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## HARVEST & HARMONY FESTIVAL

RAVINIA DISTRICT OF HIGHLAND PARK

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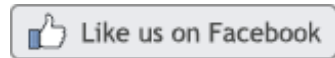
TWO DAYS OF FREE LIVE MUSIC FEATURING  
**SAM LLANAS**  
 (FORMERLY OF THE BODEANS)  
**& MICHAEL MCDERMOTT**

**FRI. SEPT 23** 4-9PM  
**SAT. SEPT 24** 11AM-9PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND MUSIC LINEUP VISIT RAVINIA DISTRICT ON FACEBOOK  
 GREAT FOOD • FAMILY FUN  
 MULES • MARGARITAS • WINE • ARTISAN BEER  
 PLENTY OF SEATING UNDER THE BIG TENT  
 FREE ADMISSION • FREE PARKING • RAVINIA METRA RAIL STOP  
 ALONG DEAN AVENUE, BETWEEN ROGER WILLIAMS AND ST. JOHNS AVENUES AND IN JENS JENSEN PARK



September 21, 2016



**WELCOME TO  
HIGHLAND PARK'S  
NEW BUSINESSES**



**Classic Kids Photography**  
1775 St. Johns Avenue  
847.780.3689  
[classickids.com](http://classickids.com)



**Tanoshii Sushi Mike's**  
1935 Sheridan Road  
847.433.5626

## SCORE SEMINARS

Exploring Business  
Ownership

Don't miss Harvest & Harmony Fest! Featuring performances by Sam Llanas, formerly of the critically acclaimed nationally revered rock band the BoDeans, and inspirational rocker and Chicago native, Michael McDermott, Harmony & Harvest Fest is the perfect start to the autumn season.

The FREE live outdoor music festival takes place Friday, September 23rd from 4 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, September 24th from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. along Dean Avenue between St. Johns and Roger Williams Avenues, and in Jens Jensen Park.

Local favorites, Ravinia Ramblers will headline the fest Friday night with their brand of eclectic pop/rock/jam/grass music. Saturday will open with upbeat and down to earth children's performance by Little Miss Ann of Old Town School of Folk Music fame, followed by a day full of music, leading into Saturday night's feature artists, Michael McDermott, who will open for Sam Llanas. Popular Chicago radio personality Greg Easterling of the 97.1 The Drive will emcee, introducing the stellar performers.

Along with the 'Harmony', the event also features a variety of family-friendly activities as well as great food and drink vendors including Abigail's American Bistro, Beelow's NorthShore Steakhouse, Honey's Hot Chicken, Ravinia Brewing Company, Real Urban Barbecue, Tamales, and plenty of seating under the big tent, making Harmony & Harvest Fest the perfect start to the autumn season.

Attendees of all ages will revel in two days of filled with food, fun and a stacked musical line up.

Full music lineup available [HERE](#)

*Harvest & Harmony is made possible by the lead sponsor Ravinia District Special Service Area 17 (SSA 17), and the generous sponsorships of the Language Stars, Old Town School of Folk Music, Park District of Highland Park, Renewal by Andersen, School of Rock, Silverleaf Resorts, Van Gogh Vodka, Casamigos Tequila and Yelp!*



**How to do Business With Ravinia and Restaurant/Experience Center Neighbor Meeting**

Monday, Nov. 14, 2016  
Presenter: John McLellan

Programs start at  
7:00 pm at the  
Highland Park Public Library  
Click [HERE](#) for more  
information.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 19-24

COMMUNITY  
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**HEALTHY**   
**HIGHLAND PARK WEEK**

**Through September 24**  
Healthy Highland Park Week  
[Full List of Events](#)



**Saturday, September 24**  
The Sipos & Young Band  
1905 Sheridan Road  
[nortons-restaurant.com](http://nortons-restaurant.com)

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## FOUNDATION

**Friday, October 14**  
[Ribbon Cutting](#)  
1280 Old Skokie Road

**CHAMBER OF  
COMMERCE**



**Business After Hours**  
Disotto  
310 Green Bay Road. Highwood  
Wednesday, September 28  
[RSVP HERE](#)

Monday, October 17  
5-7 p.m.  
Bennett Gordon Hall, Ravinia Park

Ravinia's semi-annual "How to Do Business with Ravinia" idea-sharing meeting with local business leaders will be followed by a presentation of the philosophy and concepts for remodeling the Dining Pavilion and the creation of a new "experience center" for business leaders and neighbors from the Ravinia area.

RSVP to [mrosen@cityhpil.com](mailto:mrosen@cityhpil.com)

## RESOURCE LINKS

[Business Directory](#)      [Available Space](#)  
[Military Discounts](#)      [Establishing Your Business](#)  
[City Code](#)      [Chamber of Commerce](#)  
[Department of Commerce & Economic Opportunity](#)      [U.S. Small Business Administration](#)  
[Job center of Lake County - Business Services](#)      [SCORE Business Mentoring and Workshops](#)

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## SMALL BUSINESS FACADE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM



In recognition of the importance of small local independent businesses to the City of Highland Park, the City's Small Business Facade Improvement Program (SBFIP) provides both assistance and incentive to commercial property owners and local businesses to improve the look and functionality of their properties and businesses.

Click [HERE](#) for more information.



Following the announcement that the State of Illinois passed a six month stop-gap budget, the City of Highland Park began working with the Illinois

Department of Transportation (IDOT) to restore local road construction and engineering projects that were placed on hold by the State.

[Click here](#) for detailed information on the scheduled ramp closures.

Maps of the ramp closures and detours can be found [here](#).



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