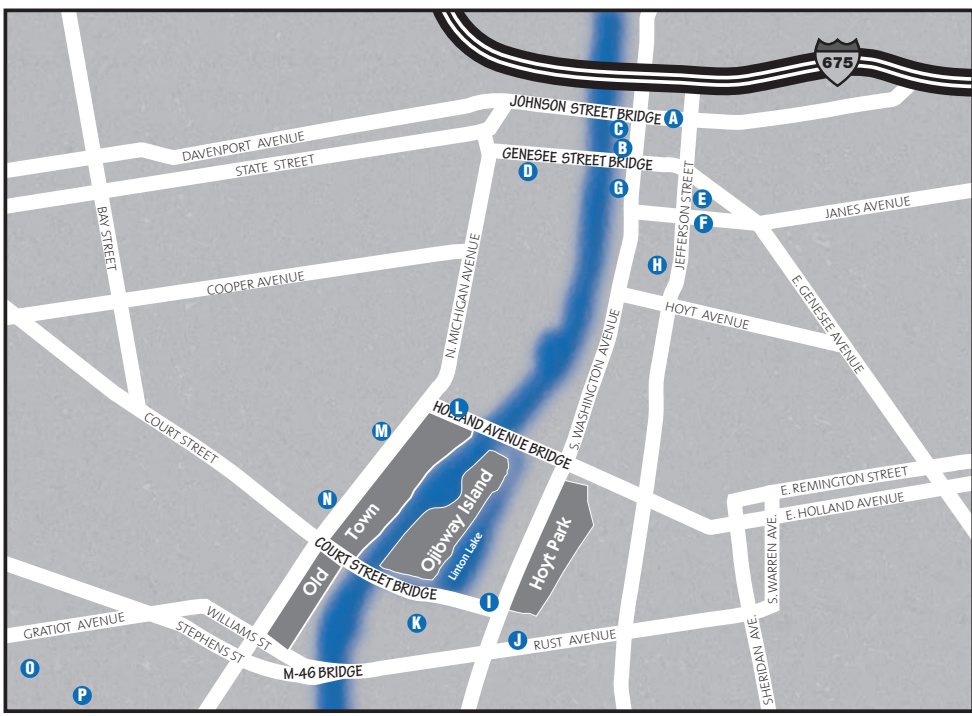


2018

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For more than 50 years Hemlock Semiconductor has called Saginaw County home and we are committed to making the Great Lakes Bay Region a great place to live, work and play.

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Since the Art Commission's inception in 1986, our programs have grown yet our mission remains clear... to support and champion arts and culture in our community.

The Commission administers the Artreach and Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs Minigrant programs, holds ongoing art exhibits, and winter and summer art fairs. We produce the Artifacts newsletter, offer youth outreach programs, while Saginaw Celebrates Summer brings thousands of people to the City for a variety of art and cultural events.

We look forward to continuing our mission by working to provide an environment in which the arts thrive, and by cultivating creativity in the Saginaw community and the Great Lakes Bay Region!



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(989) 752-2861  
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**Children's Zoo at Celebration Square**  
1730 S. Washington  
(989) 759-1408  
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**Counter Culture**  
620 Gratiot  
(989) 326-1303  
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**Huntington Event Park Dow Event Center**  
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**Downtown Saginaw Farmers' Market**  
203 S. Washington  
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**Green Point Environmental Learning Center**  
3010 Maple  
(989) 759-1669  
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**Hoyt Park**  
1574 S. Washington  
[friendsofhoyparksaginaw@weebly.com](mailto:friendsofhoyparksaginaw@weebly.com)

**Japanese Cultural Center, Tea House and Gardens**  
527 Ezra Rust  
(989) 759-1648  
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**Jazz on Jefferson**  
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**Lawn Chair Film Festival**  
[www.lawnchairfilmfestival.org](http://www.lawnchairfilmfestival.org)

**Mid Michigan Children's Museum**  
315 W. Genesee  
(989) 399-6626  
[www.michildrensmuseum.com](http://www.michildrensmuseum.com)

**Pit & Balcony Community Theatre**  
805 N. Hamilton  
(989) 754-6588  
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**Public Libraries of Saginaw Hoyt Main Library**  
505 Janes  
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[www.saginawlibrary.org](http://www.saginawlibrary.org)

