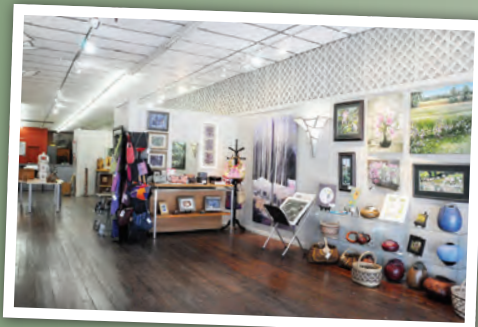


ABOUT THE LOCATIONS, continued



and \$7.00 for a Reserve Tasting. Slender wine tastings (3) are free.

Gift ideas: Christmas ceramic items on sale for 25% off; 10% discount on other seasonal merchandise; Gift baskets (excluding wine), holiday wine boxes and wine by the case; Gourmet food, imported cheese and crackers, handcrafted Ozark wood bowls, wine accessories, hand-painted stemware, and books, including "The Chateau Thomas Table: Pairing to Perfection" cookbook.



Gift ideas: wall art, wooden bowls, unique clay pieces, necklaces, bracelets, earrings, purses, wood cutting boards, stained glass, gourd art and baskets.

Frazer Gardens, Brownsburg

Address: 3480 N. St. Rd. 267

Hours: Mon-Fri, 10 am-6 pm; Sat, 9 am-5 pm; Sun, 10 am-5 pm

About: Hullless fresh popped popcorn, hot cocoa and coffee available daily for a donation to charity.

Gift ideas: Art by local artists, fresh wreaths, live trees, flowering plants, holiday ornaments and decorations, candles, outdoor art, full line of bird feeders and supplies, ceramics, jewelry, soaps and lotions, lots of stocking stuffers.

Gallery on the Square, Danville

Address: 51 S. Washington St.

Hours: Wed-Sat, 11 am-7 pm. Special Holiday hours December 13, 14, 20 and 21st, 10 am-5 pm

About: The only co-op Gallery in the county features the work of over a dozen local artisans highlighting photography, wood, watercolors, hand-made jewelry, stained glass, oil paintings, clay sculptures and more. The gallery will have several guest artists from November 26th through the end of the year.

Garden Gate Gift Shop, North Salem

Address: 107 W. Pearl St.

Hours: Wed-Sat, 11 am - 5 pm; Sun, 12 pm - 4 pm

About: This eclectic boutique showcases original jewelry, unique gift items and specialty finds in a warm and inviting setting. Be sure to visit the Designer Boutique inside the shop featuring amazing vintage clothing, hats, purses and personal gifts.

Gift ideas: Handmade jewelry by Vicki Cox, floral arrangements by Terri Soloman, and Bonnie Fischer specializing in antiques, collectibles, and new and vintage costume jewelry.

Hendricks County Historical Museum, Danville

Address: 170 S. Washington St.

Hours: Thu-Fri, 12 pm - 5 pm; Sat, 11 am - 5 pm

About: Free tours of the former Hendricks County Jail and Sheriff's home will be available throughout the day. An

old-fashioned Christmas tree will be decorated and there will be a special decorated children's area and tree. The Museum's collection includes items relating to domestic life, agriculture, military history, education and other aspects of our county's heritage.

Gift ideas: Early children's toys, \$1.80-\$4; children's books; lighted ceramic replica of the Hendricks County courthouse; Hendricks County Museum 16"x24" poster featuring items within the museum designed by local artist, Marti McCoy; Central Normal College notecards; books by local authors, "Churches of the Past" by Gail Tharp, "Danville," by Jeffrey K. Baldwin, highlights Danville in pictures and is part of Arcadia series Images of America; and "An Honorable Man," by Ruth Funk Jensen; "History of Hendricks County 1914-1976," includes histories of each township, the county government and public institutions and many photographs. It also includes over 500 pages of Hendricks County family histories. Index included.

McCloud Nature Park, North Salem

Address: 8518 Hughes Rd.

Hours: Wed-Sat, 10 am-5 pm; Sun, 1pm-5 pm

About: 232-acre nature park, 5 miles of trails, access to Big Walnut Creek, Historical Bridge, bird viewing area, interactive computers, and exhibits.

