

Frankenmuth Farmers Market

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Over 3 Dozen Artisans at FFM's Christkindlmarkt

FRANKENMUTH, MI – The assortment of artisans appearing at the Frankenmuth Farmers Market's Christkindlmarkt has grown to over 3 dozen. This traditional European Christmas Market will welcome thousands in downtown Frankenmuth in a heated tent next to Harvest Coffeehouse at 626 S. Main St. The Christkindlmarkt offers food, fun, festivity, and shopping over the course of two weekends:

10am-8pm Friday, November 27

10am-6pm Saturday, November 28

11am-5pm Sunday, November 29

10am-6pm Friday, December 4

10am-6pm Saturday, December 5

11am-3pm Sunday, December 6

As Friday's opening day winds down, guests are encouraged to attend Frankenmuth's 6pm Holiday Lighting Celebration and Candlewalk at River Place Shops. Shoppers in downtown Frankenmuth can pick up a Peppermints Perks coupons card at the Chamber of Commerce for savings throughout the city. Coincidentally, November 28 is Small Business Saturday, and there is no businesses smaller than the individual artisans offering their unique, passionately crafted local wares in the 3 dozen booths comprising the Christkindlmarkt. Expect to find food, gifts, jewelry, décor and much more.

The vendors include: Hoffman Farms' fresh garlands and wreaths, Butter Crust Bakery, Tozy Tea, Kapow Soaps, KaChomp Dog Treats, Frankenmuth Fudge Kitchen's glazed nuts, Uncle Bob's Sauce, Sansonetti's Sauces, Miller's Orchard gourmet gifts and décor, Fariering Glass Designs jewelry, New Earth Microgreens, Arts for the Cure Children's Cancer Fundraising gifts, Fostoria Bread Company, Jar Head Salsa, Ludwig Farmstead Creamery cheeses, Diane's Designs recycled-wool mittens, Hill Chestnut Farm chestnuts and chestnut products, Cashew Crunch cashew candies, Denton Specialty Coffee Roasters, UP Pasties, Cabana Soaps, Silk Road Fiber Arts Clothing, Caina Teas, Red Byrd Birdhouses from Wild Birds Unlimited, Wearable Animals plush animal scarves, Schiefer Honey and Maple Syrup, Saverine Creek Heirlooms seed jewelry, Stephanie Childress letter art, Aunt Bea's Place yarns, Urban Dreams Farm yarns, Soy Comfort Candles, Tomlin's Alpacas yarns and fresh dressed chickens, Kmee Original gifts, 4-H gifts, Nana's and Papa's Chocolates, and Calvin's Sweet Potato Pies, Goldy Holbrook's folk art, Metal Aesthetics metal sculptures, Aileen Libbey's 13-month inspirational calendars, Mike McCarty's children's books, Rice Writing personalized rice jewelry, and face painting and caricature artists. Sponsorship opportunities and vendor openings are available by contacting Laurajeanne Kehn at (989) 295-9766 or frankenmuthfarmersmarket@gmail.com.

Visitors will also be able to order custom-engraved bricks that will form the Market Patio connecting the Market Pavilion to the Gathering Barn at the permanent building's site. A limited number of bricks cost \$100 or \$150 depending on the size and will be engraved with the customer's choice of names or words. Proceeds benefit the building project. The Frankenmuth Farmers Market is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to providing and promoting the values of local food and products in an effort to strengthen and preserve our economy, agriculture, and sustainability. To learn more, please visit www.frankenmuthfarmersmarket.org or the Market's Facebook page.

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