

# 100

NORTH RIVERSIDE  
PLAZA

## February's 100 North Riverside Events

**February 14th:** Valentine's Day

**February 17th:** President's Day

**February 27th – March 7th:** Food & Essentials Drive

## Tenant & Building Recycling

100 N. Riverside is committed to environmental sustainability. Did you know we recycle IT equipment, paper, batteries, and more? For more information, please contact the Office of the Building at 312-993-0386

### Amount 100 N. Riverside recycled through December 2013:

**Bottles and Cans:** 2,669 lbs.

**Cardboard:** 71,120 lbs.

**Office Paper:** 100, 697 lbs.

### Equivalent to:

**Saving** 1,510 trees

**Conserving** 587,300 gallons of water

**Keeping** 310 cubic yards of waste out of landfills

**Composting:** 19,766 lbs of food

## New/News

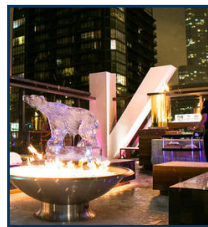
**Joe Fish** (445 North Dearborn Street) Rosebud Restaurants is hooked on a new concept! Joe Fish is an Italian-inspired seafood restaurant located in the heart of River North. Veteran Chef Joe Farina has created an elegant menu focused on the freshest seafood flown in daily and prepared simply and tastefully in the spirit of Italian and Mediterranean cuisine. A fully stocked shellfish bar and stainless steel kettles steaming with fresh clams are sure to attract your senses and appetite! Serving local craft beers, the finest wines and signature cocktails, Joe Fish is the place you'll be sure to find the locals in the "know" and visitors that want to be! Joe Fish....Get hooked, and check out Rosebud Restaurants website for more details.

**Call your CUI Concierge to arrange a perfect outing for your February event!**

## We Recommend

### Vertigo Sky Lounge Ice Bar

A bar made entirely of ice, adorned with "ice taxidermy", ice furniture and s'more stations! This magnificent winter gem can be found atop Vertigo Sky Lounge. Grab a specialty winter drink, like a Hot Toddy, or enjoy the fire pits at a VIP table. **The bar is open till March, weather permitting.**



### Gibson's Bar & Steakhouse

Looking for the perfect steak, impressively enormous desserts, and flowing drinks? Head over to Gibson's for a famously large martini, and USDA Prime Steak. The menu also features fresh seafood, lobster, and extensive wine list. **Open everyday from 11am-3pm for lunch and 3pm to Mid-night for dinner, located at 1028 North Rush Street.**

**Have your CUI Concierge take care of your VIP table reservation!**

## Wine Insight

View our "Wine Insights" at [www.conciergeunlimited.com](http://www.conciergeunlimited.com)

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# culturalupdate

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## Arts/Museums

*opens*

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**Christopher Williams: The Production Line of Happiness**

