

August 5, 2013



## Event Calendar

Mixer on the Mall  
North Kalamazoo Mall  
Wednesday, 5pm

MI News Read: Rob Haight  
Michigan News Agency  
Wednesday, 6pm

Get the Picture!  
Kalamazoo Institute of Arts  
Thursday, 12pm

Beer 101 & 201  
Old Burdick's/ Webster's  
Prime  
Thursday, 6pm

Lunchtime Live  
Bronson Park  
Friday, 11:30am

Historic Walks Tour  
Gazelle Sports  
Friday, 8am

Live Music: Gypsy Jam  
Shakespeare's Lower Level  
Friday, 9pm

Burdick's Character  
Breakfast  
Burdick's for Breakfast  
Saturday, 9:30am

Beer Brunch  
Bell's Eccentric Cafe  
Sunday, 11am

Concerts in the Park  
Bronson Park  
Sunday, 4pm

Life Could Be a Dream  
Farmers Alley Theatre  
July 19- August 11

## Look Closer

# DOWNTOWN KALAMAZOO

### Mixer Bike Night with Combat Corduroy

Attention all Motorcycle and Mo-Ped owners: Tonight's the night to show off your ride at Mixer. Free entry and parking at the Arcadia Creek Festival place beginning at 5pm today. Also, enjoy live music from the four brothers of local band Combat Corduroy. Today's Mixer is sponsored by Parker Hannifin/Aerospace.



### West Michigan Beer Tours Q&A

As Downtown Kalamazoo prepares to welcome five new beer-drinking opportunities to the Kalamazoo craft beer scene, West Michigan Beer Tours will partner with the breweries to offer public and private tours along with other breweries in the region. WMBT caught up with Tibbs Brewing Co. co-owner Kevin Tibbs to get an update on his brewery, due to open this fall. Find out more on the [Downtown Kalamazoo Blog.](#)



### All Fresco Dining Downtown

We are well into summer in Downtown Kalamazoo, and what better way to continue to soak up the sunshine than by enjoying the outdoors with a little 'al fresco' dining? With over 20 downtown restaurants, coffee shops and pubs with outdoor seating options, every corner of downtown has a comfortable spot to enjoy a bite to eat in the fresh air. Find out more on the [Downtown Kalamazoo Blog.](#)



### Michigan News Agency Author Event

Eat Well, Play Well Exhibit  
Kalamazoo Valley Museum  
June 22 - Sept. 8

**Upcoming Events**

Arcadia Rock Fest  
Arcadia Creek Festival Place  
August 16-17

Part-Time Job Fair  
Western Michigan  
University  
August 27

LOOK INSIDE: Irving's  
Market



Michigan News Agency is proud to host Rob Haight at today's author event beginning at 6pm. Haight is a WMU alum and teaches writing, literature and meditation at Kalamazoo Valley Community College. He will be reading *Feeding Wild Birds*, a collection of poems rooted in the Michigan landscape. [Find more event details here.](#)



**Burdick's Character Breakfast**

Burdick's for Breakfast will host a character breakfast on Saturday morning, August 10. Have the kids dress up as their favorite storybook princess and have their picture taken with the princesses herself. Call (269) 226-3155 to make a reservation. [Click here for event details.](#)



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