

Grafton Riverbeat

December Events, Music & Things to do





Grafton Then & Now 2022 calendars are for sale at the Edward Amburg Museum & Visitors Center for \$15.00 each (cash or check). It is a great gift and keepsake for anyone that loves Grafton whether they are a Grafton native or newcomer. The "Now" photos were taken by Dave Sanford of Grafton.



Saturday Dec. 11th, 2021

Details

2nd annual Grafton SantaCon!

SantaCon is a bar crawl through Grafton to spread Christmas cheer & drink some beer! (or whatever you prefer).

The rules are simple:

- 1. Dress like Santa or at least a hat!
- 2. Invite your friends to join, no sign up is necessary! Just show up!
- 3. SantaCon has no official start or end time, but we do ask you to meet us at The Loading Dock at 6pm for a **BIG** group photo!

This event is FREE • Drink Specials will be available at all local bars •



Happenings along the River

Things to Do

Grafton Sky Tour: Thursday-Sunday 11:30 am-7pm (weather permitting).

Grafton Zip Line: Open 7 days a week (weather permitting). 14 West Main St. Call 786-9477 for information.

Edward Amburg Museum & Visitor Center: Thursday-Sunday 10am-4pm and Monday Holidays (Closed on Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve & Christmas Day).

Riverside Ice-Skating Rink at the Loading Dock: Hours are Fridays 5-10pm, Saturdays 12-10pm and Sundays12-8pm. Also open for special Holiday hours, call 618-556-7951 for more information or email: loadingdock@gtec.com.

The Grafton Winery Vineyards: Fireplace Friday, Fri. Dec.10, 5-9pm: Spend a relaxing evening hanging out with friends and fellow wine lovers. Bring a favorite appetizer, dish or dessert to share.

Pere Marquette State Park: Trail Hiking, Rock Climbing, Educational Visitors Center, Horseback riding. For information and reservations on all events call 618-786-2331.

St. Patrick's Church Sat. Dec. 11, 5:45pm: Sesquicentennial Jubilee of the Consecration of the Parish Special Mass. There will also be a live nativity, carolers and a bonfire. Santa will also be making an appearance. Refreshments in the parish hall afterwards.

New Year's Eve Fireworks at The Confluence Lighthouse Park, Dec. 31st 10pm.



Book your overnight stay now for fireworks and festivities.

Shopping

Hours for most shops vary in the Winter.

Aeries Gift Shop 600 Timber Ridge Dr: Open Daily 12 - 5pm.

Cox's Rivertown Mill Art & Gifts 115 W Washington: Call for hours 812-994-9007.

Golden Eagle Antiques 300 E Main: Saturday 10am-4pm, Sunday 1pm-4pm.

Grafton BP Station 200 E Main: Open Daily.

Grafton Fudge Shop 321 E Main: Open 11am-5pm.

Grafton Graphix, Darts & Crafts 1406 W Main: Open 10am-6pm Daily.

Grafton Harbor Marina Shop 215 W Water St: Open 10am-6pm Daily.

Grafton Market 1415 W Main: Open 6am-8pm daily. Call 786-2337 for information.

Grafton Winery Gift Shop 300 W Main: Daily from 11am-7pm.

This elf is hanging out on a wood shelf at Knotty by Nature



Harrisons Gifts 224 E Main: April 1 to Dec. 15 daily from 10am-5pm.

Knotty By Nature 15 E Main: Daily from 10am-6pm.

Mosby Woodwork 309 Market St: Call for information on hours 786-2223.

Fancy Nancy on Main ★ 307 E Main: Hours vary; Look for the Cardinals and Open flag.

Pajarito 316 E Main: Open 11am-5pm Daily.

Riverbank Gifts 225 E Main: Friday, Saturday, and Sunday 11am-5pm.

The Lady LaMarsh 25 E Main: Mon-Wed by appointment or chance, Thu-Sun 10am-5pm.

The Wood Artisan 22 E Main: Tue-Sat 10am-4pm, Sun 1-4pm.

Wild n' Crazy 301 E Main: Open on weekends.



Really cute Santa dishes at Aeries Gift Shop.

Music Scene

Aerie's Winery & Terrace: Dec 31 New Year's Eve Roaming Home 8-12pm.

Grafton Pub: Live Music every Taco Tuesday and weekends (weather permitting)! Call 618-786-9463 for more info.



Thank you for support of Grafton in 2021 and we look forward to seeing your return in 2022!

The Hawg Pit: Friday Nights Open Mic: Steve Mellas & Co. Live music on weekends, call 786-7675 for more information.

Grafton Winery:

Dec 4 The Vault 3-7pm.

Dec 5 TBD 2-6pm.

Dec 11 Terry Beck 3-7pm.

Dec 12 Scott and Karl 2-6pm.

Dec 18 Scott Logan & Leslie Craig 3-7pm.

Dec 19 Tragg Band 2-6pm.

Dec 26 TBD 2-6pm.

3rd Chute Bar & Grill: Karaoke Night every Saturday 7-11pm.

Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus will be at The Grove Memorial Park for photos from 2-4pm for Santa's Chocolate Express on Saturday, Dec. 4th.



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