**Positive Results Downtown Saginaw**  
101 N. Washington  
(989) 753-9168  
[www.prideinsaginaw.org](http://www.prideinsaginaw.org)

**READ Association**  
100 S. Jefferson, Suite 401  
(989) 755-8042  
[www.readinsaginaw.org](http://www.readinsaginaw.org)

**Riverside Saginaw Film Festival**  
[www.riversidesaginawfilmfestival.org](http://www.riversidesaginawfilmfestival.org)

**Roethke House & Yards**  
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**Saginaw Arts & Enrichment Commission**  
120 Ezra Rust  
(989) 759-1363  
[www.artsaginaw.org](http://www.artsaginaw.org)

**Saginaw Art Museum**  
1126 N. Michigan  
(989) 754-2491  
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**Saginaw Bay Symphony Orchestra**  
201 N. Washington  
(989) 755-6471  
[www.saginawbayorchestra.com](http://www.saginawbayorchestra.com)

**Saginaw Choral Society**  
201 N. Washington  
(989) 753-1812  
[www.saginawchoralsociety.com](http://www.saginawchoralsociety.com)

**Saginaw County Parks & Recreation**  
111 S. Michigan  
(989) 790-5280  
[www.saginawcounty.com/parks](http://www.saginawcounty.com/parks)

**Saginaw Eddy Concert Band**  
[www.saginaweddyband.org](http://www.saginaweddyband.org)

**Temple Theatre**  
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MI Big Green Gym is your resource for the state's best parks, trails, and outdoor recreation facilities. Check out [mparks.org/MIbiggreengym](http://mparks.org/MIbiggreengym) for endless ways to get active, stay healthy, and spend time with family!

And don't forget to visit the Michigan Activity Pass (MAP) website at [michiganactivitypass.info](http://michiganactivitypass.info) where you can discover Michigan's cultural destinations and natural attractions using your Michigan library card for free or discounted admissions.

# JUNE

**Art & About: Painted Piano Project** – Riverfront Saginaw, FREE. Visit [Facebook @artandaboutsaginaw](#) for information.

**Breaking the Rules: Art Quilts** – Art @ the Andersen, Andersen Enrichment Center, on exhibit through June 20, FREE.

**Cloth as Community: Hmong Textiles In America** – Castle Museum, through August 11.

**Counter Cruise** – Mondays, 7 pm, corner of Cass and Hamilton. A guided family friendly bike ride through Saginaw neighborhoods. Facebook [@CounterCruise](#) for information and route map.

**Downtown Saginaw Farmers' Market** – New outdoor pavilion at 203 S. Washington; Mon: 12 – 6 pm, Wed & Fri: 10 am – 3 pm, Sat: 9 am – 1 pm

**Great Lakes Bay En Plein Air Festival** – Saginaw Art Museum, June 11 – June 16. Visit [SaginawArtMuseum.org](#) for full calendar of events, times and admission.

- 6/11: Quick Paint Art Museum Gardens, Kick-off Reception, Art Museum Tour
- 6/12: Artist Gathering, Quick Paint Bay City 3rd Street Bridge
- 6/13: Kid's Day, Quick Paint Midland Farmer's Market
- 6/14: Quick Paint Saginaw Zoo, Evening in the Gardens
- 6/15: Quick Paint Dow Gardens
- 6/16: Michigan Watercolor Society Talk, Yoga in Garden, Closing Reception

**Lawn Chair Film Festival** – Old Saginaw City, corner of Ames & N. Hamilton, FREE. Bring your own chair, movie starts at dusk.

- 6/17: Lady Bird
- 6/24: Loving Vincent

**Libraries Rock!** – Summer Reading Program Public Libraries of Saginaw, June 11 – July 21, FREE. Visit [www.saginawlibrary.org](#) for registration, information and full list of summer programming. All Ages

- 6/11: Family Fun Dance Party – Butman-Fish, 6 pm
- 6/18: Teen Movie Night: Save the Last Dance – Hoyt Library, 5:30 pm
- 6/19: Jamaican Folktales – Wickes, 1:30 pm
- 6/26: Rock Painting & Crafts – Wickes Library, 1:30 pm
- 6/27: Pixilation Video Production – Butman-Fish, 2 pm
- 6/28: Library of Rock with Acting Up Theatre Company – Zael Library, 3 pm

**Lunch and Learn** – Castle Museum, noon. FREE with Museum admission.

- 6/5: The President and His Photographers Part I
- 6/12: The President and His Photographers Part II
- 6/26: To be Announced

**Mid-Michigan Children's Museum** – Grandparents Play Free on first Saturday of the month, 9:30 am – 5 pm. Visit [michildrensmuseum.com](#) for information and event listing.