Art Institute

*through*

23

**Dreams and Echoes**

Art Institute

3/1

**Black Creativity Innovation Studio**

MSI

3/2

**The Surrealists**

Philadelphia, PA

3/9

**Ed Clark**

Art Institute

3/9

**The Way of the Shovel**

MCA

3/23

**Outside the Lines**

Houston, TX

3/30

**Isaac Julien:**

Art Institute

**The Long Road to Mazatlan**

3/30

**John Ronan's Poetry Foundation**

Art Institute |

4/15

**Harris Bank Chicago: Lilli Carré**

MCA

5/4

**Treasures of the Walt Disney Archives**

MSI

6/15

**MCA DNA: Warhol and Marisol**

MCA

*ongoing*

**Chicago: Crossroads of America**

Chicago History Museum

**Great Cities, Great Lakes, Great Basin**

Chicago Architecture Foundation

## Ballet/Dance

*opens*

2

**JEWELS**

New York, NY

17

**A Look Inside Urban Movements**

Columbia College

12-23

**Joffrey Ballet: Contemporary**

Auditorium Theatre

19-20

**Third Symphony of Gustav Mahler**

Harris Theater

20-22

**Compagnie Käfig**

Columbia College

23

**Manon**

Shiga, Japan

24

**Raphael Xavier**

Columbia College

26

**Le Corsaire pas de deux**

Tokyo, Japan

27

**Constellation**

Harris Theater

28

**Collaboration with Edgar Meyer**

Harris Theater

## Children/Family

*through*

9

**Disney on Ice**

United Center

11

**Romona Quimby**

Apollo Theatre

12

**Winter Wonderfest**

Navy Pier

16

**The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs**

Lifeline Theater

22

**Number the Stars**

Merle Reskin Theatre

3/16

**The Little Prince**

Lookingglass Theatre

3/25-30

**Dinosaur Zoo Live!**

Broadway Playhouse

3/30

**The Teddy Bears Picnic**

Emerald City's Little Theatre

## Classical/Symphony

*opens*

7

**Gidon Kremer and Kremerata Baltica**

Harris Theater

3/2-3/3

**Handel & Bach -- Italian Style**

Music of the Baroque

### at Symphony Center

1

**Riccardo Muti and Yo-Yo Ma**

6-8

**Riccardo Muti Conducts Schubert's Mass in A-flat**

16

**Beyond the Score: Mr. Haydn Goes to London**

21

**Emanuel Ax & Yo-Yo Ma: The Brahms Project**

28

**CHICAGO with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra**

*through*

1

**Shrek the Musical**

Pick-Staiger Hall

14

**The Romantic Music of Chopin**

Pick-Staiger Hall

## Opera: 2014 Season

*opens*

1-28	<b>The Barber of Seville</b> , Gioachino Rossini
15	<b>Queenie Pie</b> , Duke Ellington
22	<b>Rusalka</b> , Antonín Dvořák
3/5	<b>La Clemenza di Tito</b> , Mozart
3/19	<b>René Fleming and Jonas Kaufmann Recital</b>

## Theatre

*opens*

6	<b>Russian Transport</b>	Steppenwolf Theatre
6	<b>Gypsy</b>	Chicago Shakespeare Theatre
8	<b>Buzzer</b>	Goodman Theatre
10	<b>Spirit of the Wild</b>	Goodman Theatre
11	<b>The Second City's 102nd Revue</b>	Second City
22	<b>A Midsummer Night's Dream</b>	Chicago Shakespeare Theatre
25-3/2	<b>Chicago</b>	Bank of America Theatre
28	<b>The Gospel of Lovingkindness</b>	Victory Gardens

*through*

15	<b>Tribes</b>	Steppenwolf Theatre
23	<b>Luna Gale</b>	Goodman Theatre
23	<b>The Golden Dragon</b>	Victory Gardens
3/2	<b>Phantom of the Opera</b>	Cadillac Theatre
3/16	<b>The Little Prince</b>	Lookingglass Theatre

*open run*

<b>Blue Man Group</b>	Briar Street Theatre
<b>Million Dollar Quartet</b>	Apollo Theatre

Let your CUI Concierge arrange the perfect seat for your favorite performance.

## Sneak Previews

3/1	<b>Blackhawks vs Penguins</b>	Soldier Field
3/4	<b>Mardi Gras</b>	New Orleans, LA
3/8	<b>Kings of Leon</b>	United Center
3/8-4/13	<b>Venus in Fur</b>	Goodman Theatre
3/16	<b>Celtic Woman</b>	Chicago Theatre
4/2-13	<b>Peter and the Starcatcher</b>	Bank of America Theatre
4/22-7/13	<b>Motown the Musical</b>	Oriental Theatre
5/15	<b>AVICII</b>	Allstate Arena
6/20	<b>Bruno Mars</b>	First Midwest Bank Amphitheater
7/4-7/5	<b>Dave Matthews Band</b>	Northerly Island
7/7	<b>Cher</b>	Allstate Arena
7/11	<b>Lady Gaga</b>	United Center
7/12	<b>Journey and Steve Miller Band</b>	First Midwest Bank Amphitheater
7/18	<b>Billy Joel</b>	Wrigley Field
8/7	<b>Katy Perry</b>	United Center
8/29-30	<b>One Direction</b>	Soldier Field
8/31	<b>Luke Bryan</b>	Soldier Field

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### Concert/Rock/Blues/Jazz

1	<b>Badfish: A Tribute to Sublime</b>	House of Blues
1 & 6	<b>Kinsey Report ft. Joanna Connor</b>	Kingston Mines
5	<b>Falling in Reverse</b>	House of Blues
7	<b>Zac Brown Band</b>	BMO Harris Bank Center
7	<b>2 Chainz &amp; Pusha T</b>	The Chicago Theatre
8	<b>Dr. Dog</b>	Riviera Theatre
8	<b>Sixteen Candles-10 Year Anniversary</b>	House of Blues
9	<b>Karmin (VIP Available)</b>	House of Blues
14	<b>Heather McDonald</b>	Zanies Comedy Club
16-17	<b>Justin Timberlake</b>	United Center
23	<b>Dropkick Murphys</b>	Riviera Theatre
25	<b>Sting &amp; Paul Simon</b>	Chicago Theater
26	<b>Lady Antebellum</b>	Allstate Arena
28	<b>Wayne Brady</b>	The Chicago Theatre
3/7	<b>Miley Cyrus</b>	Allstate Arena

