

RICE & LARPENTEUR

SHOP



LOCAL



GUIDE

Your go-to guide to discover the many businesses in this district to meet all your dining, shopping, and service needs!

Meet the Rice & Larpenteur Alliance



Photo: Staff + Volunteers after Summer Block Party

Rice & Larpenteur is a diverse and growing community where the cities of Roseville, Maplewood and Saint Paul connect. Rice & Larpenteur boasts affordable and varied housing, walkable neighborhood parks, shops, restaurants, churches and schools, along with easy access to employment centers in surrounding communities.

The Rice & Larpenteur Alliance is a collaboration of neighborhood residents and businesses with nonprofit, development and government partners working to realize Our Shared Vision: The Rice & Larpenteur Area is a safe, engaging, and inviting neighborhood center that includes common spaces, a high-quality pedestrian environment and robust reinvestment for the diverse people of the surrounding communities to live, conduct business, and play together.

Guided by the values of representation and inclusion, non-displacement, and strengths-based approaches, we bring our community together through vibrant events, connection to valuable resources, ongoing community improvements such as public art, neighborhood signage, developing green spaces, and supporting economic development through public and private investments along the corridor.

Some highlights of recent Rice & Larpenteur Alliance initiatives include public trash and recycling bins, construction of a parklet, redesign of the My Thrift parking lot, added sidewalks, business grants, neighborhood signage, and public art which create opportunities to put our community identity on display. We plan several community events throughout the year including the Summer Block Party which brings together our community with fun activities for the whole family. Stay connected with us for the latest on upcoming events at www.riceandlarpenteur.com.

Photo: Boundaries of Rice & Larpenteur area. Three Cities, One Neighborhood.



Photo: Spring Clean Up, Summer Block Party yard sign with in a community-painted planter that was installed as part of a previous RLA event, Ribbon Cutting for Parklet at Rice & Larpenteur



The Rice & Larpenteur Alliance would like to say a special thank you to our Community-Based Advisory Board Members, local government partners, financial sponsors, donors, and volunteers who make this work possible. If you would like to get involved, email Executive Director Kim O'Brien at: kim@saintpaulchamber.com.

About the Guide

The Rice & Larpenteur Alliance is working hard to support our business community and stay connected as neighbors. This shopping guide is your go-to resource on the vibrant businesses that make Rice & Larpenteur so unique.

Call or visit the website of these businesses to find out more about what they have to offer. Even if you shop here often, you may be surprised what places you didn't know were around the corner! By actively supporting locally owned businesses, you are helping this neighborhood thrive. Thank you for shopping at Rice & Larpenteur.

"It's so awesome to see an organization put so much effort into a community in need. I believe the area is making great strides in just the short time we have been a part of it."

- Brian Welke, Owner of North End Laundry

#3Cities1Neighborhood



CATEGORY:

Food+Drink

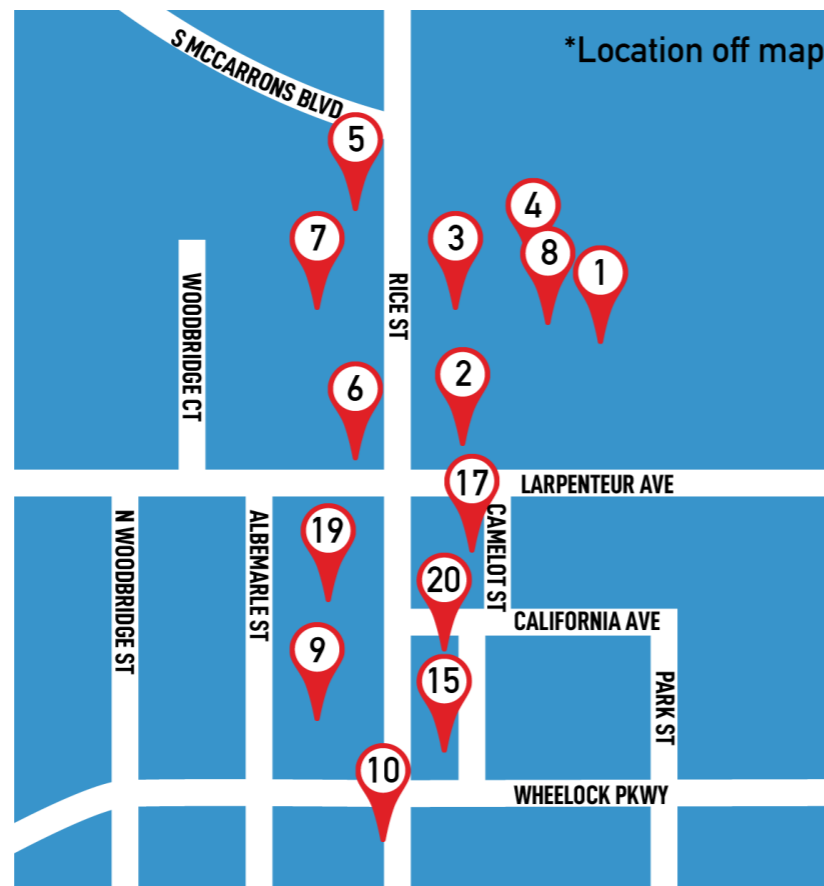
Taste the world, right in your own backyard.

