Mitchell Museum to host Native Arts Holiday Bazaar

Native American artists from around the Upper Midwest will offer authentic, handmade, traditional and contemporary art and craft items at the Mitchell Museum of the American Indian’s annual Native American Arts & Crafts Holiday Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Dec. 1, and noon to 4 p.m. Dec. 2 in the Mitchell Museum’s 3009 Central Street building, in Evanston, next door to the museum. Native exhibitors will offer work ranging from ink drawings, beadwork, and corn husk dolls to jewelry, pottery, children’s quilts, wood flutes, and more. Artists and artisans will also give demonstrations during the event. Cost is $5 for adults, which includes admission to the museum. Free for children ages 12 and younger.

St. Nicks Craft Fair

Holiday festival and craft fair from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Dec. 1; and 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Dec. 2 offering two buildings of crafts, homemade food, Christmas trees and greenery sales and a visit from Santa at St. Nicholas Church, 806 Ridge Evanston. Free admission and parking. Call (847) 864-1185.

Homegrown Artists Bazaar

Local artists offer gifts for the holidays from 3-8 p.m. Dec. 7 at the Evanston Ecology Center, 2024 McCormick Blvd., Evanston. Admission is free and free parking across the street. Call (847) 448-8045.