

# General Guide to Albion • Marshall • Calhoun County, Michigan



Issue XXIV • May/June 2017 • Local Food Edition

www.GeneralGuide.net • Online Calendar • Streaming News



There is something comforting about eating food freshly grown nearby, or even growing a little garden patch of our own. Stoffer Plaza - behind the Bohm Theatre (below) is home to the Albion Farmers' Market, a great place to buy some locally grown produce, fresh bread, plants, eggs, and baked goods. Albion's Farmers' Market is open on Saturdays only in May, from 10am - 1pm. Saturday, May 20 will be fun. It is Marshall Tourism Day. There are eight museums in Marshall to explore, all are free this day!

Welcome to the expanded General Guide! Look inside for more photos and fun. Please support the businesses that make this expansion possible. In this Guide, we promote healthy things to do in Albion and nearby during May & June, including community gardening, live music, and local markets. Take part in the Albion-Marshall Resilient Communities Project (AMRCP) discussions, book studies, and field trips.



A Albion Farmers' Market Look for this symbol on the calendar		MAY 2017					M Marshall Farmers' Market Saturdays - starting 5/20/17 8am-1pm - 125 W. Green St.	
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT		
Calendar key below		Community Breakfast in BC	Jazz @ Relli's	AMRCP Book Study	Cinco de Mayo MHS Home Game	Albion College Graduation		
	1	2	3	4	5	6		
RedHawks Color Run - Calhoun County Fairgrounds 1pm - 7pm	7	MHS Home Game 5/9	Full Moon Open Mic Nite @ Bohm	What's Brewing Marshall MHS music	Bohm Matinees Fridays @ 10 am	AMRCP Field Trip		
	8	9	10	11	12	13		
← Albion Week →		Free Movie @ Bohm		AMRCP Book Study	Eggs & Issues	Albion Flower Planting *		
Mothers' Day *	14	MMS music	Jazz @ Relli's	17	Spring into the Arts Battle Creek	Battle Creek Brass Band		
	15	16	17	18	19	20		
	21	MMS music	War&Treaty Music Video @ Bohm	Kids N Stuff Free Day		Albion Farmer Mkt Stoffer Plaza Saturdays 10-1		
	22	23	24	25	26	27		
	MEMORIAL DAY PARADES Marshall @9am Albion @10	MHS music	Jazz @ Relli's	31	May is National Mobility Awareness Month and National Bike Month. Watch our site for bike events.			
28	29	30						

Calendar Key: 🎬 = Friday Classic Film Matinees @ Bohm | A = Albion Farmers' Market | \* = More info inside | MHS= Marshall High School | MMS= Middle School | 🎵 = Music Event | 🏟️ = MPS Varsity Baseball Home Game | 🌐 = Albion-Marshall Resilient Communities Project |

## Albion Farmers' Market

Eat fresh, buy local.



## Albion Food Hub

Grow your food business.

BUY IT... SELL IT... RENT IT...

*Morning Star*

LARGE OR SMALL WE'VE GOT IT ALL!

Reaching over 8,900 Households in Eastern Calhoun County!

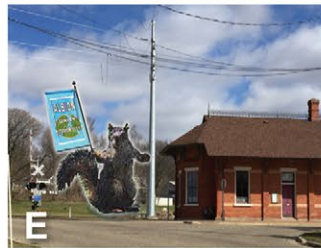
www.salesmanpublications.com

# General Guide to Albion • Marshall • Calhoun County, Michigan

Issue XXIV • May/June 2017 • Local Food Edition • [www.GeneralGuide.net](http://www.GeneralGuide.net)



May and June are times for graduation everywhere! Commencement means getting started on a whole new life. Photos: A) Albion College graduation will be Sat., May 6. B) Grand Street Park in Marshall had successful fundraiser. Coming soon: vintage mural on the wall, picnic tables with chess boards C) Marshall graduation ceremony will be Saturday, June 3. *Learning and reading are like planting seeds, growth occurs.*



D) Collaboration Corner (*Town/Gown*) is a site for Albion Community Gardens Inc. to share the love of outdoors and some free food for neighbors. E) Artist's concept of a roadside attraction for Albion at the depot, a juncture of RR tracks, trails and roads. F) Marshall gardeners prepare for their Garden Tour coming July 8. G) Citizens to Beautify Albion volunteers plant May 20 and tend petunias along Albion's main roads. They want your help with tending the flowers! *See GeneralGuide.net for links to more information.*



H) Stuart's Landing in Marshall is lovely in the spring, a fun place to walk, and home of Marshall Music at the bandshell. I) Mothers' Day has roots in Albion, as this historical marker near the Albion District Library describes. J) Albion Food Hub has an industrial kitchen that helps food-oriented entrepreneurs create wonderful dishes for special events and for resale. *Learn more about these topics & more at [www.GeneralGuide.net](http://www.GeneralGuide.net)*



