

## May Events

**May 6th** – BBQs on the plaza begin

**May 20th** – Blood Drive in the MPR

**May 25th** – Memorial Day (Management Office Closed)

**May 10th** – Mother's Day.

### Amount 100 N. Riverside recycled through March 2015:

Bottles and Cans: 594 lbs.

Cardboard: 15,824 lbs.

Office Paper: 23,142 lbs.

#### Equivalent to:

Saving 337 trees

Conserving 138,460 gallons of water

Keeping 72 cubic yards of waste out of landfills

**Composting:** 5,700 lbs of food

## New/News

To Open



**Duck Duck Goat** (857 West Fulton Market) Stephanie Izard is doing Chinese. The celebrity chef and *Girl & the Goat* owner is planning to open Duck Duck Goat, “a take on Chinese cuisine”, this summer. Boka Restaurant Group partners Kevin Boehm and Rob Kat, will once again partner with Izard on this concept.

**Maple and Ash** (8 West Maple) is a Gold Coast eatery set to open this summer after its announced inception in 2012. The menu will feature a variety of grass-fed USDA Prime cuts of beef. Chef David Ochs, formerly of HotChocolate & *Girl & the Goat*, and his staff will cook steaks on a hearth, and they'll prepare other items, including seafood and veggies with an open flame.

Just Opened



**Bin 36** (161 North Jefferson), and its traditional culture, just in a new neighborhood, will still be a comfortable and familiar place for clientele. The restaurant offers a 55-bottle reserve wine list, sangrias and wine-based cocktails, including The Nose, a drink that uses a coffee siphon and fresh ingredients to highlight the notes of a wine. Chef Shane Graybeal, who moved here from

Washington D.C. to lead the wine bar's kitchen, has crafted a menu of seasonable shareable American plates with a Mediterranean influence.

**Contact your CUI Concierge to arrange a VIP dinner for business or pleasure! Let us be At Your Service for all of your dining needs!**

## We Recommend

**Smith and Wollensky: Wollensky's Grill** (318 North State Street)



The newest addition to the riverfront eatery is Wollensky's Grill! The gastro-pub style steakhouse provides an inventive beef-centric experience through sharing plates and sampling in a casual, social atmosphere. Perfect for meeting up with co-workers, friends, and anyone looking to enjoy water-views and delectable bites like Lobster Corn Dogs with Cognac Mustard Sauce or Cup O' Bacon!

The new spot is open for lunch, dinner and late night.

## Wine Insight

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

## Arts/Museums

opens

6	<b>Evolution of Cities</b>	Field Museum
9	<b>S, M, L, XL</b>	MCA
15	<b>Charles Ray: Sculpture</b>	Art Institute
20-27	<b>The Art and Artists of Cuba</b>	Art Institute
21	<b>Frances Stark: Intimism</b>	Art Institute
21	<b>Robot Revolution</b>	MSI
21	<b>Adler After Dark: Planetary Prom</b>	Adler Planetarium
22	<b>Jean-Luc Mylayne: Mutual Regard</b>	Art Institute
23	<b>Out of Office</b>	MCA
26	<b>Women in Space Science Award Celebration</b>	Adler Planetarium
30	<b>Mammoths and Mastodons</b>	Field Museum
6/24	<b>Cyrus Tang Hall of China</b>	Field Museum

through

3	<b>Shatter Rupture Break</b>	Art Institute
10	<b>Heaven and Earth: Art of Byzantium</b>	Art Institute
17	<b>Richard Hunt</b>	MCA
18	<b>The Art of Landscape &amp; Garden Design</b>	Art Institute
20	<b>D-Day: Normandy 1944</b>	MSI
24	<b>Doris Salcedo</b>	MCA
6/14	<b>Bunky Echo-Hawk: Modern Warrior</b>	Field Museum

