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## **The Annual Heritage Hill Weekend Tour of Homes May 16 and 17, 2020**

**The 51st Annual Heritage Hill Weekend of Tour of Homes happens Saturday, May 16 from 11-5 pm and Sunday, May 17 from 12-5 pm.** Step inside 7 private historic homes originally built for prominent Grand Rapids leaders. Two historic public buildings complete Tour's 2020 line-up. As one of the country's largest urban historic districts, the neighborhood will astound you.

**2020 Tour's highlights include** a spectacular 1882 Shingle style that had a major renovation in the 1920's; unique iridescent tiles adorn the kitchen and bath in this 5,000 square foot home. The classic Prairie style of Frank Lloyd Wright is showcased at the Amberg house built in 1909; the home boasts all the characteristics of Wright's flair including art glass, ceramic tiles and expansive open spaces. Also on Tour is a handsome Tudor adorned with multiple leaded glass windows that was built for a lumberman in 1921.

**Heritage Hill was named by *This Old House* as one of the country's "Best Old House Neighborhoods".** Its 1,300 homes date from 1843 and represent Michigan's finest collection of 19th and 20th century American architecture ranging from Greek Revival to Prairie.



*Proceeds benefit the Heritage Hill Association's programs that support the historic preservation of this unique neighborhood and assist with land use planning, engaging neighbors and community resources, crime prevention and block club organizing. Please call 616-459-8950 for more information or go to our website at [heritagehillweb.org](http://heritagehillweb.org).*

**Advance tickets** are \$18.00 and are available at [www.heritagehillweb.org](http://www.heritagehillweb.org). To obtain tickets by check, send to the **Heritage Hill Association, 126 College SE, Grand Rapids, MI 9503**. Tickets on the weekend of the tour are \$25.00. Free shuttle bus transportation is provided between all of the tour houses.

