

Michigan Friends Center

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A Quaker-Oriented Facility for Meetings, Retreats and Conferences
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Current Programs

Winter into Spring 2020

Winterfest! fundraiser with Laz and San Slomovits

7:30-9:00 p.m. Saturday, February 8, 2020, Ann Arbor Friends Meeting House

Suggested donation \$15/person, \$25/family.

Community – Music, Sound and Voice – Celebration -- Fundraiser

Gemini, twin brothers San and Laz Slomovits, nationally known for their music for children and families, return with the all-new program "From Broadway, With Love". At its heart are well-loved songs from musicals such as Oklahoma, The Fantasticks, The Music Man, The Sound of Music, Fiddler on the Roof, and Oliver. Come hear — and sing along with! — “Edelweiss,” ”Sunrise, Sunset,” “Getting to Know You,” ”Try to Remember” and more. Add in movie-musical songs such as “Somewhere Over the Rainbow,” “Blue Skies,” and “I Got Rhythm,” stir in a generous helping of classic American folk songs, all this performed on a stage full of instruments, and “Oh, What a Beautiful Morning” (or evening) it will be!

We will meet at the Friends Meeting House in Ann Arbor to enjoy an evening performance by musicians Laz and San and perhaps a friend or two.

This event is a fundraiser for the Michigan Friends Center.



Vernal Equinox Celebration—a multi-generational celebration of balance and rebirth

Thursday, March 19; potluck 5:30-7 pm, bonfire/circle 7-9 — at the Friends Lake beach fire ring or in MFC, depending on the weather (look for a sign on the MFC door)

Donations joyfully accepted. *Please register in advance if possible.*

Community – Ceremonies, Celebrations & Festivals—Body, Mind, & Spirit—Live Music, Sound, & Voice – Outdoor/Wilderness

We will celebrate the balance of light and dark and the birth of spring with a pot luc

k dinner and a circle in which to share thoughts, poems, stories, songs, knowledge. All ages welcome.

Bring something to share -- a verse, a story, a song you like, seasonal lore, or a readiness to partake in what others have brought. What is this season saying to you?

Dress for the weather and bring a flashlight.

A Day of Solitude and Meditation Practice led by Carol Blotter

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 21 and Saturday, June 6 (additional dates TBA)

Suggested donation \$30 or as able. Pre-registration requested; contact Carol Blotter at 475-0942.

Meditation-- Fundraiser

Each retreat is an opportunity to enjoy the quiet of the country while practicing sitting and walking meditation. This day is appropriate for anyone interested in meditation: beginners will have break-out instruction; experienced meditators can be in silence all day; those in-between can practice and have their questions answered. These retreats are fundraisers for the benefit of Michigan Friends Center.

Contact Carol at (734)475-0942 or cb.meditate@gmail.com to register.

The Michigan Friends Center at Friends Lake Community is northwest of Chelsea:
Take M-52 north out of Chelsea, turn left on Waterloo Road and then right on Clark Lake Road.