Rental (free with photo id and return of items in good condition) of Bird Watching kits; GPS units and coordinates to find caches hidden in the park; fishing poles and tackle (bring your own bait). Art Gallery featuring guest artist Rick Martin, wildlife wood burning art pieces.



Gift ideas:

Wood burning artwork; membership to The Parks Foundation of Hendricks County; purchase equipment or support projects in honor of someone.

Plainfield-Guilford Township Public Library, Plainfield

Address: 1120 Stafford Rd.

Hours: Mon-Thu, 9 am-9 pm; Fri, 9 am-6 pm; Sat, 9 am-5 pm; Sun, 1 pm-5 pm

About: Decorated 18" holiday trees by local businesses, organizations, and individuals will be on display. Get great tree decorating ideas and vote for your favorite. Place a bid and possibly win one! In the gallery see work by guest artist April Willy, "Contemporary Landscapes" Oil and Acrylic.

Gift idea: Visit the Friends of the Library Used Book Sale!

To find out more about our Hendricks County Holidays, including events, discounts, the Cookie Trail and more, visit www.HendricksCountyHolidays.com.

Holiday Open House

Thursday, Dec. 9 through
Saturday, Dec. 11, 2010

The
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Cultural Trail

The holiday edition of the popular, year-round self-directed driving tour will lead you to Hendricks County art studios, galleries and other creative spaces. Shop for unique gifts and enjoy special events and workshops as you travel along scenic, open roads just a few miles from Indianapolis...just in time for the holidays!



SPECIAL EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS

Thursday, December 9

10 am – 12 pm: Millefiori Ornament Workshop with Polymer Clay



- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg
- Ages 12 and up. \$20. Registration required: (317) 852-0252.

12 pm – 5 pm: Tours of the Former Hendricks County Jail

- Hendricks County Historical Museum, Danville
- All ages, FREE

1 pm and 3 pm: Weaving Demonstration with Shirley Adams

- The Gallery on the Square, Danville
- All ages. FREE.

3 pm – 6 pm: Holiday Gift Tags

- Plainfield-Guilford Township Public Library
- Enjoy holiday music and hot cocoa while you create beautiful gift tags for your holiday presents at this drop-in craft program. Bring old holiday greeting cards to cut up or use other materials provided by the library. All ages, FREE

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm: Make and Take Polymer Clay Holiday Ornament and Holiday Card

- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg

- Ages 5 and up, 5-6 year olds must attend with an adult. \$10 fee. Registration required: (317) 852-0252.

Friday, December 10

10 am – 11 am: Make and Take Polymer Clay Holiday Ornament and Holiday Card

- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg
- Ages 5 and up, 5-6 year olds must attend with an adult. \$10 fee. Registration required: (317) 852-0252.

12 pm – 5 pm: Tours of the Former Hendricks County Jail

- Hendricks County Historical Museum, Danville
- All ages, FREE

1 pm and 3 pm: Precious Metal Clay Demonstration with Jerri Crosby

- The Gallery on the Square, Danville
- All ages, FREE

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm: Millefiori Ornament Workshop with Polymer Clay

- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg
- Ages 12 and up. \$20 fee. Registration required: (317) 852-0252.

4 pm: Christmas Wreath Centerpiece Demonstration

- Frazee Gardens, Brownsburg
- Learn how to turn a wreath into a Christmas centerpiece. All ages, FREE.

6 pm – 9 pm: North Salem Old Fashion Christmas activities

- FREE carriage rides, Christmas tree lighting ceremony and resident light contest. Local merchants open throughout town; booths & refreshments in Community Building.

Saturday, December 11

8 am – 3 pm: North Salem Old Fashion Christmas activities

- Chili Cook-off, Santa arrives by fire truck and a free will offering breakfast. Local merchants open throughout town; booths & refreshments in Community Building.

8 am – 2 pm: Fresh homemade Cinnamon Rolls and special snowman cakes for sale!

- Bread Basket Bakery, Danville

10 am – 5 pm: Make It & Take It Christmas Ornament workshops

- The Avon Quiltery
- Throughout the day. All ages, FREE.

