

Spring into Lititz for Second Friday in March

Celebrate the coming of Spring in downtown Lititz during Second Friday in March. The Merchants all have Spring fever and are gearing up for fun filled Friday night.

What's new?

- The Curiosity Shoppe has recently relocated to 39 E. Main Street and will celebrate their Grand Opening featuring St. Patrick's Day. Come enjoy the special "green brew" and munchies while enjoying the sounds of ole' Ireland!" A special surprise gift for all the wee lads and lassies!

Ready to celebrate?

- Teddy Bear Emporium is Celebrating their 1st Anniversary on Main Street with Customer Appreciation Days. Stop by for great specials, treats and so much more!
- Leese I-Wear is also celebrating their 1st Anniversary on Sturgis Lane. Refreshments will be served and enter to win one of five \$25 gift certificates.

Interested in culture?

- Aaron's Books will host five local authors on March 12, from 6-8pm as part of Lititz' 2nd Friday festivities. Authors appearing include Vincent Bair, Mary Burgess, Dave Ihde, and the author/illustrator team of Kerry McGuinness Royer and Matt Royer.
- The Main Street Peddler will be having a book signing on featuring local author Cindy Fortunato, author of the wonderfully charming children's book "Sammy's Adventures in Ocean City". Ten percent of profits for this book will help fund research for children and adults living with cystic fibrosis, a life-threatening genetic disease.
- Cafe Chocolate will be showing photographs of majestic scenes from national parks by Kevin Benedict. Kevin uses the camera to capture his love of nature. He will be at the Cafe in person to share more stories and technical details of his work.

Hungry?

- The Savory Gourmet will be offering Irish cheeses and beverages."
- Think Silk will be serving wassel punch and Irish cookies.
- Wilbur Chocolate Candy Store will have free samplings of Heavenly Chocolate and White Chocolate Raspberry Truffle Dessert Mixes:
- The Barking Lamb will have refreshments provided by Whiff Roasters, promising a yummy Mock Irish Coffee and Sturgis Pretzels offering an assortment of pretzels.

Demonstrations:

The Barking Lamb will be hosting its Third Annual Meet the Celtic Breeds and More. The public is invited to come and meet a few of the Celtic breeds. Added to this year's event Lancaster Kennel Club members will do a small obedience demonstration, an agility demo and

have educational material available. The Barking Lamb is excited to also introduce UDS Service Dogs, located in Lancaster County. Lancaster Kennel Club will be conducting a raffle for The Royal Canine Dog Encyclopedia with all proceeds going to UDS Service Dogs.

Organizations:

- The Lititz Women of Today will have a meet and greet booth. You will be able to meet some of the members of the organization and discover some of the exciting Community Relations Projects that the group is involved in and how you can also become involved. Free refreshments and a chance to win a Pamper Me basket will be offered as well.
- The Warwick Gay-Straight Alliance will have a stand to raise awareness of The Matthew Shepard Foundation. They will have a donation box to raise funds for this crucial foundation that supports the honorable mission of advancing human rights.
- Girl Scout Daisy Troop #70250 will be holding a cookie booth in front of Sue's Back Porch. The girls will be selling favorites such as Thin Mints, Tagalongs and Samoas as well as some other traditional and newer varieties from 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. that evening.

Store Specials:

- Madison B on Sturgis Lane will offer 75% off children's shoes & clothing.
- Also on Sturgis Lane, Clemintine's is having a sale of 15% off scarves.

The Lititz Rec Center's "Parents' Night Out" child care program is available on 2nd Friday; reservations are required.

Free parking is available behind the Moravian Church (8 Church Square), in the lot of Susquehanna Bancshares corporate offices (between North Lane & Lititz Run), and on Sturgis Lane, and street meters are free every 2nd Friday from 5-9pm.

"Lovin' Lititz Every 2nd" is a monthly event of the Lititz Downtown Merchants, under Venture Lititz. For additional information, including a full list of participating locations and events, call 626-6332 or visit www.lititzpa.com.