Just steps from your door are some of the best culinary and entertainment experiences in the Twin Cities. Taste the authentic flavors of fine French pastry as created by Paris born and Eagan raised Brandon Vang, head baker at La Delicious Bread. For a hearty taste of global cuisine, grab cozy Shrimp Curry at Friends Cafe, Fried Dumplings from Thai Street Market, or Roast Duck and Miso Soup at Asia Fusion Kitchen.

Support one of the latest businesses to join the Rice & Larpenteur food scene, **A Taste of Nepal!** Be sure to stop by and welcome them to the community.

Fancy a Happy Hour at McCarron's Pub? Be sure to enjoy their slow roasted turkey from their from-scratch kitchen and catch the headliner at Wilebski's Blues Saloon.

From Thai food to rockin' blues, Rice & Larpenteur restaurants represent and celebrate the vibrant and diverse community that lives here.



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| 2 Burger King | 12 La Delicious Bread* |
| 3 Caribou Coffee | 13 McCarron's Pub and Grill* |
| 4 D&J Fish and Chicken | 14 McDonald's* |
| 5 Dairy Queen | 15 Popeyes Louisiana Kitchen |
| 6 Domino's Pizza | 16 South China Island Inn 2* |
| 7 Friends Cafe | 17 Taco Bell |
| 8 Groceries + Nepali Kitchen | 18 Taste of Nepal* |
| 9 Hearthside Pizza | 19 Thai Street Market |
| 10 Hooks Fish and Chips | 20 Wilebski's Blues Saloon |



FEATURE MEMBER

ASIA FUSION KITCHEN

The first year of opening a restaurant is never an easy journey, but Asia Fusion Kitchen had the additional challenge of joining the Rice & Larpenteur restaurant community in the midst of a pandemic. While new to the district, the family-owned Asian Fusion Kitchen has already established a loyal following. Particularly popular with families who are attracted to quality food and reasonable prices, customers have remarked that they are always greeted with an enthusiastic hello, and the service is always attentive and friendly.

With offerings that feature cuisine from Thailand, China, and Japan; whether you're hungry for Dim Sum, Pho, or a Sushi Roll, you will find it all here! They feature items such as Korean Barbecue, some dynamite curry dishes, and some hard-to-find seafood dishes rounding out their exciting menu.

If you're looking to eat on the lighter side, they have a menu full of delicious salads and hearty soups that will satisfy any palate. Imagine a Spicy Mango Salad, or perhaps a Ramen Seafood Noodle Soup. And their zesty Pho is something you won't want to miss. Beverage-wise, in addition to some tasty teas, fruit juices and decadent milks, they also serve beer and wine for those that want something a little stronger.

Asian Fusion Kitchen is a wonderful addition to the Rice-Larpenteur area. Besides their awesome food, they have become a loyal community partner. So, stop by and visit them. You won't be sorry. As one satisfied customer exclaimed:

I [have] been to so many Asian restaurants around the US and this is one I would definitely recommend to anyone!
- Ning Z, testimonial





FEATURE MEMBER

HEARTHSIDE PIZZA

Hearthside Pizza is celebrating 50 years in the Rice & Larpenteur community and under new ownership for the last five. Owner Joseph Wiggins is a dedicated community member who knows that a restaurant is about more than just food - it's about the community that good food brings together.

