



Lighting Up Gaslight

As summer approaches, Gaslight Village is bustling with activity. The wide array of stylish boutiques, delicious restaurants, and lifestyle services has transformed “downtown” East Grand Rapids into a mecca for upscale shoppers. Best of all, the new, revitalized Gaslight Village is truly a walker’s delight—the perfect place to spend a leisurely summer day.

As the days get longer and warmer, make time to check out the new Gaslight Village. Shop ‘til you drop, then stick around for drinks, dinner, dessert and plenty of great people watching. Be sure to stop by the lighted fountains, a magnet for curious dogs, playful kids...and the whole community.

SMOOCH BEAUTY BOUTIQUE

Smooch Beauty Boutique, a stylish new addition to Gaslight Village, offers everything you could ever want for your cosmetic needs. The boutique provides high-end manicures, waxes, and facials by appointment. The experts at Smooch can also recommend the perfect crème or blush from such trend-setters as NARS, Stila, ID Minerals and Philosophy. For more information on services, pricing and products, stop in or visit www.smoochbeautyboutique.com.

SPICE MERCHANTS

As one of West Michigan’s leading distributors of organic spices and herbs, Spice Merchants is a delightfully tasty addition to Gaslight Village. Spice Merchants features hundreds of blends of spices and have an in-store kitchen available for taste demonstrations. Visit them at their new Gaslight Village store, or online at www.spicemerchants.biz.

OLGA’S KITCHEN WITH SUNCOAST SMOOTHIES

Next door, you’ll find another new tasty treat at Gaslight Village—Olga’s Kitchen and Suncoast Smoothies! Olga’s Kitchen offers delicious sandwiches and salads daily for eat-in or take-out. To view their entire menu, check them out online at www.olgaskitchen.com.

Once you’ve enjoyed one of Olga’s signature dishes, check out Suncoast Smoothies to cool your taste buds.

GRAND GALLERY

If you’re looking for a spectacular new piece of art for your home, look no further than Grand Gallery’s new location in Gaslight Village. With pieces representing over thirty artists, Grand Gallery offers a tremendous array of artwork, sculpture, jewelry, and ceramics. For more information on specific artists, stop in or visit them online at www.grandgallery.com.

SEVA YOGA

In Sanskrit, “seva” means the spiritual practice of selfless service. In Gaslight Village, Seva Yoga means the finest in meditation and yogic practice. Stop in and sign up for any number of classes, ranging from early morning Sunrise Yogi to Tai Chi in the evening. To see a full schedule of the week’s offerings, visit Seva Yoga online at www.sevayoga.net.

PAPERS PLUS

In today’s fast-paced world, the arrival of an elegant invitation or charming personal note on fine stationery is more welcome than ever. The well-known retailer now offers an expanded selection of fine stationery, announcements and beautiful gifts, including Vera Bradley. In addition, Papers Plus sales consultants are always happy to provide advice on contemporary etiquette and entertaining trends.

L. MARIE & CO.

When shoppers walk through the door to the new L. Marie & Co. boutique in Gaslight Village, all of their senses are immediately engaged. In addition to the elegant displays of European-style home accents, jewelry, clothing, and accessories, the shop offers aromatic Fireside Coffee and soothing background music. L. Marie invites shoppers to unwind and enjoy the leisurely pleasures of boutique shopping.

MAISON

Maison, Grand Rapids’ newest boutique for eclectic European-style home décor, is filled with items that were hand-selected by the store owner, Shannon Gulielmi, during her extensive travels abroad. Her selection changes almost daily. Every item, from table linens to down pillows and comfy wing chairs, was chosen to express elegance and comfort. Best of all, the store owner insists on keeping her prices affordable and accessible to everyone.

JUDE’S BARBERSHOP

Tired of expensive hair salons? If you answered “yes,” Jude’s Barbershop is the perfect prescription. This fantastic new addition to the Gaslight Village community is the place to go for talented, straight-shooting hairstylists and affordable prices. If you want to know more about Jude’s Barbershop, stop by or visit www.judesbarbershop.com.

GREENRIDGE REALTY

Looking to buy or sell a house in West Michigan? The experts at Greenridge Realty can both give you great advice and get the job done. Listed as one of the Top 100 largest brokers in America by Real Trends magazine, Greenridge—with their new convenient location in Gaslight Village—is now ready to assist you in your journey to a new home. To search for a listing or put your house up for sale, check out www.greenridge.com.

GASLIGHT VILLAGE FAMILY DENTISTRY, DR. BESS AFENDOULIS

Laser whitening, crowns, fillings, and ultrasonic cleanings. These are just a few of the many services offered at the new office of Gaslight Village Family Dentistry. Whatever your dentistry needs, the friendly, experienced staff at Gaslight Village Family Dentistry will put a smile on your face. For a complete list of services and an impressive list of customer testimonials, visit www.drness.com.

HOT MAMA, OPENING SOON!

In today’s fast-paced, fashion-conscious world, busy mothers can sometimes feel left out. Help is on the way! Hot Mama, already a favorite of trendy moms in Minneapolis and Chicago is coming to Gaslight Village! Specializing in the most stylish lines for “the fashion-forward mom,” Hot Mama is a great, up-and-coming boutique for Grand Rapids women. For more information on sales, designers and more, visit www.shopmama.com.