**Project Recreation Playdates:** Keep the little ones occupied all summer long with outdoor fun at your local parks. Visit [www.saginawcounty.com/parks](#) for a complete list of programs, times and locations.

**Rock & Roll Magic Bookshelf with Scheer Genius** – Public Libraries of Saginaw, FREE. Children

- 6/14: Zael – 3 pm
- 6/18: Butman-Fish – 6 pm
- 6/20: Hoyt – 2 pm

**Roethke Summer Literary Picnic Series** – Poetry, readings, lectures and more with dinner or refreshments at Roethke House. Admission, reservations required. Facebook [@FriendsofTheodoreRoethke](#) for times and information.

- 6/6: **Laura DeLind and Anita Skeen** – The Unauthorized Audubon a collaboration with prints and poetry.
- 6/25: **Leola Wilson** – African American History: Family Migration Stories
- 6/28: **Hendrik (Hank) Meijer** – Arthur Vandenberg: The Man in the Middle of the American Century, book discussion.

**Saginaw Eddy Concert Band** – Huntington Event Park, 7 pm, FREE.  
6/17, 6/24

**Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge** – Wildlife Drive open for season, sunrise to sunset. Visit [www.fws.gov/refuge/shiawassee](#) for information on refuge and Green Point Environmental Learning Center.

**Stylized Nature: A Reverie of Tone, Value, and Hue** – Saginaw Art Museum, on exhibit through June 19.

**Great Lakes Bay En Plein Air: Invitational and Juried Class Exhibition** – Saginaw Art Museum, June 16 through September 1. Open Class Exhibition – June 22 through August 25. Admission.

2 **Cabaret and Cabernet: Saginaw Choral Society** – Court Street Theatre, 7:30 p.m., ticketed event. Choral Society members singing favorites from stage and screen.

**Row/Ride/Run** – Great Lakes Bay Regional Trail – Ojibway Island, 8 am, FREE.

3 **A Sister's Betrayal** – Temple Theatre, 3 pm, ticketed event. An original play uncovering shameful secrets behind abuse and betrayal.

**The Dope House and Thug Girls** – Temple Theatre, 8 pm, ticketed event. A powerful story about the world of urban street life.

6 **Art & Garden Festival** – Andersen Enrichment Center, 10 am – 3 pm, Admission to Garden Festival is FREE, food for purchase. Demonstrations, art and garden vendors, silent auction, lunch, strawberry shortcake.

**Jazz on Jefferson** – Historic South Jefferson Avenue in Saginaw, 4:45 – 8 pm. Musicians, classic cars, food, Saginaw Choral Society, architectural walking tour and concert at First Congregational Church featuring New Reformation Band. Concert begins at 8 pm, FREE.

# JULY

**Jazz in the Garden** – Andersen Enrichment Center, 7 pm. Bring your own chair, FREE.

- 7/11: Monique Ella Rose
- 7/18: Brush Street featuring Julie Mulady
- 7/25: New Reformation Jazz Band accompanied by Dave Bennett
- 8/01: Cool Lemon Jazz Band

**Friday Night Live, Positive Results Downtown Saginaw** – Morley Plaza, 5:30 – 9 pm, FREE concert, great food and fun from area vendors.

- 7/13: Rockin' the Riverfront
- 7/20: Kickin' Country
- 7/27: Latin Fiesta

Exotic Zoo – Public Libraries of Saginaw, FREE. Children

- 7/23: Butman-Fish – 6 pm
- 7/24: Wickes – 1:30 pm
- 7/26: Hoyt – 2 pm

Lawn Chair Film Festival, Old Saginaw City, corner of Ames & N. Hamilton, FREE. Bring your own chair, movie starts at dusk.