### Sports

#### Blackhawks

1	@ San Jose
3	@ Los Angeles
5	@ Anaheim
7	@ Phoenix
27	@ NY Rangers

#### Cubs

27	Arizona
28	@ LA Angels

#### Sox

28	@ LA Dodgers
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#### Bulls

1	@ New Orleans
3	@ Sacramento
4	@ Phoenix
6	@ Oakland
9	@ LA Lakers
11	Philadelphia
13	LA Lakers
19	@ Toronto
21	Denver
23	@ Miami
25	@ Atlanta
26	Golden State
28	@ Dallas

*also...*

2	<b>Super Bowl XLVIII</b>	East Rutherford, NJ
7-23	<b>Winter Olympics</b>	Sochi, Russia
2/1-3/1	<b>Six Nations: Rugby Championship</b>	Various
2/26-3/2	<b>World Track Championship</b>	Cali, Colombia

### Special/Seasonal

2	<b>Chinese New Year Parade</b>	Chinatown
4-28	<b>UIC Celebrates Black History Month</b>	UIC
8-9	<b>Snow Days</b>	Navy Pier
8-17	<b>Chicago Auto Show</b>	McCormick Place
11-16	<b>Chicago Theatre Week</b>	Multiple Venues
14	<b>Art Institute Valentine's Day Dinner</b>	Art Institute
14-15	<b>Valentine's Dinner Cruise</b>	Navy Pier
20-23	<b>Elmhurst College Jazz Festival</b>	Elmhurst College
21-23	<b>Intl. Kennel Club Chicago Dog Show</b>	McCormick Place
22	<b>Mardi Gras Pub Crawl</b>	Wrigleyville

*through*

6	<b>Restaurant Week</b>	Various
3/2	<b>Ice Skating at Lincoln Park Zoo</b>	Lincoln Park Zoo
3/9	<b>McCormick Tribute Ice Rink</b>	Millenium Park
3/10	<b>Vertigo Sky Lounge: Ice Bar</b>	Vertigo Sky Lounge

Contact your CUI Concierge for top tickets to all upcoming events!



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# Winter Olympics 2014

Sochi, Russia  
February 6th-23rd



## Sporting Dates

### Alpine Skiing

February 6th-22nd

### Biathlon

February 8th-22nd

### Bobsled

February 16th-23rd

### Cross-Country

February 8th-23rd

### Curling

February 10th-21st

### Figure Skating

February 6th-20th

### Freestyle Skiing

February 6th-21st

### Hockey

February 8th-20th

### Luge

February 8th-13th

### Nordic Combined

February 12th-20th

### Short Track

February 10th-21st

### Skeleton

February 13th-15th

### Ski Jumping

February 9th-17th

### Snowboarding

February 6th-22nd

### Speed Skating

February 8th-22nd

## Where to Watch the 2014 Super Bowl

### John Barleycorn (Downtown)

149 Kinzie St.  
Chicago, IL

### World Sports Grille

731 Westlake Ave N  
Seattle, WA

### Sports Column

1930 Black Street  
Denver, CO

### Butterfield 8

5 E. 38th Street  
New York, NY

### American Junkie

15 W. Illinois Street  
Chicago, IL

### MetLife Stadium

1 MetLife Stadium Drive  
East Rutherford, NJ

### Brü Haus

11831 Wilshire Blvd  
Los Angeles, CA

### Dick O' Dows

160 W. Maple Rd  
Birmingham, MI

## Super Bowl XLVIII

Seattle Seahawks VS. Denver Broncos

7:30 p.m./6:30c

February 2nd, 2014

MetLife Stadium, East Rutherford, NJ

**For more event information, VIP restaurant & hotel accommodations or top tickets, contact Concierge Unlimited International, your time-saving concierge service and resource for local, national, and international needs.**

## Travel Abroad: The Finer Things

*If your business or personal life takes you overseas this February, contact your CUI concierge for reservations and recommendations on the best each city has to offer; from Michelin Star rated restaurants and high-end boutique hotels, to the latest art exhibitions.*

### When In Rome

#### J.K. Place

#### Luxury Hotel Roma

*Via di Monte D'Oro, 30, 00186 Roma, Italy*

The perfect place to relax while you travel. The J.K. Place is a new level of luxury, balancing atop a five star rating. The hotel features the trendy J.K. Cafe, making your stay not only comfortable but convenient. The lush hotel also houses event rooms, catered to your liking and needs for family or business events.

