



"Putting People First!"

**2009 COMMUNITY AWARENESS AND SPECIAL EVENTS LISTING  
VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FEATURING SALES OF PRODUCTS MADE BY ARTISANS  
EMPLOYED BY WEAVER INDUSTRIES FOR THE GIFT GALLERY  
(DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)**

- Hartville Market Place on Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, Year –Round from 9 AM to 5 PM, 1289 Edison St., .W. Hartville (Sales of Gift Gallery Products)
- Ancient Order of Hibernians St. Pat's Day Parade on March 14<sup>th</sup> @ Noon on Main Street and Bartges from Spaghetti Warehouse through Downtown Akron
- Ancient Order of Hibernians St. Patrick's Day Celebrations on March 14<sup>th</sup> at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Glenmount Ave. in Akron from 1 PM to 7 PM and at the Hibernian Club on Brown Street from 1 PM to 5 PM (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- People First at the Movies - MRDD Awareness Month Celebration on March 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM to for a special viewing of "Hotel for Dogs" at the Linda Theatre on Goodyear Boulevard, Akron (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Hower House at Akron U Victorian Craft Fair on March 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 4 PM (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- VSA Arts of Ohio's Art for All Festival on April 4<sup>th</sup> from 1 PM to 4 PM at the Twinsburg Activity Center on Ravenna Road (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Tallmadge Community Expo on April 4<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 4 PM at Tallmadge Recreational Center (Community Awareness Only)
- Children's Services Family Awareness Expo 2009 on April 4<sup>th</sup> from 11 AM to 4 PM at Summit Mall (Community Awareness Only)
- Green & Clean Day on May 1<sup>st</sup> from 10 AM to 3 PM in Downtown Akron
- Canal Place "Scratch & Dent Sale" – May 15<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 4 PM (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Kids Fair 2009 on June 7<sup>th</sup> from 11:30 AM to 5:30 PM at the Shaw JCC of Akron (Community Awareness Only)
- Riverfront Irish Festival 5-K Run & 1 Mile Run/Walk on June 7<sup>th</sup> at the Cuyahoga Falls River Square Ampitheatre in the Front Street Mall - Registration at 7 AM – Contact Lucky Tisch at 330.634.8656 for more information
- Riverfront Irish Festival on June 12<sup>th</sup> from 5 PM to 12 AM; June 13<sup>th</sup> from 12 PM to 12 AM and June 14<sup>th</sup> from 12 PM to 5 PM at the Front Street Mall, Cuyahoga Falls (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- United Way Day of Action 2009 on June 19<sup>th</sup> from 8 AM to 3 PM. Contact Bonnie Binns at 330.634.8873 to participate.
- Twinsburg Home Days on July 10<sup>th</sup> from 6 PM to 8:30 PM; July 11<sup>th</sup> from 12 PM to 8:30 PM and July 12<sup>th</sup> from 1 PM to 5 PM at the Twinsburg Town Hall in downtown Twinsburg (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Spirit Day – Orbit Visits Work Centers on July 15<sup>th</sup> – Schedule To Be Announced
- Rock the Docks on July 18<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 10 PM and July 19<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 6 PM at Dodds Park in Lakemore, Ohio (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Akron Arts Expo 2009 on July 25<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 6 PM; July 26<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 6 PM at Hardesty Park, Akron (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Summit County Fair on July 21<sup>st</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> with hours July 21<sup>st</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> from 11 AM to 11 PM; July 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> from 11 AM to 12 AM and July 27<sup>th</sup> 11 AM to 8 PM at the Summit County Fairgrounds, Tallmadge (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Akron Farmers Market every Wednesday and Friday from July 8<sup>th</sup> through October 30<sup>th</sup> from 8 AM to 2 PM at Cascade Plaza in Downtown Akron (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- People First at the Park on August 4<sup>th</sup> from 3 PM to 10 PM at Lock 3 Park/Canal Park Stadium, Downtown Akron (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Springfield Township Bicentennial Celebration on August 1<sup>st</sup> from 1 PM to 11 PM at Springfield Lake on Route 224 (Community Awareness Only)
- Copley Heritage Community Day Festival on August 1<sup>st</sup> from 2 PM to 9 PM at Copley Fairlawn High School (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Twins Day Festival on August 1<sup>st</sup> from 8 AM to 10 PM; August 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10 AM to 7 PM at Chamberlin Park/School Complex on Ravenna Road in Twinsburg (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Canal Place "Scratch & Dent Sale" – August 14<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 4 PM (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- University Park Arts Festival on August 15<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 6 PM at Grace Park on Perkins Street in downtown Akron (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Weaver Golf Outing on September 4<sup>th</sup> from 7 AM to 7 PM at Brookledge Golf Course, Cuyahoga Falls
- Yankee Peddler Festival on September 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 6 PM at Clays Park in Canal Fulton (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Healthy Baby Fair on October 10<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 5 PM at the John S. Knight Center, Akron (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Akron Health and Fitness Expo on September 25<sup>th</sup> from 11 AM to 9 PM at the John S. Knight Center and Road Runner Marathon Street Fair – September 26<sup>th</sup> from 8 AM to 3 PM in Canal Park Stadium on Main Street in Downtown Akron (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Ohio Mart on October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 5 PM at Stan Hywet Hall (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Christmas Time In Stow on November 7<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 4 PM at the United Methodist Church in Stow (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Weaver Industries Holiday Mart on November 7<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 5 PM and November 8<sup>th</sup> from 11 AM to 4 PM at The Summit County Fairgrounds, Tallmadge (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Happy Holly Days Bazaar on November 7<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 4 PM and November 9<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 3:00 PM at St. Matthews Church (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Disabilities Awareness Week Activities Fair on November 12<sup>th</sup> from 11 AM to 2 PM at the Akron U Student Union (Sales of the Gift Gallery products)
- Belles of Ireland Christmas Faire on November 23<sup>rd</sup> from 11 AM to 2 PM at the Hibernian Club on Brown Street (Sales of Gift Gallery products)
- Chapel Hill Kiosk on November 15<sup>th</sup> – December 31<sup>st</sup> with normal mall store hours (Sales of Gift Gallery Products)
- 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Chriskindl Market on December 1<sup>st</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> with hours Tue-Sat 11 AM to 9 PM and Sun 11 AM to 6 PM at Lock 3 Park in Downtown Akron, (Sales of Gift Gallery Products at booth located in the old Oneil's Building)

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