

NH A New Hampshire
Shopping & Touring Event
Open Doors

Greater Manchester Tour Itinerary



Enjoy a great day in New Hampshire's Greater Manchester Region as you visit artists and craftsmen on your NH Open Doors Tour. Begin your tour in New Hampshire's Queen City with breakfast at one of Manchester's great eateries, and plan your route for the day. Depending on your choices, you can easily visit other participants in the Concord, Nashua, Monadnock and Seacoast regions. Whichever direction you travel, you'll find plenty of spots to stop along the way for lunch, afternoon tea, and even dinner and overnight accommodations!

Art 3 Gallery (194)

Fine Art

Joni Taube
44 West Brook Street, Manchester
(603) 668-6650
www.art3gallery.com

With our lives bombarded with information, and our days feeling saturated with digital overload, it can be challenging to find quiet, a space in the day to think, meditate and be creative. Artwork expresses a response to the world, offering answers, ideas and escapes. Art 3 Gallery presents the work of over 75 local and regional artists who welcome the opportunity to distract viewers with art! During Open Doors, our current exhibit, "Distractions," will be on display; the exhibit runs from October 31-January 31, 2019.

Hours:

Nov 3 - 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

Nov 4 - Not Open

Paintings by G. D. Thompson (137)

Fine Art

Gisele Thompson
513 Donald Street, Bedford
(603) 793-0757
www.etsy.com/shop/artbygisele

During NH Open Doors, visit Gisele Thompson's working studio, see works in progress, and original acrylic paintings. Visitors may browse prints in three sizes, framed and unframed, two poster collections and note cards.

Hours:

Nov 3 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Nov 4 - 11:00 AM-3:00 PM

Luci Lesmerises (118)

Fine Art

12 Hersey Street, Bedford

(603) 668-0816

www.lucilesmerises.com

Fine art awaits visitors at Luci Lesmerises' studio. Drop by and see her original oil paintings, prints and greeting cards, enjoy refreshments, and sign up for the door prize.

Hours:

Nov 3 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Nov 4 - 11:00 AM-4:00 PM

The Craftworkers' Guild (112)

All Crafts

5 Meetinghouse Road, Bedford

(603) 472-8109

thecraftworkersguild.org

The Craftworkers' Guild features a wide variety of high quality, juried crafts from over 60 artisans and craftspeople. Many items are one-of-a-kind and include seasonal decor, fine art & photography, woodcraft, fiber & fabric items, glasswork, pottery, mixed media, gourmet treats, jewelry and children's items. Visit this historic shop to begin your holiday shopping and see the artists at work. Also open for 2 other seasonal fairs: Nov. 23 - Dec. 22; and May 2 - 11, 2019.

Hours:

Nov 3 - 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

Nov 4 - 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

Michelle Dyson Art Studio (168)

Craft: Cards/Journals/Prints/Calendars, Prints - Handcrafted Originals, Wool/Fiber/Needlework, Fine Art

Michelle Dyson

191 Wallace Road, Goffstown

(603) 660-6244

www.michelledysonart.com

Michelle Dyson Art has a new location! Help me celebrate the opening of my new studio during NH Open Doors. Select paintings and prints are 10% to 30% off. Watercolor and felting demonstrations will take place both days. Sign up for a Saturday morning watercolor landscape class, 10-11 a.m., for the special price of \$15; limit 5 people. Refreshments and snacks will be provided to keep you energized, and the art will feed your soul!

Hours:

Nov 3 - 9:00 AM-3:30 PM

Nov 4 - 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

Sanctuary Studio (196)**Craft: Pottery/Ceramics/Porcelain/Tiles**

Bob and Lorry Roy

217 Normand Road, Goffstown

(603) 497-2821

Bob has been a potter for over 40 years, balancing his art by crafting functional stoneware, art pottery and Raku. Lorry has been making herbal soaps for 15 years, infusing them with essential oils, local herbs and honey. Since she began beekeeping 8 years ago, she has expanded her craft to include candle making and salves.

Hours:

Nov 3 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Nov 4 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Ann Trainor Domingue Studio (115)**Fine Art**

Ann Trainor Domingue

39 High Street, Goffstown

(603) 660-2821

www.anntrainordomingue.com

Art fans, art collectors and new-to-art-collecting folks are invited to visit Ann Trainor Domingue's Annual Open Studio and Sale event! This is the best opportunity for you to see the widest selection of my original artwork in any one location. My expressive semi-abstract paintings — inspired by all things New England — provide a joyful experience of what living in our beautiful area of the world means to me. Sizes from 6x6 to 36x36, acrylic on canvas or panel, watercolors on paper, and mixed media are available. Take a peek into my art studio, browse through hundreds of original paintings displayed in my 1910 historic home, chat with me about your thoughts for a custom work, and enjoy the experience of learning more about my process.

Hours:

Nov 3 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Nov 4 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Tates Gallery - James T. Cook, Designer Goldsmith (132)**Retail Store**

James Cook

League Member

1 Maple Street, New Boston

(603) 487-3510

www.tatesgallery.com

With over 25 years of Custom Designing and Goldsmithing experience, James Cook operates this 2nd generation family-run business with his wife, Sarah. James specializes in designing engagement rings and wedding bands using his in-house CAD program and 3D printer to show customers the model. He also works with customers to re-design their family jewelry to make it more wearable. The gallery sells GIA Certified Diamonds and Colored Gemstones, and also carries a nice variety of pottery, hand-blown glass, wood, fun jewelry and prints. Stop by and hi!

Hours:

Nov 3 - 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

Nov 4 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

The next two studios are located on the east side of Manchester, and are easy stops on your route should your plans include continuing on into the Concord or Seacoast areas.

Dave Designs (200)

Craft: Wood

Dave Brien
439 Dearborn Road, Auburn
(603) 494-3692

[facebook.com/DaveDesignsWoodWorking](https://www.facebook.com/DaveDesignsWoodWorking)

Dave turns segmented exotic wood bowls that are all naturally colored wood, and also makes cutting boards and a few coffee tables. During NH Open Doors, stop by Dave's wood working shop to watch him demonstrating turning and gluing bowls. Samples of his work will be for sale or order a custom made bowl. Refreshments include cheese and wine. "This is something new for me," says Dave, "and I'm very excited to finally show my creations to everyone."

Hours:

Nov 3 - 8:00 AM-6:00 PM

Nov 4 - 8:00 AM-6:00 PM

Farmhouse Folk Art (535)

Craft: Wool/Fiber/Needlework

Jean Martin
451 High Street, Candia 03034
(603) 493-7880

Jeanmartin@comcast.net

I am a needle felter, fairy house maker and vintage/antiques collector. Although the Farmhouse studio is not normally open to the public, at Open Doors I will be demonstrating my felted pins, mini teddy bears, dragons and more, and I will also be making my fairy houses out of gathered natural material from our 18-acre farm. The wood stove will be going and the cookies will be fresh! Stop in and visit my workshop and display areas!

Hours:

Nov 3 - 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Nov 4 - 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Natalie's Art (203)

Fine Art

Natalie Rotman Cote
23 Glen Ridge Road
Raymond, NH 03077
(603) 895-4466

www.natalies-art.com

Natalie is a painter and photographer who loves nature and traveling. Enjoy refreshments while browsing her inventory of art, all of which will be on sale during NH Open Doors. Natalie welcomes custom orders.

Hours:

Nov 3 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Nov 4 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM