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What's For Lunch?



[Pixca](#) and [Diver](#) are now open for lunch!

[Pixca](#) - Wednesday through Friday from 11 AM - 3 PM (Brunch Saturday & Sunday 10 AM - 2 PM)

[Diver](#) - Friday through Sunday beginning at 11:30 AM

The following Highland Park Restaurants are open for lunch

- [13Ninety](#)
- [Backyard Grill](#)
- [Bluegrass](#)
- [Bright Bowls](#)
- [Burger King](#)
- [BWB Shakes](#)
- [Country Kitchen](#)
- [Curt's Cafe](#)
- [Denny's](#)
- [Diver Northshore](#)
- [Happi Sushi](#)
- [Il Forno Pizza](#)
- [Jade Cafe Chinese](#)
- [Jimmy Johns](#)
- [Judy's Pizza](#)
- [La Casa de Isaac & Moishe](#)
- [Lao Sze Chuan](#)
- [Lefty's Pizza Kitchen](#)
- [Lou Malnati's Pizzeria](#) (Fri.-Sun.)
- [Love's Highland Park](#)
- [Madame Zuzu's Plant Based Cafe](#)
- [Max's Restaurant, Deli & Bakery](#)
- [McDonald's](#)
- [Michael's Grill & Salad Bar](#)
- [Mizrahi Grill](#)
- [New China](#)
- [New York Slices](#)
- [Norton's](#)
- [Once Upon A Bagel](#)
- [Perfect Blend](#)
- [Piero's](#) (Thurs. & Fri.)
- [Pixca](#)
- [Ravinia Brewing Company](#)
- [Ruby of Siam](#)
- [Shaevitz Uptown BBQ](#)
- [Subway](#)
- [Sushi Badaya](#)
- [Sushi Kushi Too](#)
- [Taco Bell](#)
- [Taqueria Los Mogotes De Michoacan](#)
- [That Little French Guy](#)
- [True Juice](#)
- [Uncle Tannous](#)
- [Veloce Wood Fired Pizze](#)
- [Walker Bros.](#)
- [Wendy's](#)
- [Yummy Bowl](#)

**Please check individual restaurants for specific days and hours.*

Food Truck Thursdays Continue Weekly Through September 8



Food Truck Thursdays continue through September 8, from 4:30 PM to dusk in Jens Jensen Park (Dean Avenue between Roger Williams and St. Johns Avenues), across from the Ravinia Metra Station. Alfresco diners are invited to come and enjoy various food and drinks from more than a dozen rotating food trucks every week on Dean Avenue, adult beverages from local restaurants, including [Abigail's American Bistro](#) and [Ravinia Brewing Company](#), and dance to a wide range of live musical performances in Jens Jensen Park.

Visit enjoyhighlandpark.com for updates and event information.

Ravinia Farmer's Market - Weekly on Wednesdays

[The Ravinia Farmers Market](#) will run Wednesdays, June 1 through October 26, from 7 AM to 1 PM along Dean Avenue and in Jens Jensen Park. For a list of 2022 vendors and live musical performers, visit www.raviniafarmersmarket.com.



Taste of Highland Park at The Lot

Savor the flavors of summer at the [Taste of Highland Park](#) at The Lot! Sample a variety of special dishes from Highland Park chefs coupled with exceptional music at downtown Highland Park's new al fresco event space, [The Lot](#). The

Taste of Highland Park begins Friday, June 24, 5 – 10 PM with headliner The Freddy Jones Band,

and continues Saturday, June 25, noon - 10 PM, with headliner Yachtley Crew. For the full entertainment schedule and participating restaurants, visit enjoyhighlandpark.com/taste.



[Events at The Lot](#) are presented by the [City of Highland Park](#) and the Downtown Highland Park Alliance, with the generous support of [Baird & Warner](#), [The Exchange](#), [Freedom Home Care](#), [Muller Subaru Volkswagen](#), [Highland Park Bank & Trust](#), [Scott Byron & Co](#), [First Bank of Highland Park](#), [Gregory Auto Group](#), [Arbor Terrace of Highland Park](#), [Freshie](#), [Studio 41](#), [Highland Park Community Foundation](#), [Sunset Foods](#) and [ComEd](#).

