

# SHERIDAN ROAD



## Event Calendar

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### Third Annual Tax Free Shopping Event at the 900 Shops

**What:** The 900 Shops is once again celebrating Presidents Day weekend with a rare three-day shopping event where shoppers can splurge TAX FREE on Saturday, Sunday and Presidents Day Monday! Get a jump on spring shopping and grab some great deals as The 900 Shops participating retailers will offer a 9.75% discount (equivalent to CookCounty sales tax) to all shoppers including sale items! As a Presidents Day bonus, you can park at a special Alexander Hamilton rate only \$10 for the entire day from Saturday, Feb 19 through Monday, Feb 21. Parking tickets must be validated with purchase.

**When:** Saturday, 19 February, 2011 through February 21, 2011  
Monday - Saturday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Sunday 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.

**Where:** 900 Shops  
900 North Michigan Avenue  
Chicago

**Web Site:** [For more information about The 900 Shops, call 312.915.3916 or visit www.shop900.com](http://www.shop900.com)

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### The Cove School Annual Fundraiser

**What:** This year's theme is "Together We Shine", and is co-chaired by Sondra Adam and Cynthia Mondl.

**When:** Saturday, 26 February, 2011  
6 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.

**Where:** The InterContinental Chicago O'Hare  
5300 N River Road  
Rosemont

**Web Site:** [www.coveschool.org](http://www.coveschool.org)

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### Boys and Girls Club of Lake County Annual Benefit

**What:** The Boys and Girls Club of Lake County will host their Annual Dinner Dance Benefit "Evening in the Alps" at Independence Grove. Boys and Girls Club of Lake County serves children and teens in Waukegan, North Chicago, and Zion.

**When:** Saturday, 26 February, 2011  
6:30 p.m.

**Where:** Audubon Hall at Independence Grove  
16400 West Buckley Road  
Libertyville

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### Misericordia Women's Auxiliary 2011 Spring Luncheon and Fashion Show

**What:** The Misericordia Women's Auxiliary Board presents the 27th Annuals Spring Luncheon and Fashion show featuring looks from Saks Fifth Avenue.

**When:** Friday, 4 March, 2011

**Where:** The Palmer House Hilton Hotel  
17 East Monroe Street  
Chicago

**Tickets:** Individual tickets begin at \$150. Tables of 10 on the runway are \$3,500, and off-runway are \$2,500.

**Web Site:** [Seats can be reserved at events.org/mwafashion](http://seatscanbereservedatevents.org/mwafashion), or by calling the Misericordia hotline at 773-273-2756

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### Northwestern University Dance Marathon

**What:** Northwestern University will hold its 37th annual Dance Marathon (NUDM) at the Norris Student Center on Northwestern University's campus in Evanston. Over 1,200 registered dancers will continue the Northwestern tradition of raising funds and awareness while taking on the challenge of dancing for thirty hours. With dancers officially registered and mobilized for Dance Marathon 2011, NUDM is excited to announce The Childrens Heart Foundation (CHF) as the primary beneficiary of the 2011 event. The Childrens Heart Foundation (CHF) is the only organization focused on bringing health, hope and happiness to children and families affected by congenital heart defects through funding life-saving research and providing unparalleled services for affected families. Congenital heart defects are the most common birth defects in the world and the leading cause of birth defect-related deaths.

**When:** Friday, March 4 through Sunday, March 6

**Where:** Norris Student Center  
Northwestern University Campus  
Evanston

**Web Site:** [www.nudm.org](http://www.nudm.org)

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### Annual Spring Winnetka Public Preschool Benefit

**When:** Saturday, 5 March, 2011  
6 p.m.

**Where:** Westmoreland Country Club  
2601 Old Glenview Road  
Wilmette

**Web Site:** [www.winetka36.org](http://www.winetka36.org)

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### UCCRFAB "Spring Forward" Gala

**What:** The University of Chicago Cancer Research Foundation Auxiliary Board (UCCRFAB) hosts its annual gala, raising funds for unrestricted grants to donate to three leading research doctors at the University of Chicago, all of whom work toward finding answers to cancers most mystifying components: prevention, early detection, and treatment.

