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[American Guild of Organists, Bloomington Chapter](#)

Website	https://music.indiana.edu/departments/academic/organ/organ-bloomington-ago.shtml
Address	P.O. Box 2484 Bloomington, IN 47402
Additional Address	1201 E. Third Street Merrill Hall 003 Bloomington, IN 47405
Description	<p>Javascript is required to view this map.</p> <p>All individuals interested in the organ and choral music fields are invited to join the American Guild of Organists. Membership is open to everyone, regardless of denominational affiliation or musical ability.</p>
Contact	Janette Fishell (Chair) hjsulliv [at] uemail.iu.edu 317-430-1942
Additional Contact	Jacobs School of Music (812) 855-1583
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[Arts Alliance of Greater Bloomington](#)

Website	https://bloomingtonarts.org
Address	P.O. Box 3294 Bloomington, IN 47402
Additional Address	P.O. Box 3294 Bloomington, IN 47402
Description	<p>Javascript is required to view this map.</p> <p>The Arts Alliance of Greater Bloomington maintains an Artist Directory & promotes local arts with a unified voice.</p>

The AAGB is an association of artists, art organizations, and arts advocates dedicated to furthering arts of every type in our area by providing a forum for communication, encouragement, and action. It aims to be a collective and unified voice for the arts in all their diversity to improve the general condition of artists and their organizations. Through this collective action the Alliance seeks to reinforce the vitality of the Bloomington area as a center for the arts for our citizens and a vibrant destination for visitors.

Contact

Joanne Shank
info [at] bloomingtonarts.org
812-824-9861
2010
Incorporated

Year Established

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[BCT Management, Inc. Buskirk Chumley Theater](#)

Website

<https://buskirkchumley.org/about/contact/>

Address

114 East Kirkwood Avenue
PO Box 1323
Bloomington, IN 47402

Description

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The mission of BCT Management, Inc. is to develop the Buskirk-Chumley Theater as a high quality and widely accessible performance venue operated in a fiscally responsible manner.

Contact

Rebecca Stanze (Interim Executive Director)
director [at] buskirkchumley.org
812-323-3022

Additional Contact

David DeSante (Technical Director)
tech [at] buskirkchumley.org
(812) 323-3020

Incorporation Status

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[Bloomington Amateur Radio Club](#)

Website	http://bloomingtonradio.org
Address	P.O. Box 8361 Bloomington, IN 47407
Description	Monthly meetings 7 PM - Bloomington Hospital in Wegmiller Auditorium 1st Friday of each month We are a club of Amateur Radio Operators living, working, and operating in and around Bloomington, Indiana.
Contact	kc9rpx [at] gmail.com 812-391-2661
Year Established	1962
Community Organizations Subjects	

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[Bloomington Area Christian Writers](#)

Description	Group of Christian authors. Meets at the Ellettsville library branch. Contact: Kathi Adams, 9576 W. St. Rd. 48, Bloomington, IN 47404. Phone 876-8265 E-mail: katadams55 [at] yahoo.com
Contact	katadams55 [at] yahoo.com 876-8265
Additional Contact	katadams55 [at] yahoo.com
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[Bloomington Area Music \(BAM\)](#)

Website	http://bloomingtonareamusic.com/
Address	PO Box 3387 Bloomington, IN 47402
Description	Bloomington Area Music provides support for the Bloomington, Indiana music community through advocacy, networking and education. BAM! envisions an integrated and collaborative Bloomington Music Community in which musicians are educated in the pursuit of professional performance, supportive trades and local businesses prosper, and local residents become entertained and inspired through music spanning cultures and genres.
Contact	Emily Brown (Chairperson) info [at] bloomingtonareamusic.com 317-430-7800
Incorporation Status	Incorporated
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[Bloomington Chamber Singers](#)

Website	https://www.chambersingers.info
Address	P.O. Box 3256 Bloomington, IN 47402
Description	The mission of the Bloomington Chamber Singers is to perform choral works and, thereby, provide opportunities for performance, education, and community service for the Bloomington area.
Contact	Gerald Sousa (Music Director) bcs [at] chambersingers.info (812) 876-7342

Additional Contact
Incorporation Status
Community Organizations Subjects

Julie Grindle (Assistant Music Director)
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[Bloomington Community Band](#)

Website
Address

<https://www.bloomingtoncommunityband.org>

P.O. Box 237
Bloomington, IN 47402

Description

Rehearsals on Monday evenings, 7:00 PM, St. Thomas Lutheran Church, 3rd Street and Smith Road. An adult volunteer concert band. Woodwind, brass, and percussion players are welcome. No auditions necessary.

