

## Calendar of Events

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July 17, 2024

### **Port Unplugged**

05:00 PM - 07:30 PM PST

*Port of Seattle for an evening of conversation, fun, and networking with fellow Eastsiders!*

*Along with appetizers, adult beverages, great networking, and live music from SEA Airport's City of Music Program you'll learn about:*

- *SEA Airport's incredible passenger growth, exciting new upgrades, capital projects underway, and plans to sustainably meet future air travel demands*
- *Cruise and tourism industries that bring visitors — and their significant economic benefits — to the region.*
- *Economic Development projects on the Eastside that support small business*
- *Update on major sporting events, including FIFA World Cup, coming to our region (featuring guest speaker Beth Knox, Seattle Sports Commission)*

#### *Event Details*

*Wednesday, July 17*

**PICKERING BARN**

*1730 10th Ave NW*

*Issaquah, WA 98027*

- *5:00 – 5:30 Registration*
- *5:30 – 6:30 Presentation/Q&A*
- *6:30-7:30 Reception with appetizers, beer and wine, and live music*

*Eastside Port Unplugged • RSVPify*

July 18, 2024

### **Kids Artmaking Booth at Music in the Park**

**Mercerdale Park**

06:00 PM - 08:00 PM PST

Anne Hritzay, 2069991363

annehritzay@mival.org

*Artmaking Booth for Children at Music in the Park sponsored by Mercer Island Visual Arts League*

July 19, 2024  
- July 21, 2024

**One Year Anniversary - Stretchlab Mercer Island**

**Stretchlab Mercer Island**

10:00 AM - 06:00 PM PST

Stretchlab Mercer Island , 2065932211

mercerisland@stretchlab.com

*We are excited to celebrate our 1 year anniversary with you! We welcome you to come try out our free 25 min demo sessions for the weekend with exciting lifetime membership discounts as well! The 25min session will include a full Mobility, Activation, Posture and Symmetry Assessment. Please wear workout gear and get grip socks - arrive 5-10 mins prior to get a comfortable check in experience!*

*P.S. - In case your preferred time slot is unavailable - do give us a call at 2065932211 to check to see if we can accommodate your request!*

*RSVP your personalized complimentary Stretch below!*

*<https://calendly.com/stretchlabeastside/stretchlab-mercer-island-1-year-anniversary>*

July 25, 2024

**Kids Artmaking Booth at Music in the Park**

**Mercerdale Park**

06:00 PM - 08:00 PM PST

Anne Hritzay, 2069991363

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*Artmaking Booth for Children at Music in the Park sponsored by Mercer Island Visual Arts League*

August 1, 2024

**Kids Artmaking Booth at Music in the Park**

**Mercerdale Park**

06:00 PM - 08:00 PM PST

Anne Hritzay, 2069991363

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*Artmaking Booth for Children at Music in the Park sponsored by Mercer Island Visual Arts League*

August 8, 2024

**Art in the Park**

**Mercerdale Park**

06:30 PM - 08:30 PM PST

Anne Hritzay, 2069991363

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*Art Table at Music in the Park*

September 7, 2024

**Art Uncorked**

03:00 PM - 07:00 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber,

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*Art Uncorked is back for 2024 on SATURDAY, September 7th from 3:00pm-7:00pm!*

*Visit, Mercer Island Art UnCorked Mercer Island Events for more information and to purchase tickets!*

September 11, 2024

**Coffee & Conversations with Sound Transit**

**Mercer Island Community & Event Center**

**8236 SE 24th St**

**Mercer Island, Me**

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

info@merceraislandchamber.com

*We are excited to bring back Coffee and Conversations for 2024. These events aim to connect local and regional leaders with business leaders and provide an environment for meaningful conversations around topics of concern for the Mercer Island business community.*

*Speaker: Sound Transit Representatives*

*This is a member only event.*

*Registration is required as space is limited.*

*Coffee and snacks provided.*

September 18, 2024

**Business Workshop: Financial Cents: Getting The Most Out of Your Bookkeeping**

**The Hadley**

**2601 76th Ave SE**

**Mercer Island, WA 98040**

06:00 PM - 07:30 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber,

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*Join us for our next Business Workshop with Upkeeping!*

*This workshop will focus on business bookkeeping tips, tricks, and allow participants to ask questions from an expert.*

*Financial Cents: Getting The Most Out of Your Bookkeeping*

*Workshop participants will be given practical tips on how to properly track financial performance, stay in compliance, and ensure long-term business success.*

*Wednesday, September 18th*

*6-7:30pm*

*No cost to members*

*\$10 for guests*

*Registration required*

October 2, 2024

**Business Workshop - Social Media Video Domination: Techniques for Business Growth**

06:00 PM - 07:30 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber,  
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*Social Media Video Domination: Techniques for Business Growth*