**When:** Saturday, 12 March, 2011

**Where:** The Michigan Shores Club  
911 Michigan Avenue  
Wilmette

**Web Site:** [For tickets, contact Jackie Bossu at jackiebossu@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jackiebossu@sbcglobal.net)

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### 19th Annual Great Chefs Tasting Party

**What:** Stephanie Izard, Season 4 winner in Bravos Top Chef competition and executive chef of Girl & the Goat, headlines the 19th annual Great Chefs Tasting Party benefiting UCP of Greater Chicago. More than 40 of Chicagos best-known chefs will share their fare with a crowd of food enthusiasts and avid diners. Last year, Great Chefs drew 800 guests. This years event adds a VIP room where Izard will serve up cooking demonstrations with fellow Top Chef alum Dale Levitski, executive chef at Chicagos Sprout Restaurant. VIP guests will have reserved seating, bottle service and an opportunity to bid on premium items in the new live auction.

**When:** Wednesday, 16 March, 2011  
5 to 9 p.m.

**Where:** Sheraton Chicago Hotel and Towers  
301 E. North Water Street  
Chicago

**Tickets:** \$125 for general admission and \$500 for admission to the VIP room.

**Web Site:** [www.events.org/ucpa](http://www.events.org/ucpa)

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### CAWC 25th Annual Spring Gala

**What:** Connections for Abused Women and their Children (CAWC), a Chicago organization committed to ending domestic violence, will host its 25th Annual Spring Gala "Sounds of Silence". CAWC, formerly named Chicago Abused Women Coalition, created Sounds of Silence to give recognition and a voice to the too often silent crime of violence between individuals and within families. CAWC brings more than 30 years of experience to its mission. Founded in 1976 by four Chicago women concerned about domestic violence, CAWC has a long commitment to serving the women and children of Chicago. Proceeds from this event will go towards serving CAWC's four program areas: Greenhouse Shelter, Hospital Crisis Intervention Project Humboldt Park Outreach Program and Domestic Violence Services at HaymarketCenter.

**When:** Saturday, 19 March, 2011  
6 to 11 p.m.

**Where:** Hyatt Regency Chicago  
Crystal Ballroom  
151 E Wacker Drive  
Chicago

**Tickets:** Individual tickets begin at \$225, VIP tickets are \$500

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### Les Turner ALS Foundation 24th Annual "Hope Through Caring" Award Dinner

**What:** Join the Les Turner ALS Foundation for the 24th Annual "Hope Through Caring" Award Dinner. The event will honor Dean Larry Jameson, MD, PhD, and Northwestern University's Feinberg School of Medicine. Jonathan Eig, author of three highly acclaimed bestsellers, "Luckiest Man: The Life and Death of Lou Gehrig"; "Opening Day: The Story of Jackie Robinson's First Season"; and "Get Capone", will be the host for the evening. Guests will have the opportunity to bid on silent and live auction items and participate in a paddle raise.

**When:** Saturday, 19 March, 2011  
6:30 p.m.

**Where:** Four Seasons Hotel  
120 East Delaware Place  
Chicago

**Tickets:** \$350 to \$500 per person, \$5,000 per table

**Web Site:** [Call 847-679-3311](tel:847-679-3311) or visit [www.lesturnerals.org](http://www.lesturnerals.org)

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### Red or White Ball

**What:** Hundreds of Chicago's young arts supporters will gather for an high-energy evening of music, dancing, signature cocktails, delectable tasting stations and a silent auction at the Steppenwolf Auxiliary Councils 9th annual Red or White Ball. Proceeds from the Red or White Ball benefit Steppenwolf for Young Adults: the theaters nationally recognized arts education and outreach programs which annually impact over 15,000 students, teachers and families.

