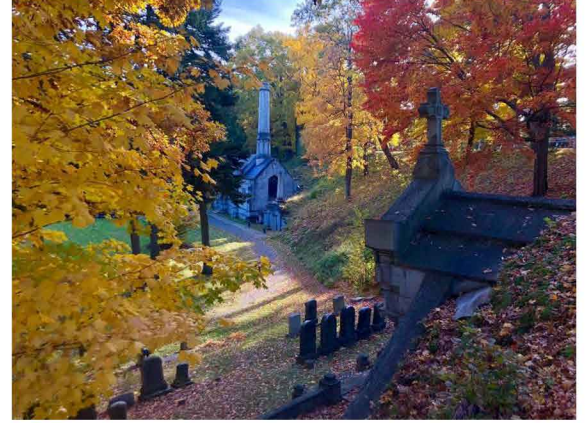


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## Mount Hope Cemetery

**Mount Hope Cemetery** in Rochester, was founded in 1838, and was the first municipal cemetery in the United States. One of the most remarkable Victorian cemeteries in America, it is situated on 196 acres of land, and is the final resting place for over 350,000 people. A diversified forest of trees form an arboretum shading thousands of marble, bronze and granite monuments. The cemetery is a veritable museum of funerary sculpture and mausoleums spanning more than a century and a half. The architectural styles of the cemeteries grave stones and grave markers, crypts, chapels, gate houses and mausoleums span three centuries. Distinct motifs of the High Victorian Gothic and Neoclassical architectural traditions persist throughout the cemetery and it's various structures. Tiffany glass windows may be found in several of the mausoleums.



The cemetery hosts the sculpture *Defenders of the Flag* a Civil War monument made in 1908 by American sculpture Sally James Farnham. In 2018 it was listed on the National Register of Historic Places. For years, it has been tradition during elections, for people (mostly women) to place an "I Voted" sticker on the gravestone of Women's rights activist Susan B. Anthony. Mount Hope is certified as hybrid burial grounds by the Green Burial Council. The cemetery offers a designated green burial section, the Garden of Renewal, which is set within the historic landscape of the cemetery and the choice for green burial anywhere in the cemetery. Green burial returns a person to the earth in a simpler fashion as remains may not be embalmed with toxic chemicals, caskets or burial shrouds must be made from biodegradable materials, and no vault or outer container is used in the burial.

**Laughing Gull Chocolates** - Lindsay Tarnoff and her co-owners, Karla Boyce and Allison Zukowski created Laughing Gull out of a desire to use chocolate as a vehicle for social change. The team has created a family friendly space to enjoy their decadent treats while their children can play. Laughing Gull uses direct and fair trade, organic chocolate and continues to evaluate it's sources regularly. They offer a variety of sweet treats including truffles, dipped fruit, bark, layered bars, vegan options and even a truffle club! Curb side pick up is available.

**Record Archive** - Score some vinyl or vintage clothing at Record Archive. Co-owner Alayna Alderman brings you the largest record store in the country, and the first to offer beer and wine! As a woman owner in an industry that is still male-dominated, Alayna exudes all things rock-n-roll. She is equal parts cool and in touch with the national and local music scenes, and has a keen ability to forecast future trends and movement within the industry. Open Monday-Saturday 10a-7p and Sunday 12-5p. Online orders and curb side pick up are also available.



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After you pay your respects to the Brave Susan B. Anthony & others be sure to check out these women-owned businesses near by!

**Peppermint and Salty** - Tanvi Asher is the Rochester based designer behind Peppermint & Salty. These two contemporary boutiques offer a full collection of women's clothing including dresses, skirts, tops, knits and outerwear. Inspired by vintage fashion, the designs are modern and feminine silhouettes created in contemporary prints. Peppermint supports the work of over 65 artists from all over the U.S., a majority of which are native to Rochester. They also offer unique, hard to find pieces of jewelry and accessories made in Rochester. Tanvi is widely recognized throughout Rochester as a leading voice for female entrepreneurs. Both shops are open Tuesday-Saturday 11a-5p.

**Living Roots Winery** - Co-owner Colleen Hardy says their vision at Living Roots Wine & Co. is to bring together the best of their home towns and their surrounding wine regions, which are in vastly different corners of the globe: Rochester, NY and Adelaide, South Australia. After working for several years in their prospective fields of wine making and marketing, they dreamt up this crazy little business that would allow them to hop between their native hemispheres, making both cool and warm climate wines and sharing them with friends and family in America and Australia. They are making wines based on longstanding traditions, but with a sense of adventure and discovery. Wines are hand crafted in small batches, and each vintage is an opportunity to explore new vineyards, varieties and styles. The tasting room is open for to-go sales only at this time. You can order ahead online or over the phone 585-383-1112, or you can browse the tasting room or walk up to the Laneway Window if you know what you would like. Open 7 days per week 12-7p.

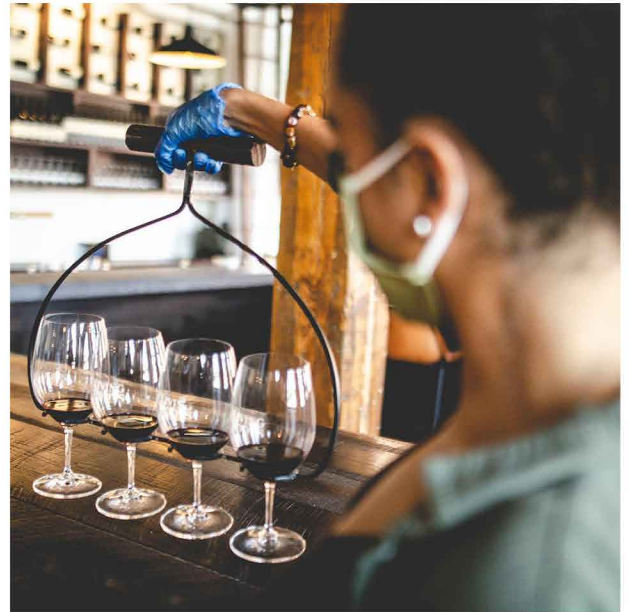


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**Bones Bakery** - Owner Dani has created a hound heaven offering cakes, mini cupcakes and pupcakes for all occasions. Each cake is hand crafted and elegantly decorated with unique inscriptions, treats and fresh ingredients. You can add a personal touch and select your dog's favorite flavor or co-create your own entire theme. Their treats are always wheat, corn, soy, preservative free, human grade and freshly made. They also offer bagged treats in vibrant flavors made with all whole ingredients for a high nutritional diet. Open Saturdays 10a-5p and Sundays 11a-3p.

