

Galleria

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All Eyes are On **Fifth Avenue Optical's New Galleria Location**

Edina, MN/December 1, 2009—Galleria is pleased to announce that the locally-owned eyewear boutique, Fifth Avenue Optical, has relocated to a larger location within the center.

“We’ve had so many compliments on our new store,” said Dr. Gale Stead, OD, optometrist and owner of Fifth Avenue. “It’s open, inviting and easy to browse – perfect for anyone looking for new frames.”

With the brighter, engaging space, customers will find a wider selection of Fifth Avenue Optical’s most popular lines including OGI, LaFont, Jono Hennessy and Carter and Bond – and back by popular demand, ProDesign. The boutique is introducing collections from Tom Davies and Iyoko Inyake.

To show off the many collections Fifth Avenue Optical carries, Dr. Stead created a large horseshoe-shaped display in the center of the store. The display also includes two patient consultation areas. Patients will also find a contact lens station as well as a waiting area where they can relax before seeing Dr. Stead in the store’s exams rooms.

“We’re very pleased with the new Fifth Avenue look and location,” said Jill Noack, Galleria vice president and general manager. “Dr. Stead has been with us for over 15 years, and it’s gratifying to see his success.”

Fifth Avenue Optical is open during Galleria hours. To make an appointment with Dr. Stead, please call (952) 922-1051.

Galleria Holiday Hours

Weekdays Dec. 1-Dec. 4: 10 am - 9 pm	Sunday, December 20: 9 am - 6 pm
Saturdays Dec. 5-Dec. 12: 10 am - 8 pm	Thursday, December 24: 9 am - 4 pm
Sundays Dec. 6-Dec. 13: 10 am - 6 pm	Friday, Dec. 25 (Christmas Day) CLOSED
Weekdays Dec. 7-Dec. 23: 9 am - 9 pm	Thursday, December 31: 10 am - 6 pm
Saturday, December 19: 9 am - 9 pm	Friday, Jan. 1 (New Years Day): 12 - 5 pm

About Galleria

Galleria offers an exceptional selection of casual dining, unique local shops and favorite specialty stores wrapped within a sophisticated, relaxed atmosphere. Locally owned and managed by Gabbert & Beck, Inc., Galleria is located at 69th and France Avenue in Edina, Minnesota; hours are Monday-Friday: 10 a.m. – 9 p.m., Saturday: 10 a.m. – 8 p.m. and Sunday: 11 a.m. – 5 p.m. Restaurants and some stores operate additional hours. For more information, visit www.galleriaedina.com.

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