"Since [March 2020], all my efforts have just been to survive. This was not the fifth-year anniversary that I had planned when taking over Hearthside Pizza... I give you all my word that I will do my best to make sure this place remains here no matter what it takes...I will not quit!"

- Joseph, Hearthside Pizza Owner

Hearthside is known for their scrumptious pizza, hamburgers, and wings. Hearthside's burger patties, sausage, dough and sauce are all made in-house. They also have a wide variety of desserts and beverages for you to enjoy. Whatever menu item you order at Hearthside, you can't go wrong. And with dine-in, pick-up, or delivery there are many ways to experience Hearthside's hospitality!

In addition to being a fine restaurant, they are also strong community partners. They have given their time, donated food, and provided meeting space in support of the neighborhood groups working to improve the quality of life in the area. They are a loyal neighbor, and they have great love and passion for not only their food, but for this community as well.



OUR BUSINESSES

Food+Drink



A Taste of Nepal



1415 Rice Street, St. Paul, MN 55117
(651) 340-1046



Asia Fusion Kitchen



1700 Rice Street Suite G, Maplewood
(651) 489-0169



Burger King



1698 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 489-2636
bk.com

Caribou Coffee



1720 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 489-2384
cariboucoffee.com

 BIPOC-owned business (Black, Indigenous, Person of Color)

 Locally owned business

D&J Fish and Chicken



1739 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 489-8900



Dairy Queen



1681 Rice Street, Roseville
(612) 800-9666
dairyqueen.com



Dominos Pizza



1700 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 488-5330
dominos.com

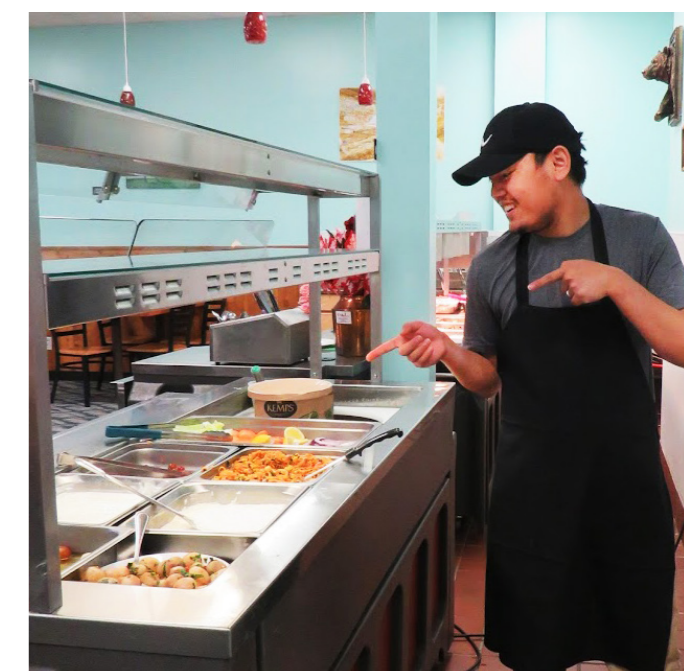


Photo: Food offerings at Groceries And Nepali Kitchen

OUR BUSINESSES

Food+Drink



Friends Café



1711 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 487-7696



Jet's Pizza



2158 Rice Street, Maplewood
651-300-5387
www.jetspizza.com/stores/minnesota/maplewood/2158-rice-st-suite-106/

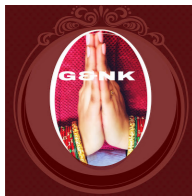
La Delicious Bread



2158 Rice Street, Maplewood
651-797-4620
ladeliciousbread.com



Groceries & Nepali Kitchen



1700 Rice Street, Suite K, Maplewood
(651) 440-9759
www.groceries-nepalikitchen.com



Hearthside Pizza



1703 Rice Street, Roseville
(651) 399-3027
www.hearthsidepizza.com



Hooks Fish and Chips



1648 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 330-8920
hooksfishnchips.com