Contact

Dan Westerhaus
manager [at] bloomingtoncommunityband.org
812-323-8315

Year Established
Incorporation Status

1978
Incorporated

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[Bloomington Fourth Street Festival Committee](#)

Website
Address

<https://www.4thstreet.org/>

P.O. Box 1257
Bloomington, IN 47402

Description

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The 4th Street Festival was created in 1977 by Bloomington, Indiana area artists and craftspeople to showcase southern Indiana talent. The fair has grown to include artists from all over the country. The Fourth Street Festival of the Arts and Fine Crafts strives to create an atmosphere of appreciation for art as well as an opportunity for artists to showcase their work by presenting a high quality event, while providing an educational environment to create connections with art and artists. Fourth Street prides itself on being admission free and welcoming to all.

Contact

info [at] 4thstreet.org
335-3814

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[Bloomington Glass Guild](#)

Website
Address

<http://www.bloomingtonglassguild.org/>
3740 East 3rd Street
(group meets at University Baptist Church)
Bloomington, IN

Description

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The Bloomington Glass Guild is open to all who dream about glass, work with glass, admire glass or just want to learn more about glass.

Contact

agitlitz [at] hotmail.com
812-345-2470

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[Bloomington Indiana Sacred Harp](#)

Website

<https://bloomingtonsacredharp.org/>

Address

724 Bell Trace Circle
Bloomington, IN 47408

Description

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We meet twice a month. Our local singings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month from 7-9 PM in the lower level of the Fairview Methodist Church. (600 W 6th St.) Park in the lot on the north side of the building and enter through the lower level doors on the southeast side of the building.

Newbies are encouraged! Don't worry, loaner books are provided!

Contact

Aaron Jones
radiopirates1 [at] gmail.com
336-2792
1979
Unincorporated

Year Established

Incorporation Status

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[Bloomington Old-Time Music and Dance Group \(BOTMDG\)](#)

Website

<http://bloomingtoncontra.org/>

Description

Open to the public. Features live old time music. Contra

dancing, square dancing and reels. No experience necessary.

Contact

Bill Baus

Baus1210 [at] gmail.com

Incorporated

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[Bloomington Open Studios Tour](#)

Website

<http://www.bloomingtonopenstudiotour.com>

Address

P.O. Box 3294

Description

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Bloomington Open Studios Tour is a fun 2-day event in which area artists open their studios to visits from the general public.

Contact

bloomingtonopenstudiotour [at] gmail.com

Year Established

2011

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[Bloomington Peace Choir](#)

Website

<https://www.facebook.com/BloomingtonPeaceChoir>

Address

PO Box 7562

Description	<p>Bloomington, IN 47407</p> <p>The Bloomington Peace Choir is a non-auditioned choir that invites singers of all skills and those who are new to singing. Our mission is to sing for the joy of singing and sharing music from around the world. We visit area senior centers as part of our musical outreach.</p> <p>We meet on Tuesday nights at Bell Trace Senior Living Center, from 6:45 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.</p>
Contact	<p>Justice Saint Rain bloomingtonpeacechoir [at] gmail.com 812-834-5693</p>
Year Established	2010
Incorporation Status	Incorporated
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[Bloomington Photography Club](#)

Website	http://bloomingtonphotoclub.org
Address	Bloomington, IN
Description	<p>The Bloomington Photography Club of Bloomington, Indiana, consists of photographers of all skill levels from novice to professional. Members range widely in background, age, and areas of interest. Membership in the club is open to anyone. Others use point & shoot, rangefinder, medium format and pinhole cameras. To find a place in the club, it is not even necessary to own a camera, just to have an interest in photography.</p>
Contact	Glen Darling (President)
Additional Contact	Glen Darling glen [at] printmastersonline.com 330-2000
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[Bloomington Playwrights Project](#)

Website

<https://www.newplays.org>

Address

107 W 9th

Bloomington, IN 47404

Description

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The Bloomington Playwrights Project (BPP) is the only professional theatre in the entire state of Indiana dedicated solely to new plays. In operation for 32 years, we serve both the Bloomington and national theatre community by working with talented playwrights, actors, and artists to develop high-level productions for our patrons as well as the many audiences attending subsequent productions of scripts that originated here at the BPP. We are an advocate for playwrights and new plays and believe firmly that they are not only important but absolutely vital to the future of our art form.