*It's 2024 and it's as crucial as ever for your business to stand out online! Dive into the latest trends, strategies, and tools to elevate your brand's presence. Learn to craft compelling content that captivates audiences and drives results. From storytelling to optimization techniques, we'll cover it all. Led by Praised Media CEO Michael Hudson and his team - they will lead an immersive experience designed to supercharge your social media game!. Reserve your spot now and take your business to new heights through the magic of video!*

*Every attendee will receive:*

- FREE resources and templates to use to elevate your video content for your business*
- One (1) fully filmed and edited video by Praised Media to post on your Social Media channel(s)*

*Michael is a seasoned veteran in the world of video media, with over a decade of experience in the industry. Beginning his journey as an actor in Hollywood, he quickly made a name for himself and was a part of numerous productions. However, he wasn't content with just being in front of the camera. He wanted to make an impact behind the scenes as well. And so, he made a successful transition into the business and marketing worlds. Today, he's the driving force behind Praised Media, where he's on a mission to elevate Business Brands with his expertise in video. He relishes working with diverse Business Owners and their Marketing Teams across the country, empowering them to achieve their goals and boost their leads and revenue.*

*www.praisedmedia.com*

*No cost to chamber members*

*Non-members/guests \$10*

*Payment must be made prior to attending the class.*

*Space is limited.*

October 9, 2024

**Business Workshop: Holiday Marketing Bootcamp**

**The Hadley**

**2601 76th Ave SE**

**Mercer Island, WA 98040**

06:00 PM - 07:30 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber,  
info@mercerislandchamber.com

*Holiday Marketing Bootcamp*

*Join us to plan your holiday marketing strategy.*

*More info coming soon.*

*No cost for chamber members.*

*Non-members/guests \$10*

*Payment must be made prior to attending the class.*

*Space is limited.*

October 16, 2024

**Business Workshop: SEO 101: Get Ranked without the Headache**

**The Hadley**

**2601 76th Ave SE**

**Mercer Island, WA 98040**

06:00 PM - 07:30 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber,

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*Website SEO Basics*

*SEO 101: Get Ranked without the Headache*

*In the world of websites, SEO is king. Search Engine Optimization is a group of strategies and baby steps that make your website more desirable to Google. While there is no magic button to get on the first page of Google, let's break down the terminology and fundamental strategies so you can get your business SEEN by your audience. Let's grab those leads!*

*Class instructed by Jaclyn Cox, owner of Jaclyn Hope Design.*

*Registration is required.*

*Space is limited.*

*No cost for chamber members.*

*Guests/Non-Members \$10.*

*Payment is required prior to attending the class.*

October 20, 2024

**Women's Day Out**

**Mercer Island Community & Event Center**

**8236 SE 24th St**

**Mercer Island, WA 98040**

10:00 AM - 02:00 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber, 6149403687

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*We are thrilled to be partnering with On the Eastside Events to bring you a Women's Day Out on*

*Sunday, October 20th at the Mercer Island Community Center.*

*5?0+ vendors to shop from and learn about local resources that support your physical and mental health*

*L?ive music*

*C?raft classes*

*F?itness classes*

*G?iveaways*

*S?pa services*

*Pre-registration is required for all classes.*

*List of available classes coming soon!*

*Although this event is geared towards women, all are welcome. No pets, please.*

*B?ring your girls, your spouse or a loved one and have a super fun Sunday!*

*Vendor and class applications <https://forms.gle/Jc9yG6UmpjxqwcEQ6>*

October 25, 2024

**Town Center Trick-or-Treat**

**Town Center of Mercer Island**

04:00 PM - 06:00 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber,

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*Join us in Town Center to trick or treat with participating businesses.*

*This free family friendly event provides our community with the perfect start to their Halloween festivities.*

*More information coming soon!*

November 6, 2024

**Business Workshop: TBA**

**The Hadley**

**2601 76th Ave SE**

**Mercer Island, WA 98040**

06:00 PM - 07:30 PM PST

Mercer Island Chamber,

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*Topic coming soon!*

December 7, 2024

**Holiday Makers Market**  
**Mercer Island Community & Event Center**  
**8236 SE 24th St**  
**Mercer Island, WA 98040**

10:00 AM - 03:00 PM PST

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*Join us for a Holiday Makers Market, Saturday, Dec 7th from 10am -3pm at the Mercer Island Community and Event Center!*

*Over 75 vendors*  
*Festive Music*  
*Food & Drink*  
*Raffles & Giveaways*

*Come support local artisans and check off those names on your gift list. Or just stop by and enjoy the festivities.*

*Vendor applications <https://forms.gle/E2ZkjdesXHuaFltVA>*