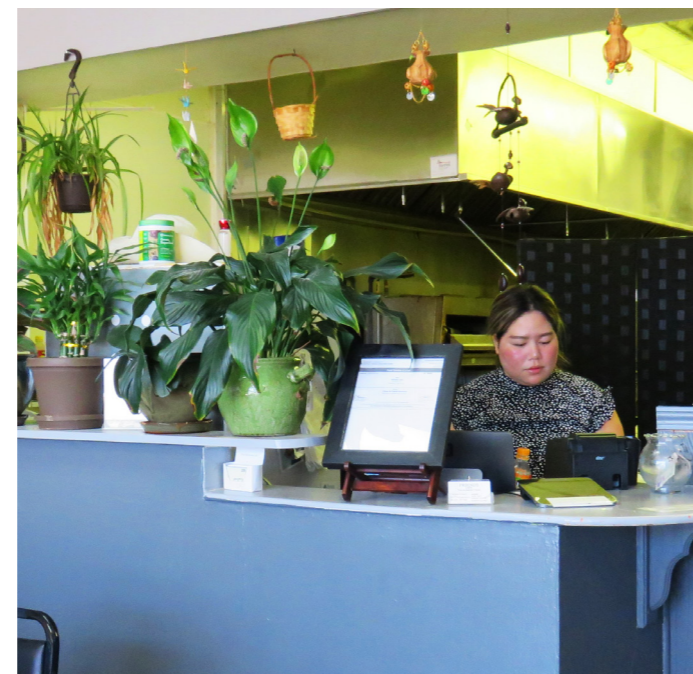


Photo: Friends Cafe Front Counter

OUR BUSINESSES

Food+Drink



McDonald's



1535 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 487-3090
www.mcdonalds.com



Thai Street Market

THAI STREET MARKET
CASUAL FAMILY DINING

1665 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 488-0531
www.thaistreetmarket.com



Popeyes Louisiana Kitchen



1634 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 888-2194
locations.popeyes.com

Wilebski's Blues Saloon



1638 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 231-0334
wilebski blues.com



South China Island Inn



1420 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 488-7849
www.southchina2.com



Taco Bell



1672 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 488-1366
locations.tacobell.com

BIPOC-owned business (Black, Indigenous, Person of Color)

Locally owned business

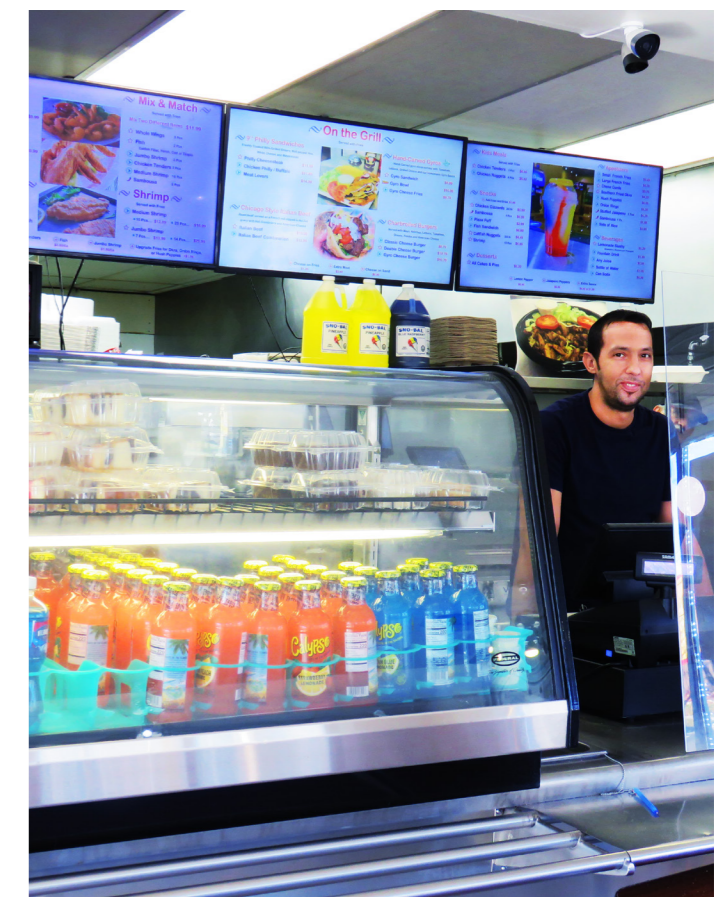


Photo: Hooks Fish & Chips Cafe Front Counter



CATEGORY

Retail

From grocery to gifts, from decor to floor, Rice & Larpenteur has you covered.

A friendly face is sure to greet you when you come through the door at Rice & Larpenteur's retail establishments. Check items off your list at one of our friendly grocery retailers. Whether you visit our neighborhood Cub Foods, or locally owned HIGHLIGHT, Groceries and Nepali Kitchen, or Nepali Market you'll be sure to find exactly what you need. Find a thoughtful gift at Setzer's Pharmacy and Gift Center or perhaps something sparkly at Excel Pawn and Jewelry.

You can also score some home decor, a new outfit, and many more affordable treasures at MyThrift Store. And did you know that Noble Tobacco has one of the largest walk-in humidors in the region full of high quality cigars from all over the world? Seasonally, stop by the new Rice & Larpenteur Farmers Market in Setzer's Parking Lot for some fresh, locally grown produce. Should you be looking to upgrade your home or business, explore Hammernick's Interior Solutions' impressive showroom of flooring possibilities. In the market for a new vehicle? Long's Auto has been serving the Rice Street community for 40 years. So get to Rice & Larpenteur, check a few things off your list, and support local retailers today.



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| 1 Auto Zone Auto Parts* | 12 Long's Auto Place Inc* |
| 2 Boaters Outlet* | 13 Merwin Liquors Maplewood |
| 3 Boost Mobile | 14 MyThriftStores |
| 4 CarHop Auto Sales & Finance* | 15 Nepali Market* |
| 5 Cub - Maplewood West* | 16 New Smokes |
| 6 ELITE AUTO* | 17 Noble Tobacco L.L.C |
| 7 Excel Pawn and Jewelry | 18 O'Reilly Auto Parts* |
| 8 Family Dollar | 19 Pawn America |
| 9 Groceries + Nepali Kitchen | 20 Setzer Pharmacy & Gift Center |
| 10 Hammernick's Interior Solutions* | 21 Walgreens |
| 11 HIGHLIGHT | 22 Food Shelf - Keystone* |



FEATURE MEMBER

SETZER'S PHARMACY & GIFT CENTER

Setzer Pharmacy and Gift Center was founded in 1956 by brothers Bob and George Setzer, Gary Raines bought the store in 1992 after more than 50 years, and ran it with his son Bryan. In 2017, new owner Jim Stage continues the legacy of this independent family-run business

where service-first values and state-of-the-art business practices provide their customers with the best possible retail experience.

So much more than a pharmacy, Setzers also houses one of Minnesota's most unique gift shops. Picture old-school Woolworth's mixed with one of those 'Something from Minnesota' stores, but with a homey, community pulse. Everything from camouflage sunglasses to stained-glass butterflies, from a cozy sweatshirt to a stylist scarf. The unique finds here will make your thoughtful gift a memorable part of any of life's special moments.

With many of their 50 employees having worked there for decades, it's no wonder Setzer's is considered a cornerstone of this community. Setzer's Head Pharmacist actually met his wife while working at Setzer's and their daughter followed in her father's footsteps and joined the Pharmacy team. From the family and service centered approach to the space for connection with friends and neighbors, Setzer's is part of the lifeblood of Rice & Larpenteur.



OUR BUSINESSES

Retail



AutoZone Auto Parts



1515 Rice Street, Saint Paul, MN
(651) 644-6490
www.autozone.com

Elite Auto



1930 Rice St, St Paul
612-702-6200
eliteautosmn.com



Boaters Outlet



2000 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 639-9000
boaters-outlet.com



Excel Pawn & Jewlery



1700 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 488-0008
www.excelpawn.com

Boost Mobile



1700 Rice Street, Maplewood
651-287-1533
www.boostmobile.com

Family Dollar



1700 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 487-6757
www.familydollar.com