- 7/1: The Way Way Back
- 7/8: The Big Sick
- 7/15: Coco
- 7/22: Hot Fuzz
- 7/29: Lost In Paris

**Libraries Rock!** – Public Libraries of Saginaw, FREE. Visit [www.saginawlibrary.org](#) for full program list and ages.

- 7/9: Paleo Joe – Butman-Fish, 6 pm
- 7/9: Teen Movie Night: The Queen of Katwe – Hoyt Library, 5:30 pm
- 7/12: Dance and Sing with Rick Kelley – Hoyt, 2 pm
- 7/19: Rockin' Tic Tac Toe – Zael Library, 3 pm
- 7/21: Summertime Sock Hop – Zael, 1pm
- 7/26: Bucket Drumming for Kids – Zael Library, 3 pm

**Roethke Summer Literary Picnic Series** – Poetry, readings, lectures and more with dinner or refreshments at Roethke House. Admission, reservations required. Facebook [@FriendsofTheodoreRoethke](#) for times and information.

- 7/12: Tom Trombley – The Saginaw Song, walking tour of old Saginaw city.
- 7/27: Basil Clark – The Waking poetry discussion.

**Summer Cultural Celebration** – Castle Museum, noon. FREE with Museum admission.

- 7/12: U Me Paint (registration required)
- 7/19: Depot Town Players
- 7/26: Polynesian Dancers of Michigan
- 8/2: To be Announced

**Saginaw Eddy Concert Band** – Huntington Event Park, 7 pm, FREE.

- 7/1, 7/8, 7/22 and 7/29

**Great Lakes Bay En Plein Air: Open Exhibition** – Art @ the Andersen, Andersen Enrichment Center, Open Class artwork exhibited through August 24.

4 **Saginaw Area Fireworks** – Viewing surrounding Ojibway Island, Dusk, FREE.

**Libraries Rock!** – Public Libraries of Saginaw, FREE. Visit [www.saginawlibrary.org](#) for full program list and ages.

- 8/2: Baffling Bill Libraries Rock Magic Show – Zael, 6 pm
- 8/4: Bleach Pen Art – Zael, 2 pm
- 8/23: Summer Blowout! – Wickes, 1:30 pm

**Movies Under the Stars** – Featured Film TBD, Movie begins at dusk, Pre-Party at 7:30 pm, FREE Admission. 8/3, 8/17 and 8/31.

4 **Gospel Fest** – Ojibway Island, 12 - 6:30 pm, FREE. National and local musical talent, food vendors.

5 **Family Fun Day** – Huntington Event Park, 1 – 4 pm, FREE. Inflatables, games, activities and music.

**Saginaw Eddy Concert Band** – Huntington Event Park, 7 pm, FREE.

10, 11, 12 **Saginaw African Cultural Festival** – Morley School Park, 2601 Lapeer St, Saginaw. Food, fun, entertainment and fellowship.

10, 11 **Saginaw Old Town Art Fair** – 400 Block of Court Street, 10 am – 7 pm. Fine art, demonstrations, art activities and more! Facebook [@saginawart](#) for information and updates.

6 **Classic Antique Car and Motorcycle Show** – Federal Ave during Jazz on Jefferson, 5 – 8 pm. FREE

9 **Happy 10th Birthday MMCM!** – Mid-Michigan Children's Museum, 9:30 am – 5 pm, FREE Admission. It's a party with games, hats, noise makers and more!

**Kids' Fishing Day** – Ojibway Island & Boat Docks, 7:30 – 10 am, FREE.

**Celebrate Our GREAT Lakes!** – Children's Zoo at Celebration Square, 10 am – 2 pm, Admission/Members FREE. Learn how to keep our Great Lakes clean with hands-on activities.

**Formal Japanese Tea Ceremony** – Japanese Cultural Center, Tea House and Gardens, 2 pm, \$10 by reservation.

13 **Riverside Saginaw Film Festival Presents** – "Loving Vincent" at the Saginaw Art Museum, 7 pm, FREE film showing.

**Light Up the City Community Kick-off Celebration** – Ojibway Island, 5:30 – 7:30 pm, FREE. Organized community walks, Wednesdays all summer long. Visit [www.lightupthecitysaginaw.com](#) for information and locations.

15 **Midwest Tejano Music Festival** – Huntington Event Park, 5:30 pm, \$5 Admission. Live entertainment and food vendors.