Contact

Chad Rabinovitz (Producing Artistic Director)

bppwrite [at] newplays.org

812-334-1188

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[Bloomington Press Club](#)

Website

<https://bloomingtonpressclub.org/>

Address

P.O. Box 574

Bloomington, IN 47402

Description

The purpose of this group is to provide an emphasis on high quality journalism and freedom of the press by providing monthly speaker programs that focus on some aspect of journalism. Bloomington Press Club meets at noon on the fourth Monday, January through November,

at the Indiana Memorial Union's Coronation Room,
adjacent to the Tudor Room.

Contact

Jack Dvorak (President)
BloomingtonPressClub [at] gmail.com
812-339-4497

Additional Contact

Steve Hinnefeld (Vice President)

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[Bloomington PRIDE](#)

Website

<https://bloomingtonpride.org>

Address

PO Box 554
Bloomington, IN 47402

Description

The mission of Bloomington PRIDE: Through community-based events and services, Bloomington PRIDE celebrates queer arts, creates safe and inclusive spaces, and challenges stereotypes to enrich LGBTQA community culture.

Contact

sarah Perfetti
info [at] pridefilmfestival.org
2003

Year Established

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[Bloomington Quarry Morris Dancers](#)

Website

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bloomington-Quarry-Morris/207461709287573>

Address	1243 E. Matlock Rd. Bloomington, IN 47408
Description	<p>Javascript is required to view this map.</p> <p>Morris dancing is a traditional village festival dance from England. The dances Bloomington Quarry Morris performs are from the Cotswold area of England, as well as some Midwest American dances. Bloomington Quarry has performed at dawn on Mayday at the Courthouse over 25 years, the Shipshewana May festival and ethnic and renaissance festivals in Terre Haute, Indianapolis and South Bend.</p> <p>Will perform for groups. Looking for new dancers and musicians. Requires once a week commitment October through Memorial Day.</p>
Contact	Jim Morgan (Squire) 812-322-7172
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[Bloomington Quilters' Guild](#)

Website	https://www.bloomingtonquiltersguild.org
Address	North Central Church of Christ 2121 N. Dunn St. Bloomington, IN 47408
Additional Address	P.O. Box 5802
Description	<p>Javascript is required to view this map.</p> <p>The Bloomington Quilters' Guild welcomes everyone with a love of quilting or quilts. It has a varied program including guest speakers, workshops, trips, informal quilting meetings, and social evenings. Members range from "just lookers" to beginning quilters to award winners.</p>
Contact	info [at] bloomingtonquiltersguild.org
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[Bloomington Restorations, Inc. \(BRI\)](#)

Website <http://bloomingtonrestorations.org>
Address 2920 E. Tenth St.
Bloomington, IN 47408

Description

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BRI is a private not-for-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of Bloomington and old neighborhoods. Bloomington Restorations, Inc. (BRI) strengthens communities by saving, restoring, and promoting buildings, sites and places important to the diverse heritage of Bloomington and Monroe County, and develops and promotes affordable housing.

Contact [bri \[at\] BloomingtonRestorations.org](mailto:bri[at]BloomingtonRestorations.org)
336-0909
Incorporation Status Incorporated
Community Organizations Subjects

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[Bloomington Spinners and Weavers Guild](#)

Website <http://bloomspinweave.org>
Address P.O. Box 351
Bloomington, IN 47402

Description

The purpose of the Bloomington Spinners and Weavers Guild is to promote cooperation and interchange of ideas among those interested in the arts of spinning and weaving; to stimulate public appreciation for the value of spinning and weaving; to provide instruction for members in the methods and techniques of spinning, weaving and related fiber arts.

