, Chef Vera is cooking up a delicious pig roast buffet with side dishes like purple potato salad and purple cabbage slaw. Specialty lilac drinks including lemonade

and inspired cocktails will be available in addition to craft beer flights and live music.

June 9 & 10, June 16 & 17, 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Cost: \$25

#### Meet Nick

Nick is our resident canine is specially trained to chase the geese off the great lawn. When not on the job, you can find him with Pat Driscoll, Mission Point's Concierge (who has

been with us for 15 years) walking him or in the lobby sitting next her. Nick lives with Pat on the property. So loved and popular, guests can take a memorable Nick stuffed animal home.



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#### The Arts at Mission Point

Mission Point Resort is more than a resort; it is an experience. Celebration of the arts is an important aspect of the lifestyle at the resort.



#### Michigan Music Series

Music is an integral part of Mission Point's experience with the Michigan Music Series weekends Memorial through Labor Day. Some of the best regional talent can be found at Bistro on the Greens.

Michigan Music Series: Fridays & Saturdays, 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

June 2 & 3: E. Minor June 9 & 10: Jetty Rae June 16 & 17: Audra Kubat June 23 & 24: Brian Thomas

June 30 & July 1: Charlie Millard

#### Inside|Out

Mission Point has partnered with the Detroit Institute of Arts (DIA) and its Inside Out program. You will find ten framed images dotted around Mission Point's 18 acres in some expected and unexpected places.



#### July 7 & 8 Eric Engblade July 14 & 15 Taylor Taylor July 21 & 22 Drew Hale July 28 & 29 Hannah Rose

#### Mackinac Arts Council

Mission Point is also home to local arts organizations like the Mackinac Arts Council located in the Fine Arts Building (next door to Lakeside Spa and Salon). Stop by and take in the ongoing exhibits and movies throughout the season.





June, 2017

Welcome to another season on this very special island we call home.

It is a delight to extend to you an invitation to the "sunrise side" of the island, to enjoy all that Mission Point has to offer. Now in my sixth season (third under MPR ownership by the Ware Family), I am pleased to say that our journey of ongoing transformation, making constant improvements to the property and service levels, while creating unique, new guest experiences, continues to gain momentum. From an expanded Lakeside Spa & Salon, to a wonderful collection of clothing and gifts in our Boutique, to our food and beverage offerings, to our unmatched gardens and lawns, Mission Point has never been better.

Executive Chef Gabriel Vera and I spent the winter perfecting menus and planning this season's program. Favorites of mine for this year are our made-from-scratch croissants, our classic house-made lemon bars, and our fresh pastas. There are actually so many exciting offerings that I can't fit them all in here, but I did want to share more information on two key things:

We are particularly pleased to have begun an a la carte brunch menu in Chianti from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM on Saturdays and Sundays, with such delights as smoked whitefish hash with poached eggs and tomato cacciatore. Weekend brunch at Chianti is sure to become a favorite for all.

Also new is "Reserve, a Tasting Room", an intimate café, located at the street level, just beyond Circle Drive, featuring not only our Mission Point wines, but also curated vintages from France, Italy and California, and an assortment of charcuterie, cured meats, artisan cheeses, pickled vegetables and house-made chocolates, and as of June 15, barrel-aged Negroni and Manhattan cocktails. It's a delightful hideaway, just off Main Street, overlooking the great lawn and lake.

It would be our privilege to welcome you to Mission Point. We look forward to seeing you, and exceeding your expectations. Striving for excellence in the elements of hospitality (simple comfort, delicious food and genuine welcome) while continuously adding more unique and interesting experiences, is redefining who we are and what we do.

Sincerely,

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