Expand Your Reach with *The Weekender* eNews!

Sent out every Friday, The Weekender is all about things to do, places to shop, restaurants to visit, and more in Highland Park! Email specials and promotions to [Amanda Civitello](#) so that we can help get the word out!

WEEKENDER

explore. experience. enjoy.

ENJOY

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Please send pictures along with detailed information about your events and promotions. We are unable to use flyers or pictures that contain text.

Sign Up For Business of the Week

Each week a new business is chosen and promoted on [Enjoy Highland Park](#) and on the Enjoy Highland Park [Facebook Page](#), as well as in the *Weekender* eNews, and on the Central Avenue Digital Kiosks, regardless of the business location.

Click [HERE](#) to fill out a brief questionnaire to have your business featured as

Business of the Week.

***Don't forget to upload 1-3 high-resolution photos!**

Adopt-A-Planter & Sponsor-A-Planter Programs

The City of Highland Park offers two opportunities for businesses to take part in the beautification of our business districts.



The Adopt-A-Planter Program is only open to Highland Park Business and Property Owners in the Central Business District. As an Adopter, you must commit to the summer and fall seasons each year and you are responsible for the provision of plants as well as care and maintenance of the planters. This includes but is not limited to planting, watering, and weeding.

[View the Adopt-A-Planter Program Brochure](#)

The Sponsor-A-Planter Program offers community members the opportunity to sponsor an available municipal planter during the summer and fall seasons. An annual fee covers planting, maintenance, and a 5" x 7" commemorative placard in the planter. The placard will recognize the sponsor or an individual or family chosen by the sponsor. Planters are located in the Central Business District and the Ravinia District and are maintained from May to November.

[View The Sponsor-A-Planter Program Brochure](#)

More information is available at cityhpil.com. Please contact the Office of Business Development at 847.926.1046 with questions.

Highland Park Chamber of Commerce

State of Education

Northwood Middle School

Thursday, June 23

8:30 - 10 AM

[Register Here](#)



SBDC Illinois

Update Your Business Plan to Grow Your Business!

Meet With A Small Business Advisor



INTERNATIONAL TRADE CENTER

Through SBDC Illinois

[Illinois Small Business Development & International Trade Center](#) offers confidential, no-cost, one-on-one virtual advising sessions.

To schedule a meeting click [HERE](#)

SCORE Mentoring at the Highland Park Public Library & Free Webinars

SCORE offers in-person or virtual sessions using phone, email, or video

All sessions are free and confidential. SCORE mentors are successful business professionals, some retired, some working, from all industries and experiences.



Visit northchicago.score.org and register to “Find a Mentor”. You will be asked to provide the nature of your business interest. Please include whether you prefer in-person or virtual mentoring (phone, email, video) and note, the **Highland Park Public Library** even if you prefer a virtual session

[Upcoming SCORE Webinars](#)

Highland Park Career Exploration Program

Interested in sharing your profession with a high school student exploring their career options? The Highland Park Career Exploration program (HPCE) provides students with the opportunity to gain valuable insights into a potential career path and goals. Students are matched and meet with professionals to discuss career aspirations, work initiatives, and other professional inquiries.

[Learn more about HPCE](#)

Additional Resources

[Available Commercial Space](#)

[Business Directory](#)

[Illinois Department of Commerce & Economic Opportunity](#)

[Establishing Your Business](#)

[Chamber Of Commerce](#)

[SCORE](#)

[U.S. Small Business Administration](#)

[Job Center of Lake County -
Business Services](#)

[Lake County Health Department](#)

[NorthShore University
HealthSystem](#)

[Illinois Department of Public Health](#)

[Centers for Disease Control and
Prevention](#)

For general business inquiries, contact the City's Business Development Manager Carolyn Hersch at chersch@cityhpil.com.

For more information on the City's response to COVID-19, contact the City's Communications Manager Amanda Civitello at acivitello@cityhpil.com.

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