## Albion College

At Albion, we'll help you grasp the opportunities of today so that you can take hold of your future.  
Hands-On Albion • [www.albion.edu/hands-on](http://www.albion.edu/hands-on)



Albion-Marshall Resilient Communities Project

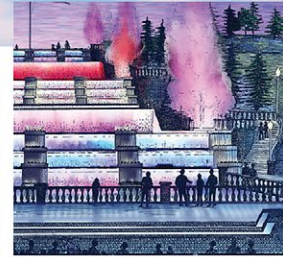
---

Unity in Diversity

---

[www.amrcp.org](http://www.amrcp.org)

# Think Regional. Buy Local.



Support local business to help our area! Michigan Prints are available at locations in Albion, Marshall, Battle Creek and Jackson. See more of them at [MichiganPrints.com](http://MichiganPrints.com)

*Please support the businesses shown below that make possible the creation of the General Guide.*  
**Area codes are (517) unless otherwise indicated. See links to sponsors at [GeneralGuide.net](http://GeneralGuide.net)**

Albion Area Lifelong Learners - [AlbionAall.org](http://AlbionAall.org) - Classes  
[AlbionAutoMart.com](http://AlbionAutoMart.com) - Pre-owned cars - 629-2611  
[AlbionCollege.edu](http://AlbionCollege.edu) - 629-1000  
Albion Community Foundation - [AlbionFoundation.org](http://AlbionFoundation.org)  
Albion Community Gardens - find us on Facebook  
[AlbionDesign.com](http://AlbionDesign.com) - Designers of this guide - 629-3840  
[AlbionEDC.org](http://AlbionEDC.org) - Home of Albion Food Hub and  
Albion Farmers Market - 629-3343  
Albion Health Care Alliance - [Albionhca.org](http://Albionhca.org) - 629-5080  
Albion Heritage B&B - [AlbionHeritage.com](http://AlbionHeritage.com) - 629-3550  
[AlbionEnews.com](http://AlbionEnews.com) - Sign up now for daily news  
[AlbionMich.net](http://AlbionMich.net) - Art, Outdoors, and Community  
[BattleCreekHearingAids.com](http://BattleCreekHearingAids.com) - 269-979-6455  
[BayberryHouseInteriors.com](http://BayberryHouseInteriors.com) - Marshall - 269-781-7777  
Bohm Theatre - [BohmTheatre.org](http://BohmTheatre.org) - 517-343-2116  
Cascarelli's - [www.CascarellisAlbion.com](http://www.CascarellisAlbion.com) - 629-3675  
[ChooseMarshall.com](http://ChooseMarshall.com) - Marshall Chamber - 269-781-5163  
City of Albion - [CityofAlbionmi.gov](http://CityofAlbionmi.gov) - 629-5535  
College Chevy - [CollegeChevy.com](http://CollegeChevy.com) - 629-2151  
[DickersonMusicCompany.com](http://DickersonMusicCompany.com) - Music store - 629-8570  
[DoorsUnlimitedMichigan.com](http://DoorsUnlimitedMichigan.com) - Garage doors  
[EastEndStudioGallery.com](http://EastEndStudioGallery.com) - Wagner's Block building  
Five Points Vet Hospital - [5pointsvet.com](http://5pointsvet.com) - 629-5549  
[FrankeCenterForTheArts.org](http://FrankeCenterForTheArts.org) - Theatre - (269) 789-9677  
Gardner House & history info: [AlbionMich.net/history](http://AlbionMich.net/history)