#### Museo-Atelier Canova Tadolini

#### Art

*Via del Babuino 150A/B, 00187, Roma, Italy*

This establishment combines food with culture. The restaurant was originally the studio of Antonio Canova and Adamo Tadolini, two renowned Neoclassical sculptors. Enjoy dishes such as market-fresh octopus, gnocchetti with pesto and pachino, and tiramisu. While you take delight in your traditional Italian fare, feast your eyes on the sculptors that decorate the entire space from floor to ceiling.

#### Metamorfosi

#### Dining

*Via Giovanni Antonelli 30/32, 00197, Roma, Italy*

Michelin Starred Metamorfosi is an Italian gem! Known for its clean design and modern cuisine, Metamorfosi is a masterpiece in the hands of Chef Roy Caceres. Experience inventive dishes, ranging from red rice with creamy blue monviso, to more complex dishes like Comacchio eel with a crushed barley and carp gelatin. It is a dining experience that will wow your family and professional guests alike!

#### Teatro dell'Opera

#### Entertainment

*Piazza Beniamino Gigli, 7, 00187 Roma, Italy*

This magnificent ode to Italy's culture and its thriving modernization, Teatro dell'Opera is a decadent way to spend an evening in the city of Rome. The Teatro dell'Opera is home to an array of Italian operas, ballets, and concerts. In the month of February you can experience shows such as: L'enfant et les sortilèges, Manon Lescaut and Petite Messe Solennelle.

**Contact your CUI concierge for additional events around the city and globe! Let us help make your excursion, simple and satisfying.**

## Flowers for Every Occasion

Save yourself the time it takes to find the perfect flower or gift and contact Concierge Unlimited to make your Valentine's Day memorable! Special pricing on flowers, as well as gifts from **Tiffany & Co.** and **Bloomingdale's** available!

### The Perfect Flower for Every Meaning

#### ◆ Friendship

Geranium  
Ivy  
Yellow Roses

#### ◆ Love

Heliotrope  
Orange Blossoms  
Red Roses

#### ◆ Sympathy

Lemon Balm  
White Roses  
Willow

#### ◆ I'm Sorry

Daffodil  
Purple Hyacinth  
White Chrysanthemum

#### ◆ Thanks/Gratitude

Campanula  
Deep Pink Rose  
Sweet Pea

#### ◆ Encouragement

Basil  
Galax  
Goldenrod

## Chicago Restaurant Week Spotlight

Chicago Restaurant Week is in full force and ends on **Thursday, February 6th**. Here is a look at some Chicago Classics' Restaurant Week menus! Contact your Concierge for reservations, at your convenience, to experience a Restaurant Week you will never forget!

- ◆ Carmine's
- ◆ Centro Ristorante
- ◆ Balena
- ◆ Embeya
- ◆ Hugo's Frog Bar & Fish House
- ◆ Bistronomic
- ◆ Mercadito
- ◆ The Lobby at The Peninsula Chicago
- ◆ Rosebud Prime
- ◆ Pump Room

## Museum Free Days

Illinois residents enjoy free admission to museums on the following dates:

- Art Institute:** 6, 13, 20, 27 (Thurs 5pm-8pm)
- Chicago History Museum:** All days excluding Saturdays
- Chicago Children's Museum:** 6, 13, 20, 27 (Thursdays 5pm-8pm)
- DuSable Museum:** 2, 9, 16, 23 (Sundays)
- Field Museum:** 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27
- Museum of Contemporary Art:** 4, 11, 18, 25 (Tuesdays)
- Museum of Science & Industry:** 4, 11, 18, 25 (Tuesdays)

## Key Reasons Clients Rely on CUI!

**Making Valentine's Day a possibility with CUI!** A client contacted CUI about a nearly impossible reservation request, but not for CUI! At Tavernita, on Valentine's weekend the client was eager to find a table. The helpful concierge at CUI secured a table for the client, at the time they requested to dine. The dedication of the concierge helped to ensure the client had the experience they asked of for their special evening.

## Last minute Valentine's Day Requests are no match for CUI Team!

A client contacted concierge the day before Valentine's Day and requested a reservation at popular restaurant, Nellcote. Our concierge was able to obtain that reservation for the client, ensuring a Valentine's Day to remember. She even provided the client and his girlfriend with flowers and a gift upon their arrival to the venue.

**Contact your time-saving concierge today to ensure a spectacular Valentine's Day!**



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## Suggestions to the Editor

We invite your suggestions for future issues of *Cultural Update*. Are there cultural events you would like us to highlight? Do you have feedback about a restaurant or event that we have recommended? Let us know what you think! Please feel free to contact the editor via email at [cucommunications@conciergeunlimited.com](mailto:cucommunications@conciergeunlimited.com) or by phone at (312) 220-0500.