The Annual Heritage Hill Weekend Tour of Homes happens Saturday, May 16 from 11 am-5 pm and Sunday, May 17 from 1 pm - 5 pm. Step inside 8 historic homes originally built for prominent Grand Rapids leaders. As one of the country’s largest urban historic districts, the neighborhood will amaze you.

2020 Tour’s highlights include a stunning 1903 Georgian Revival designed by the architectural firm of Osgood & Osgood for the founder of the Keeler Brass Company; the interior resembles the Governor’s Mansion in Colorado and reflects the status and wealth of the Keeler family; a spectacular 1890 American Craftsman that was redesigned into a work of art by its artist owners and skilled craftspeople; a 6-bedroom 1882 Shingle Style adorned with unique iridescent tiles that were installed during a 1920’s remake; the 1909 Amberg house was designed by Frank Lloyd Wright in the classic Prairie style. Also on Tour is a handsome 1921 Tudor adorned with multiple leaded glass windows and hidden cubbies that were used during the Prohibition years.

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.

Advance tickets are $18.00 and are available at www.heritagehillweb.org. To obtain tickets by check, send to the Heritage Hill Association, 126 College SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503. Tickets on the weekend of the tour are $25.00. Free shuttle bus transportation is provided between all of the tour houses.

Proceeds benefit the Heritage Hill Association’s programs that support the historic preservation of this unique neighborhood, assistance with land use planning, and engaging neighbors with community resources, crime prevention actions and issue organizing. Please call 616-459-8950 for more information or go to our website at heritagehillweb.org.