Gina's Pizza & Deli - [GinasPizzaDeli.com](http://GinasPizzaDeli.com) - 629-9330  
[GreaterAlbionChamber.org](http://GreaterAlbionChamber.org) - Visitors bureau - 629-5533  
Herman's Marshall Hardware, Inc. - (269) 781-3491  
[HodgePodgeCleaning.com](http://HodgePodgeCleaning.com) - Insured - 517-499-2939  
[HollandParkTransformation.com](http://HollandParkTransformation.com) - Black history, Juneteenth  
[HomesteadSavings.com](http://HomesteadSavings.com) - Locally owned bank - 629-5588  
[JollyGreenJunction.net](http://JollyGreenJunction.net) - Gardening, gifts - 629-6546  
Kellogg Community College Eastern Acad. Ctr - 630-8169  
[LittleRedLunchBoxAlbion.com](http://LittleRedLunchBoxAlbion.com) - Breakfast/lunch 629-9753  
Lopez Taco House - [LopezTacoHouse.com](http://LopezTacoHouse.com) - 629-2800  
[MarshallMich.net](http://MarshallMich.net) - Art, Outdoors and Community  
Marshall Schools - [Marshall.k12.mi.us](http://Marshall.k12.mi.us) - 269-781-1250  
[MichiganPrints.com](http://MichiganPrints.com) - Michigan Cards & Prints  
Morning Star - [SalesmanPublications.com](http://SalesmanPublications.com) - 629-2127  
[MowrerAgency.com](http://MowrerAgency.com) Insurance - Train depot - 629-4600  
[MunierHeatingandCooling.com](http://MunierHeatingandCooling.com) - 629-6369  
NAPA Auto Parts - 317 Austin Avenue - 629-2157  
OERTHER'S Lawn and Garden - Marshall - [oerthers.com](http://oerthers.com)  
Parks Drugs - [ParksDrugStoreAlbion.com](http://ParksDrugStoreAlbion.com) - 629-9481  
PS Food Mart/CITGO - [psFoodMart.com](http://psFoodMart.com) - 629-9233  
[SchulersRestaurant.com](http://SchulersRestaurant.com) - Fine & Casual Dining, Marshall  
Starr Commonwealth - [starr.org](http://starr.org) - 800-837-5591  
Stirling Books & Brew - 119 N. Superior St. Albion  
Swingin' at the Shell - [SwinginattheShell.com](http://SwinginattheShell.com)  
[TheRecorderNewspaper.com](http://TheRecorderNewspaper.com) - Local news and sports

**Albion District Library** - [Albionlibrary.org](http://Albionlibrary.org)  
GED Tutoring & Testing, Local History Room, Free books  
for kids 0-5 yrs, Literacy events - (517) 629-3993

**Marshall District Library** - [yourmdl.org](http://yourmdl.org)  
Offering 60 programs per month and a Technology "Petting  
Zoo," Try some tech tools. 124 W. Green - (269) 781-7821

**This Reading Corner is Sponsored by:**

119 N Superior St, Albion  
Opening in June  
• New & used books  
• Full coffee / tea lines  
• Bubble Tea  
• Fresh baked goods  
517-629-7560  
Live music and other events weekly!  
[www.stirlingbooks.com](http://www.stirlingbooks.com)  
[facebook.com/stirlingbooks1](https://facebook.com/stirlingbooks1)



Serving Albion and the surrounding communities since 1868 • \$1.00 



Weekly Coverage of Local News & Sports  
Albion • Marshall • Springport • Concord  
For Subscriptions call 517-629-0041  
[therecorder@frontiernet.net](mailto:therecorder@frontiernet.net)

# General Guide to Albion • Marshall • Calhoun County, Michigan

Issue XXIV • June 2017 • Local Food Edition • [GeneralGuide.net](http://GeneralGuide.net)



June is the perfect time to get outdoors. You can make a difference in Albion, Marshall or Calhoun County. Support local markets, use your voice, and learn more about how you can be part of the transformation of our region at [GeneralGuide.net](http://GeneralGuide.net)



Plenty of music, fun and things to do in mid Michigan in June. Marshall Blues Fest, on left, will be Saturday, June 24. In Albion, there are music events at the Bohm Theatre, and a Cruise-in May 29. Learn about Marshall architecture like Wagner's Block by the clock at left. Nearby Battle Creek will be hosting Spring into the Arts, a Brass Band concert, and the Field of Flight Air Show & Balloon Festival, end of June.

SUN		MON		TUE		WED		THU		FRI		SAT	
Albion & Marshall Farmers' Market Saturday mornings in June. Albion Farmers' Market at Stoffer Plaza will also be open Wed. afternoons from 3-6 pm in June. Support local business!				AMRCP Field Trip 6/7		Albion Farm Mkt Open Mic Nite @ the Bohm		AMRCP Community Conversation <i>Full Moon tomorrow</i> What's Brewing Marshall		Bohm Matinees Fridays@ 10 am		Marshall H.S. Grad Albion Farm Mkt Saturdays 10-1 Stoffer Plz	
4		5		6		7		8		9		10	
11		12		13		14		15		16		17	
Father's Day 18		19		20		21		22		23		24	
25		26		27		28		29		30		thru 4th of July!	

Major changes in downtown Albion with a Courtyard by Marriott Hotel being built near the Bohm Theatre. Albion's brick streets are being renovated during these months so be prepared to use the back entrances and enjoy some walking. Sidewalks are open for viewing of the progress. Google calendar at [GeneralGuide.net](http://GeneralGuide.net) has links to more official info and aerial photography and videos. Albion has two theaters now, with Bohm II next door. More music coming.