CarHop Auto Sales



1908 Rice St, Maplewood, MN 55117
651-487-1000
www.carhop.com

Cub Foods



100 County Road B West, Maplewood
(651) 489-8217
www.cub.com



Photo: Groceries at Groceries And Nepali Kitchen

OUR BUSINESSES

Retail



Groceries & Nepali Kitchen



1700 Rice Street, Suite K, Maplewood
(651) 440-9759
www.groceries-nepalikitchen.com



Merwin Liquors



1700 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 488-1818
www.merwinliquors.com



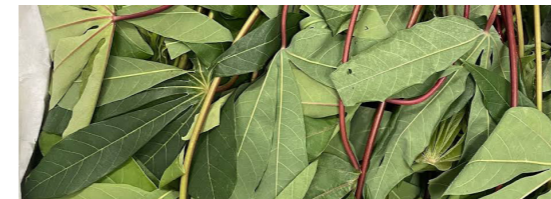
Hamernick's Interior Solutions



1381 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 487-3211
www.hamernicks.com



Highlight



1703 Rice Street, Roseville
(651) 399-3027
highlight-asian-grocery-store.business.site



Long's Auto Place



1566 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 488-8400
www.longsauto.com



BIPOC-owned business (Black, Indigenous, Person of Color)

Locally owned business

Locally owned business

BIPOC-owned business (Black, Indigenous, Person of Color)

MyThriftStores



1657 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 528-8315
mythriftstores.com

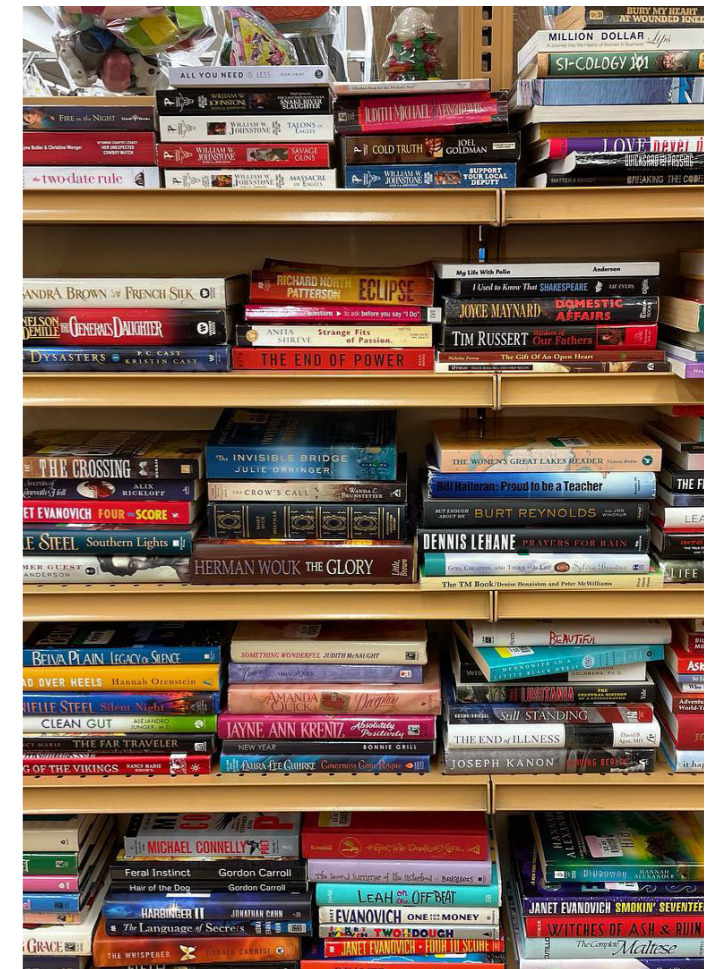


Photo: MyThriftStores book section

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Retail



Nepali Market



1423 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 348-2873
nepali-market.business.site



Pawn America



1715 Rice St, Roseville
(651) 487-1595
www.pawnamerica.com

Setzer Pharmacy and Gift Center



1685 Rice Street #6629, Saint Paul
(651) 488-0251
www.setzerrx.com



Walgreens



1700 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 251-9811
www.walgreens.com