10:30 am – 12:30 pm: Millefiori Ornament Workshop with Polymer Clay

- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg
- Ages 12 and up, \$20. Registration required: (317) 852-0252.

11 am – 5 pm: Tours of the Former Hendricks County Jail

- Hendricks County Historical Museum, Danville
- All ages, FREE

11 am: Professional Holiday Dog Portraits

- Frazee Gardens, Brownsburg
- Professional photographer Dawna Clearwater will take photos of dogs with a holiday background, printing on the spot. 5" x 7" for \$18. Cash or check



only. Registration required: (317) 858-8440. 15 minute time slots available.

12 pm – 4pm: The Art of Wood Burning, Demonstrations by Local Artist Rick Martin

- McCloud Nature Park, North Salem
- Throughout the day. Meet the artist, view his work, and view works for sale.

12 pm – 4:30 pm: Holiday Cookies and Hot Chocolate

- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg
- Served all day.

1 pm – 3 pm: Snowflake Mandala Demonstration with Lynne Medsker

- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg
- All ages, FREE

1 pm – 4 pm: Holiday Wreath Workshop

- McCloud Nature Park, North Salem
- Celebrate the holiday season by making a decorative wreath out of natural materials. Free but registration is limited and required. (765) 676-5437.

3 pm: Watercolor Demonstration with Shirley Woolard

- The Gallery on the Square, Danville
- All ages, FREE

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm: Make and Take Polymer Clay Holiday Ornament and Holiday Card

- Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg
- Ages 5 and up, 5-6 year olds must attend with an adult. \$10 fee. Registration required: (317) 852-0252.

4 pm: Christmas Wreath Centerpiece Demonstration

- Frazee Gardens, Brownsburg
- Learn how to turn a wreath into a Christmas centerpiece. All ages, FREE.

ABOUT THE LOCATIONS

Artistic Designs Gallery, Brownsburg

Address: 152 E. Northfield Dr.
Hours: Mon-Fri, 9 am - 6 pm; Sat, 10 am - 5 pm

About: Stop in to see our silent auction holiday tree and place your bid on one of a kind ornaments made by regional artists and local art students. Proceeds will go directly to The Brownsburg Cheer Committee.

Gift ideas: Contemporary Ornaments made by Lynne Medsker of Brownsburg, Hand Blown Glass Ornaments made by Lisa F. Pelo, an Indiana Artisan from Clayton. Hand-Made Egg Ornaments made by Nan Klein of Pittsboro, and Holiday Greeting Cards designed by Laura Hall Tesdahl. Beautiful artisan holiday cookies. Original Art in a variety of media by regionally and nationally recognized artists. Exceptional custom framing for original art, needlework, and treasured memorabilia.

Avon Quiltery, Avon

Address: 5201 E. US 36, Ste. 105
Hours: Mon-Fri, 10 am - 6 pm; Sat, 10 am - 5 pm

Gift ideas: Visit the Holiday Boutique for Small quilts and wall hangings. Also find books, fabric kits, tea towels, notions, specialty thread gift packs and unique fabrics.

Bread Basket Bakery & Cafe, Coatesville

Address: 8026 Main St.
Hours: Tue-Sat, 10 am - 3 pm
About: Menu of sandwiches, wraps, salads, and entrees with locally-grown ingredients, handcrafted bread, made-

from-scratch soups, and decadent desserts.
Gift ideas: Desserts, artisan breads, gift certificates for pies, cakes and more!

Bread Basket Bakery, Danville

Address: 41 W. Clinton St.
Hours: Tue- Fri, 9 am - 6 pm; Sat, 8 am - 2 pm

About: This annex of the Coatesville location highlights the baked goods and lunch specials daily! A great spot for a respite from your shopping.

Gift ideas: A variety of regular size cakes and pies for holiday meals including Baby Cakes and Sweetie Pies, just right for 2-4 people! Also cookies, artisan bread and a sweet new line of greeting cards.



Chateau Thomas Winery, Plainfield

Address: 6291 Cambridge Way
Hours: Mon-Thu, 10 am - 9 pm; Fri-Sat, 10 am - 10 pm; Sun, 12 pm - 7 pm
About: Free food sample of local products, wine tasting, \$5.00 for a regular tasting from our list of over 50 varietal wines

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