ongoing

<b>The Machine Inside</b>	Field Museum
<b>Materials Science</b>	MSI

Museum Free Dates

**Art Institute:** 7, 14, 21, 28 (Thursdays)

**Chicago Children's Museum:** 3, 7, 14, 21, 28 (15 years & Under)

**DuSable Museum:** 5, 12, 19, 26 (Sundays)

**Museum of Contemporary Art:** 5, 9, 12, 19, 26 (Tuesdays)

**Museum of Science and Industry:** 21

## Ballet/Dance

opens

6	<b>Lila Downs</b>	Auditorium Theatre
7-9	<b>A Streetcar Named Desire</b>	Harris Theater
8-10	<b>Eifman Ballet of St. Petersburg</b>	Auditorium Theatre
13	<b>Chicago Rhythm Fest</b>	Auditorium Theatre
1-3	<b>The Joffrey Ballet: New Works</b>	Cadillac Palace

## Children/Family

opens

2	<b>Kid's Kite Festival</b>	Cricket Hill
2	<b>Tchaikovsky Spectacular</b>	Symphony Center

ongoing

<b>The Elizabeth Morse Touch Gallery</b>	Art Institute
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## Classical/Symphony

1 & 3	<b>Bach Festival</b>	North Park University
18	<b>War and Peace</b>	Harris Theater
24	<b>CSO Chamber</b>	Art Institute

### at Symphony Center

1&2	<b>Bach Orchestral Suite No. 3</b>
7-9,15	<b>Salonen Conducts Ravel</b>
14, 16, 19	<b>Salonen Conducts Debussy</b>
15	<b>Ibrahim Maalouf Kalthoum with Jacky Terrasson / Jean-Michel Pilc</b>
17	<b>Yo-Yo Ma with Musicians from the CSO</b>
21-23	<b>Salonen Conducts Messiaen</b>
28 & 30	<b>Clyne and Beethoven 3</b>

**Opera**

1&3 **A Coffin in Egypt** Chicago Opera Theater

**at Lyric**

5/9 **Lang Lang Recital**

*through*

3 **Carousel**

**Theatre**

*opens*

12-24 **Jersey Boys** Cadillac Palace  
 20-24 **Rain: A Tribute to the Beatles** Bank of America Theatre  
 6/2 **On Your Feet!** Oriental Theatre  
 6/2 **Once** Cadillac Palace  
 6/10 **Moby Dick** Lookingglass Theatre

*through*

3 **Title and Deed** Lookingglass Theatre  
 17 **The Book of Mormon** Bank of America  
 6/7 **The Herd** Steppenwolf Theater

*open run*

**Blue Man Group** Briar Street Theatre  
**Million Dollar Quartet** Apollo Theatre  
**Panic on Cloud 9** Second City  
**Soul Brother Where Art Thou** Second City

**Let your CUI Concierge arrange the perfect seat for your favorite performance at preferred pricing.**

**Sneak Previews**

6/24-7/2 **U2** United Center  
 6/24-28 **Summerfest** Milwaukee, WI  
 6/27 **Jimmy Buffett** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 6/30-7/5 **Summerfest** Milwaukee, WI  
 7/3-5 **Grateful Dead 50th Anniversary Reunion** Soldier Field  
 7/3-5 **Windy City RibFest** Uptown Neighborhoods  
 7/12 **Rockstar Energy Mayhem Festival** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 7/16 **Say Anything** House of Blues  
 7/17 **Pitchfork Music Festival** Union Park  
 7/17 **Jason Aldean** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 7/19 **Taylor Swift** Soldier Field  
 7/24 **Van Halen** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 7/25 **UFC Fight Night** United Center  
 7/29 **Shania Twain** Allstate Arena  
 7/30 **Kevin Hart** United Center  
 7/31-8/2 **Lollapalooza** Grant Park  
 8/8 **Motley Crue** Allstate Arena  
 8/9 **Nicki Minaj, Meek Mill & Rae Sremmurd** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 8/15-16 **Air and Water Show** North Avenue Beach  
 8/16 **Ed Sheeran & Christina Perri** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 8/27 **Billy Joel** Wrigley Field  
 8/30 **Chicago Triathlon** Monroe Harbor  
 9/4 **Toby Keith & Eli Young Band** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 9/10-13 **Marvel Universe Live!** United Center  
 9/17-20 **EXPO CHGO** Navy Pier  
 9/28 **Madonna** United Center  
 10/2 **Iggy Azalea** Allstate Arena  
 10/2 **Ariana Grande** United Center  
 10/15 **The Who Hits 50!** United Center