Photo: Gifts and holiday decorations at Setzer's Pharmacy + Gift

New Smokes



1700 Rice Street, Maplewood
(651) 489-1867
new-smokes.business.site



Noble Tobacco



1681 Rice Street, Roseville
(651) 340-4785



O'Reilly Auto Parts



1887 Rice St, Roseville
(651) 489-9699
locations.oreillyauto.com

BIPOC-owned business (Black, Indigenous, Person of Color)

Locally owned business

RECENTLY AT RICE & LARPENTEUR



Mobile Vaccination Clinic



Mosaic Celebration



Community in Bloom Event



Parking Lot Renovation



Spring Clean Up Event



RLA Recycling & Trash Cans



Summer Block Party Signature Event 2021

Stay tuned on what's coming next at linktr.ee/RiceLarpenteur





CATEGORY

Service

Your neighbors, here to serve you in wellness, auto, laundry, business and more!

Service business keeps Rice & Larpenteur life running smoothly. Treat yourself and look your best with a visit to Kclips Salon and Fantasy Nails for a glam treatment. Stop in at Spring Spa or Anna's Healing Massage for a therapeutic massage that helps you de-stress. Manage pain and maintain alignment with one of the two, family-owned chiropractic providers in the district - McCarron Lake Chiropractic and Allie Chiropractic.

Getting the family's wash done has never been more convenient than at the options you have here too - Noble Laundromat is here to serve you and North End Laundry is under new ownership. For those of us with fur babies, doggy daycare, boarding and grooming can be found at The Woof Room. With auto services conveniently available throughout Rice & Larpenteur you can maintain your vehicle with Rice Street Car Wash, Maplewood Collision Center or Best Car Wash and Auto Center and more. Banking is a breeze with American National Bank (formerly Western Bank). For convenient and reliable options, look no further than Rice & Larpenteur.



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| 1 AE Signs Systems* | 11 Noble Laundromat |
| 2 Allie Chiropractic Clinic | 12 North End Laundry |
| 3 American National Bank | 13 Rice & Arlington Batting Cages* |
| 4 Anna's Healing Massage* | 14 Rice Street Car Wash |
| 5 Best Car Wash & Auto Center* | 15 Spring Spa |
| 6 Fantasy Nails | 16 The Woof Room* |
| 7 K Clips Salon | 17 Tom's Mobil Service* |
| 8 Lovicta Auto | 18 Tse Inc.* |
| 9 Maplewood Collision Center* | 19 Victory Auto Service & Glass* |
| 10 McCarron Lake Chiropractic* | 20 WA Group |
| | 21 Quality Insurance Services* |



MCCARRON LAKE CHIROPRACTIC

McCarron Lake Chiropractic has a long history in the Rice & Larpenteur neighborhood starting in the Crown Plaza mall on the Maplewood side of Rice & Larpenteur in 2003. It is owned by husband and wife team, Dr. Jason Smith and Dr. Laura Dronen who purchased the clinic in 2003 and changed the name from Blake Chiropractic to McCarron Lake Chiropractic. In 2017 they moved into the A-frame building that is directly across from Lake McCarron formerly known as the Chalet by longtime residents.

McCarron Lake Chiropractic provides many services to help make patients feel better as soon as possible. Not only do they offer chiropractic adjustments, but also massage therapy, electric muscle stimulation, "roller" table, acupuncture, cupping, strengthening/stretching exercises, and rehabilitation.

The physiotherapy they offer includes electric muscle stimulation (very relaxing and they also put a hot pack on you!). They have individual rehabilitation sessions to help stretch and strengthen muscles after trauma or pain resulting from repetitive injuries.

The Chiropractors and staff at McCarron Lake Chiropractic work hard to treat you as an individual. They tailor your treatment plan to address your specific condition, and they believe in working as a team to help you with your healthcare goals.



"I used to struggle with back pain on a daily basis until I started coming to McCarron Lake Chiro. With the help of the doctors and massage therapist, I am pain free. I always feel welcomed and valued as a patient."

- Luke L.