16 **Rock-n-Roll Festival** – Ojibway Island. 9 am – 7 pm Facebook@ojibway2018 for information.

**Flower Day** – Japanese Cultural Center, Tea House and Gardens, 1 – 3 pm, \$5. Ikebana flower arranging demonstration.

**World Snake Day** – Children's Zoo, 10 am – 1 pm. Admission/Members FREE. Hands on encounters with snakes from around the world.

**Under the Sea** – Mid-Michigan Children's Museum, 10 am - 4 pm, Admission. Explore animals living under the sea, create your own sea creature!

17 **Father's Day at the Zoo** – Children's Zoo at Celebration Square, 10 am – 5 pm. Dads get in free! Admission/Members FREE.

20 **DEAR (Drop Everything and Read)** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, READ Association, 10 am – 3 pm, Admission. Every child receives a book, activities and more!

21, 22, 23 **Pit and Balcony Theatre** – *Hand to God* theatre production, 8:30 pm, Admission.

22 **Rock the Block Ribfest** – Huntington Event Park, 6 – 9 pm, FREE. Jerry Ross Band and Saginaw's own Soul Xpress.

30 **Family Backyard Field Day** – Green Point Environmental Learning Center, 10 am – 2 pm, FREE. Nature games, explore the ponds and more!

6 **126th Army Band Concert at the Zoo** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, 5:30 – 8:30 pm, FREE. Music, animals and more!

7 **Tanabata (Star Festival)** – Japanese Cultural Center, Tea House and Gardens, 1 – 3 pm, \$5. Calligraphy

14 **Formal Japanese Tea Ceremony** – Japanese Cultural Center, Tea House and Gardens, 2 pm, \$10 by reservation.

**Superhero Day!** – Mid-Michigan Children's Museum, 10 am – 4 pm, Admission.

15 **Saginaw Eddy Concert Band** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, 7 pm, FREE.

**A Night at the Zoo** – music, animals and more!

20 **Movies Under the Stars** – Movie begins at dusk, Pre-Party at 7:30 pm, FREE Admission.

21 **Rock the Island Festival** – Christian Music Concert, Ojibway Island, 12 – 8 pm, ticketed event, ages 10 and under Free. Music, food and activities for the family! [www.rocktheisland.net](#)

24 **Party at the Zoo: Roethke Summer Picnic Series** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, 1:30 – 2:30 pm, Free with Zoo Admission. Poetry readings, games, hats, and refreshments!

28 **Birds, Bugs, Butterflies, & Blooms** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, 10 am – 3 pm. Admission/Members FREE. Garden day with special presentations and activities.

11 Carnival Day! – Mid-Michigan Children's Museum, 10 am – 4 pm, Admission.

**Temple Theatre** – Summer Breeze Presents: Tank. 8 pm, ticketed event.

**Formal Japanese Tea Ceremony** – Japanese Cultural Center, Tea House and Gardens, 2 pm, \$10 by reservation.

**Farm Days** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, 10 am – 2 pm. Admission/Members FREE. Michigan agriculture games and activities.

18 **Bon Odori** – Japanese Cultural Center, Tea House and Gardens, 1 – 3 pm, \$5. Japanese folk dance performance.

**Pirate and Princess Day** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, 10 am – 2 pm, Admission/Members FREE. Meet parrots and "dragons" up close, dig for treasure, walk the plank and more!

24 **Saginaw ZooVie Night** – Saginaw Children's Zoo, 8:30 – 10:30 pm, FREE admission. Movies, animals, and more!

# AUGUST

Lawn Chair Film Festival, Old Saginaw City, corner of Ames & N. Hamilton, FREE. Bring your own chair, movie starts at dusk.  
8/5: Stop Making Sense

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8/3, 8/10 and 8/17

**Roethke Summer Literary Picnic Series** – Poetry, readings, lectures and more with dinner or refreshments at Roethke House. Admission, reservations required. Facebook [@FriendsofTheodoreRoethke](#) for times and information.

- 8/13: Jared Morningstar and Karen Horwath – Words into Wisdom: When the World is Our Classroom, readings and writing workshop.
- 8/22: Rosalie Riegle – Theodore Roethke: Master Teacher, reading and discussion.