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

**Concert/Rock/Blues/Jazz**

1 **Death Cab for Cutie** Chicago Theatre  
 2 **Led Zeppelin 2:The 1977 Laser Light Show** House of Blues  
 3 **Ciara** House of Blues  
 5 **Crosby, Stills & Nash** Chicago Theatre  
 7 **Nick Offerman & Megan Mullally** Chicago Theatre  
 9 **Jessie J** House of Blues  
 13 **The Who Hits 50!** Allstate Arena  
 14 **Babymetal World Tour** House of Blues  
 15 **Jerry Seinfeld** Coronado Performing Arts Center  
 16 **Tribute to Frank Sinatra & Ramsey Lewis** Ravinia  
 16 **An Intimate Evening with Anderson Cooper & Andy Cohen** Chicago Theatre  
 18 **Kodaline** House of Blues  
 23-24 **New Kids On The Block** Allstate Arena  
 26 **2nd Annual 26th Annual Comedy Festival** Lincoln Hall  
 28 **Emmanuel & Mijares** Allstate Arena  
 29 **Drake** United Center  
 30 **John Mulaney** Chicato Theatre  
 30 **Sinatra's Centinnial Celebration** Auditorium Theatre  
 30 **Lana Del Rey** First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre  
 6/5 **Lindsey Stirling** Chicago Theatre  
 6/6 **Ben Folds** Chicago Theatre  
 6/6 **Juicy J** House of Blues  
 6/12 **Rush** United Center  
 6/15 **Imagine Dragons** Allstate Arena  
 6/18 **Bette Midler** United Center

**Sports**

<b>Cubs</b>	<b>Brewers</b>	<b>White Sox</b>
1-3	<b>Mets</b>	5-7 <b>Tigers</b>
11-14	<b>Pirates</b>	8-10 <b>Reds</b>
15-17	<b>Nationals</b>	18-21 <b>Indians</b>
25-27	<b>Royals</b>	22-24 <b>Twins</b>
29-31		
<i>also...</i>		
1-2	<b>NFL Draft</b>	Auditorium Theatre
2	<b>Kentucky Derby</b>	Louisville, KY
24-6/7	<b>French Open</b>	Paris, France

**Special/Seasonal**

1 **May Day** Worldwide  
 2 **Draft Town** Grant Park  
 2 **Polish Parade** Dearborn Street  
 2 **Black Light Run** Joliet, IL  
 2 **Cinco De Mayo Cantina Crawl** River North  
 5 **Cinco De Mayo** Worldwide  
 8 **Fashion 2015** Millennium Park  
 9 **American Beer Classic** Soldier Field  
 10 **Mother's Day** Nationwide  
 14 **Beer Under Glass** Garfield Park Conservatory  
 15 **Mayfest** Lakeview  
 23 **Memorial Day Parade** Daley Plaza  
 25 **Memorial Day** Nationwide  
 28-31 **Maifest** Lincoln Square  
 29 **Do Division** Division Street  
 29-31 **Millennium Art Festival** Michigan Avenue  
 30-31 **Lincoln Park Wine Festival** Lincoln Park  
 6/8 **Gala 2015** Lookingglass Theatre



