In the Heart of the Hoosier Hills

November 9, 2011

Washington County
Chamber of Commerce

WE STAND AS THE VOICE OF BUSINESS, WE SUPPORT OUR MEMBERS' SUCCESS, AND WE CHAMPION COMMUNITY PROSPERITY.

The next meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be Saturday, Nov. 12, 2011 at 6:00 pm. The meeting will be during Annual Dinner at Southern Hills Church. Tickets are available for $20.00 and may be purchased at the Chamber Office or from Reta Haub at PNC Bank, in Salem.

Citizen of the Year Nominations 2011

The Washington County Board of Directors has received a number of nominations for Citizen of the Year.

Those nominated this year are (in no particular order): Claude Combs, Jane Richardson, Lowell Depoy, Dawson Souder and Brian Albertson & Billie Schreiber. Amanda and Ashley Wright were nominated for Emerging Youth Entrepreneur.

The winner will be announced at the Washington County Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner, planned for Saturday, Nov. 12, 6 pm at Southern Hills Church. The public is invited to attend. Tickets are $20.00 each. The evening will include a meal and fellowship, the opportunity to watch the Nearly Newlywed Game and possibly participate in Win It In a Minute, for a prize.

Tickets are still available at the Chamber of Commerce Office, 201 E Market St., Suite 104, Salem, In 47167.

Your Washington County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors: HANK JACOBY, RETA HAUB, MELISSA RICHARDSON, GUY POLLOCK, DAVID MORRIS, EVELYN MCPHERSON, BOB STRANGE, MIGNON MARSHALL, DAVID HOAR, MINDY GUNN, ADAM KELLY, STEVE DAVISSON, KYLE YOUNG, MANNY ALVAREZ
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Community Events:

Hospice 8th Annual Auction

The 9th Annual Hoosier Uplands Hospice Auction will take place on Saturday, **Nov.12th**. Doors will open at 4 pm. Bidding will begin at 5:00 pm. The event will take place at the Mitchell Church of Christ, located at 1004 W. Main St. in Mitchell. All proceeds go to benefit the Hospice Program. Additional info is available by email at lgrimes@hoosieruplands.org or by calling 812-849-4447.

Shopping in your PJ's

Area businesses are inviting you to shop at their stores wearing your PJ's and get a discount for doing it!. Salem Apothecary, Heaven Sent Gifts, LaGene's Jewelers and Lincks's Clothing and Shoes have gotten together to sponsor Christmas Pajama Party on Tuesday, **Nov. 15th**, 6-8 pm. Food, Prizes and Holiday Spirit will be available. Those shopping in their PJ's will receive 15% off their purchases.

3rd Annual Home & Holiday Show

Leader Publishing is hosting the 3rd Annual Home & Holiday Show on Saturday, **Nov. 19th**, 8 am – 4 pm at the American Legion Bingo Hall. Booth spaces are available. Call 883-3281 for additional information.

Business Announcements

Grateful Goat Vineyard & Winery Expands Hours

John and Lindsay Fouts, owners of Grateful Goat Vineyard and Winery have announced that the facility will now be open Wednesday thru Sunday from noon – 7:00 pm. The vineyard and winery are located at 1404 W Palmyra Rd, Palmyra (in Washington County). Additional information is available by calling 812-364-4649.

Tumbleweed offers Catering

Tumbleweed Tex Mex Grill and Margarita Bar is now offering catering. The restaurant has an extensive catering menu. Additional info is available by calling Michelle Watts, General Manager at 812-883-2519.

Help SOAR and save money on your taxes

Washington County SOAR!, a literacy program is offering NAP tax credits. These credits can help reduce your tax liability and help SOAR! Call Marji or Erica at 812-896-1515 for more information.

Chamber Information:

Chamber Annual Dinner

Tickets are now on sale for the Annual Chamber of Commerce Dinner. The event will take place on **Saturday, Nov. 12th**, beginning at 6:00 pm with a meal at Southern Hills Church. Following the meal, those attending may participate (or just watch the fun) in the game Win it in a Minute. Also the Nearly Newlywed Game will take place. Tickets are available at the Chamber Office located at 201 E Market St., in Salem. Reta Haub also has tickets available at PNC Bank, in Salem. The event is open to the Public. Chamber members are encouraged to attend. Check out the sponsors for the event on the front page of this website.

Christmas Parade

The Chamber of Commerce will once again this year host the Washington County Christmas Parade. The event will take place on Saturday, Nov. 26, beginning at 5:30 pm. Persons interested in participating in the parade should contact the Chamber Office for more information. This year the Chamber is encouraging families to put together their own float for the parade. An example might be to decorate a vehicle and/or wagon and let the community know your favorite ways to celebrate the holidays. Additional information is available by contacting the Chamber Office at 883-4303 or by email at info@washingtoncountychamber.org.

Christmas Lighting Project for the Courthouse

A weekend of work is planned for this Saturday and Sunday, beginning at 8:00 am at the Washington County Courthouse. Persons interested in helping should contact the Chamber Office at 883-4303 or info@washingtoncountychamber.org. There are jobs available that include wiring the lights, and cutting the strands to get the lights reading for hanging.

Hoosier Cheers for our Heroes

The Chamber of Commerce with the help of Sharon Purlee will collect cards for our U.S. servicemen and women who will be oversees during the holiday season. Cards must be at the Chamber Office no later than Thursday, Nov. 17th at 3:00pm in order to get them to Indianapolis on time. Contact the Chamber Office for more information.