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[Bloomington Storyteller's Guild](#)

Website

<http://btownstorytellers.blogspot.com/>

Description

Guild was formed in 1974 to help keep the ancient tradition of oral storytelling alive. Members of the Guild meet about once a month to share new stories and plan storytelling events. Individual members are available for programs, workshops, and performances, usually a fee is charged. Membership is open to anyone with a love for stories, a desire to tell them -- and ten bucks for the registration fee. Regular events include the Festival of Ghost Stories on the Friday before halloween and the Wintertelling in February (both are for adults and teens). Storytelling for children, for social groups or for cultural events can be arranged through the Guild.

Contact

Ginny Richey (Coordinator)
btownstorytellers [at] gmail.com
812-339-7224

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[Bloomington Symphony Orchestra](#)

Website	http://www.bloomingtonsymphony.com
Address	PO Box 1823 115 N. College, Suite 255 Bloomington, IN 47402
Description	<p>Javascript is required to view this map.</p> <p>The Bloomington Symphony Orchestra promotes a lifelong appreciation of and enthusiasm for music through performances and educational outreach throughout the community. This 75 member, all-volunteer community orchestra performs a classical concert series, holiday 'pops' programs, a children's concert, plus a summer concert in the park every season.</p>
Contact	Donna Lafferty (Executive Director) bso.donna [at] gmail.com 812-331-2320
Additional Contact	bso [at] bloomingtonsymphony.com
Year Established	1969
Incorporation Status	Incorporated
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[Bloomington Ukulele Club](#)

Website	https://sites.google.com/site/ukuleleclubbloomington/
Description	The Bloomington Ukulele Club is a place where Bloomington residents can play the ukulele and continue to develop ukulele skills.
Contact	bloomingtonukulele [at] gmail.com
Year Established	2010
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[Bloomington Watercolor Society](#)

Website

<http://bloomingtonwatercolor.org>

Address

c/o John Waldron Art Center

122 S. Walnut

Bloomington, IN 47407

Additional Address

PO Box 5236

Bloomington, In 47407

Description

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The mission of BWS is to promote a growing relationship with artists, encourage one another , and provide opportunities for promoting and exhibiting our watercolor paintings in the community. Promotes watercolor painting or any water based and applied method. Provides paint-ins and education through demonstrations and guest artists.

Contact

Cassidy Young (President)

members [at] bloomingtonwatercolor.org

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[Book Circulating Group](#)

Website

<https://uclub.sitehost.iu.edu/bookcirculating/>

Address

900 E. 7th Street

Room 150

Bloomington, IN 47405

Description

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Must be a member of the University Club. Circulates 15 books a year among members. Books are roughly half fiction and half non-fiction.

Contact

Penny Gaither (Co-Chair)
booklady88 [at] gmail.com
812-332-8010

Additional Contact

Lou Moir (Co-Chair)
moirl [at] indiana.edu
822-1515

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[Books Plus Book Discussion Group](#)

Website

<http://www.monroe.lib.in.us/fiction/books-plus>

Address

Monroe County Public Library
303 E. Kirkwood Ave.
Bloomington, IN 47408

Description

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Books Plus is an once-a-month discussion group which meets at the library to talk about a wide range of books and issues. Books and other media, both fiction and non-fiction, are the springboards for discussing new trends, social issues, genres, best sellers, foreign authors, etc. Each month, the group focuses on one or more books (chosen in advance). A volunteer leads the discussion.

Contact

812-349-3050

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[By Hand Gallery](#)

Website	http://byhandgallery.com/
Address	101 W. Kirkwood Ave. Suite 109 Bloomington, IN 47404
Description	Javascript is required to view this map. Artist's gallery--all items handmade, both local and non-local. Over 70 artists represented.
Contact	manager [at] byhandgallery.com 812-334-3255
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[Camerata Orchestra Series](#)

Website	https://music.indiana.edu/giving/scholarships/scholarships-camerata.shtml
Description	Founded in 1989 by concertmaster Lenore Hatfield, the Camerata Orchestra offers a professional setting for Indiana University Jacobs School of Music faculty, retired faculty, music students, and townspeople in Bloomington, Indiana. Internationally known guest conductors lead the orchestra with soloists from I.U. faculty, concert artists, and Camerata Solo Competition winners.
Contact	Lenore Hatfield (Executive Director) lenorehatfield [at] yahoo.com 812-333-6349
Incorporation Status	Incorporated
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