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# The ABC's of Summer

## Al Fresco Dining Highlights

**Streeterville Social**  
455 North Park

**Fig & Olive**  
104 East Oak

**River Roast**  
315 North LaSalle

**The J. Parker**  
1816 North Clark

Request quick Al Fresco Dining Guide from your CUI Concierge

## Boats & Charters

**Chicago's First Lady**  
Architecture Cruises  
112 East Wacker

**Spirit Cruises**  
Fireworks Cruises  
112 East Wacker

## Concerts in the Park

**Gospel Music Festival**  
May 29th-31st

**Downtown Sound**  
Begins in June

**Grant Park Music Festival**  
June 17th-August 22nd

**Idina Menzel**  
August 16th

## Dog Days

**MonDog Park**  
4400 North Lake Shore

**Virgin Hotel**  
104 East Oak

**Navy Pier**  
600 East Grand

**Mercury's Canine Cruise**  
112 East Wacker

## Eat

**Taste of Chicago**  
Grant Park  
July 8th - 12th

**Taste of River North**  
Grant Park  
July 17th - 19th

## Farmer's Markets

**Federal Plaza**  
Adams & Dearborn  
May 19th - October 27th  
Tuesdays from 7am - 3pm

**Willis Tower**  
233 S. Wacker Drive  
June 25th - October 29th  
Thursdays from 7am - 3pm

**Daley Plaza**  
Washington & Dearborn  
May 14th - October 29th  
Thursdays from 7am - 3pm

**Museum of Contemporary Art**  
220 East Chicago Avenue  
June 2nd - October 27th  
Tuesday from 7am - 3pm

## Golf

**Harborside International**  
11001 South Doty Avenue East

Special rates when you book with your CUI Concierge!

## Travel Abroad: Specialties of the World

Are you a major Foodie? Have you ever wondered what you *must* try when you are traveling abroad? Maybe you're already an expert with the cuisine you are traveling to but never had the freshest, purest version of it! See our list of specialties below and don't miss out on the culinary adventure!



### Spain

Spanish Sausages and Ham and Saffron Rice



### Indonesia

Sweet Chili Sauce, Shredded Coconut and Blue Swimmer Crab



### South Korea

Kimbab and Sauces



### Vietnam

Rambutan, Lychee, Mangosteen, and Starfruit



### Greece

Feta Cheese and Olives



### China

Dragon Fruit and Beijing Roast Duck



### India

Vegetable Curries, Rice, Cheera Thoran and Papdum Wafer



### United States of America

Hot Dogs with Ketchup and/or Mustard

Contact your concierge to try foods from all over the world whether you are out of the country or in the city!

# Mother's Day

Sunday, May 10th

## EAT



Cafe des Architects



Signature Room at the 95th



Sable Kitchen and Bar



Mercat A La Planxa

## GIFT



Flowers



Gift Set from Bloomingdale's



Jewelry from Tiffany & Co.

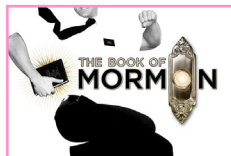


Cookies & Sweets

## DO



Spa Time



Catch A Show

Celebrate Mother's Day with only the best! Contact your CUI Concierge for help with your Mother's Day celebration!

## Key Reasons Clients Rely on CUI!

**CUI will make sure your sweetest dreams do come true!** The client contacted concierge in need of a special delivery, and fast! Concierge was able to secure a last minute order of gourmet cupcakes delivered to an office within an hour of the actual request! Concierge also arranged for the delivery charge to be waived on behalf of CUI, saving the client \$15. The cupcakes were a hit! The client was very appreciative.

**All the world is a stage, let CUI be your director!** A client had a special occasion that they wished to celebrate with a group outing to the theatre in the forthcoming months. Unsure of what was playing, they turned to CUI Concierge who was able to suggest the perfect show to their tastes then coordinate a special group order and secure the tickets at a fantastic rate saving the client hundreds of dollars



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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.