OUR BUSINESSES

Service



AE Sign Systems



1943 Rice Street, Roseville
(651) 488-2990
www.aesign.com



Allie Chiropractic Clinic



1654 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 487-5334
alliechiropractic.com



American National Bank



1740 Rice St, Maplewood
651-290-7822
american.bank



Anna's Healing Massage



1961 Rice Street #101, Roseville
(651) 321-2227
annashealingmassage.com



Best Car Wash and Auto Center



1540 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 489-6000
www.bestcarwash.net



Fantasy Nails



166 Larpenteur Ave W, Saint Paul
(651) 487-8076
facebook.com/Ruby.N.Sophia/



Kclips Salon



1700 Rice Street,
Maplewood
(651) 487-0457



Photo: Fantasy Nail Salon Interior



BIPOC-owned business (Black, Indigenous, Person of Color)



Locally owned business

OUR BUSINESSES

Service



Lovicta Auto



1728 Rice St, St Paul
651-489-9455
www.lovicta1.com



Maplewood Collision Center



2020 Rice St, St Paul
651-489-0015



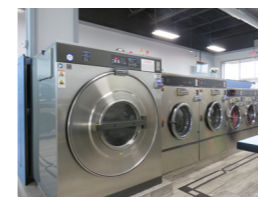
McCarron Lake Chiropractic



1820 Rice St, Maplewood
(651) 489-6550
www.mlchiro.com



Noble Laundromat



1681 Rice Street, Roseville
(612) 707-0716



BIPOC-owned business (Black, Indigenous, Person of Color)



Locally owned business

North End Laundry



1675 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 420-5641
www.northendlaundrymn.com



Quality Insurance Service



236 Larpenteur Ave W, Saint Paul
651.489-1347
www.QualityInsuranceService.com



Photo: Maplewood Collision Center

OUR BUSINESSES

Service



Rice + Arlington Batting Cages

1500 Rice St., St. Paul, MN 55117
651-558-2117

Victory Auto Service & Glass

2128 Rice St, Little Canada
651-403-5958
victoryautoservice.com



Rice Street Car Wash



1736 Rice Street, Saint Paul
(651) 300-9274
www.facebook.com/RiceStreetCarWash/

WA Group (formerly Western Insurance Agency)

1740 Rice St #200, St Paul
651-489-4119
walivebig.com



Spring Spa



1700 Rice St, St Paul, MN 55113
(651) 528-2188



The Woof Room



2025 Rice Street, Roseville
(651) 788-7514
www.woofroom.com



Photo: The Woof Room Dog Daycare & Hotel

Tom's Mobil



1935 Rice St, Roseville
651-489-7807
www.tomsmobilservice.com



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THANK OUR ANNUAL FUNDING PARTNERS



Get up to **\$10,000** for your business!

Apply for a grant to reduce waste and improve recycling at your business or apartment building!

BizRecycling helps stores, offices, schools, apartment buildings, and other businesses in Ramsey and Washington counties reduce waste and improve recycling and organics collection programs.

Learn more and get a grant at BizRecycling.com

Grants of up to **\$5k** for organics collection!

Grants of up to **\$10k** for businesses!

Grants of up to **\$20k** for apartment buildings!



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3 Cities. 1 Neighborhood.

OUR SHARED VISION:

The Rice & Larpenteur Area is a safe, engaging, and inviting neighborhood center that includes common spaces, a high-quality pedestrian environment, and robust reinvestment for the diverse people of the surrounding communities to live, conduct business, and play together.

What we do



PLACEMAKING

through public art, greening, signage, and events.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

through communication, meetings, and events.



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

by working with government, property owners, developers, and businesses.



COMMUNITY SAFETY & LIVABILITY

by working with police, collaborating for housing security, reducing litter and blight, and investing in road and pedestrian improvements.

Our community

Rice and Larpenteur is a neighborhood at the intersection of three cities, bisected by two county roads. We are...

- **Growing** (~18K residents)
- **Diverse** (>35% people of color)
- **Global** (~15% non-English speaking)
- **Young** (30% increase in children under 5)

**Based on census data from 2015 for tracts 416.02, 422.01, 304, 305.*

Who we are

Rice & Larpenteur is a diverse, young, and growing community. Join us!

Rice & Larpenteur एक विविध, युवा, र बढ़दो समुदाय हो। हामीसँग सामेल हुनुहोस्!

Rice & Larpenteur es una comunidad diversa y joven en crecimiento.

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