**When:** Friday, 8 April, 2011  
8 p.m.

**Where:** Salvage One  
1840 W Hubbard Street  
Chicago

**Tickets:** Individual tickets for Red or White Ball 2010 start at \$130 or a limited number of \$250 VIP tickets are also available

**Web Site:** [www.steppenwolf.org/rowb](http://www.steppenwolf.org/rowb), via e-mail at [auxiliarycouncil@steppenwolf.org](mailto:auxiliarycouncil@steppenwolf.org) or call 312-654-5681

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### Lake Forest Showhouse & Gardens

**What:** Lake Forest Chapter of the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago presents its 14th biennial Lake Forest Showhouse & Gardens featuring over 30 top interior designers, including HGTV's Monica Pedersen, Walker-Simmons, Darcy Bonner and Frank Ponterio and over 10 premier landscape architects. The Showhouse & Gardens is open from Saturday, April 30, through Sunday, May 22. Thorndale Manor will be this year's featured property, a grand historic estate home, built in 1916 by renowned architect Howard Van Doren Shaw, set on 19 majestic acres in Lake Forest with 25 rooms. Also on the property is a charming coach house, featuring 5,500 square feet of living space and a beautiful courtyard overlooking expansive gardens and grounds.

**When:** Saturday, April 30 - Sunday, May 22  
Monday -Friday 9 a.m., Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Tickets:** Groups of four or more \$25 each and individual tickets \$30 if purchased online. Tickets at the door are \$35.

**Web Site:** [www.lakeforestshowhouse.com](http://www.lakeforestshowhouse.com)

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### Festa Ravinia 2011

**What:** This annual black-tie evening is held by the Ravinia Associates, a volunteer group of young business professionals and community leaders and includes dinner, raffle, dancing, live entertainment and live and silent auctions. The live and silent auction and raffle incorporates dozens of fabulous packages including weekend getaways, sports tickets, Ravinia concerts and luxury items. All proceeds from Festa Ravinia benefit Ravinia Festival and its REACH\*TEACH\*PLAY education programs. In addition, the Ravinia Associates will honor festival trustee Emily Knight for her work in leading the REACH\*TEACH\*PLAY committee.

**When:** Saturday, 7 May, 2011  
6:30 p.m.

**Where:** Venue One  
1044 West Randolph Street  
Chicago

**Tickets:** Tickets are \$195

**Web Site:** [Call 847-266-5089](tel:847-266-5089), [email associates@ravinia.org](mailto:associates@ravinia.org), or visit [www.ravinia.org/FestaRavinia.aspx](http://www.ravinia.org/FestaRavinia.aspx).

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### 12th Annual Reach for the Starts Golf Outing by the Ravinia Board of Trustees

**What:** This entertaining event held by Ravinia Festivals Board of Trustees includes lunch, a golf tournament and cocktail/dinner reception including a live auction, and benefits the festivals REACH\*TEACH\*PLAY education programs.

**When:** Monday, 23 May, 2011

**Where:** Lake Shore Country Club  
1255 Sheridan Road  
Glencoe

**Tickets:** Hole sponsorships begin at \$5000

**Web Site:** [For reservations, sponsorship or more information, please contact Stephanie Borash at 847-266-5020, \[golf@ravinia.org\]\(mailto:golf@ravinia.org\) or visit \[www.ravinia.org\]\(http://www.ravinia.org\)](#)

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### Ravinia Gala Benefit Evening

**What:** July 23, 2011 This elegant black-tie evening hosted by the Ravinia Women's Board is the only performance fundraiser that supports the not-for-profit music festival including its REACH\*TEACH\*PLAY education programs. The event begins with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres on the north lawn, followed by a performance in the pavilion with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra conducted by Ravinia Music Director James Conlon featuring vocalists Sylvia McNair, Broadway star Kelli O'Hara, stage and film star Brian Stokes Mitchell and pianist Kevin Cole. The performance will celebrate the music of George Gershwin including works Rhapsody in Blue, An American in Paris, Cuban Overture and much more. A sumptuous dinner follows in the dramatically beautiful Gala Marquee.

**When:** Saturday, 23 July, 2011  
5 p.m. for cocktails, 7 p.m. performance

**Where:** Ravinia Festival grounds  
Highland Park

**Web Site:** [For more information or to purchase tickets to the benefit evening, please call 847-266-5045, contact \[gala@ravinia.org\]\(mailto:gala@ravinia.org\) or visit \[www.ravinia.org\]\(http://www.ravinia.org\)](#)

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