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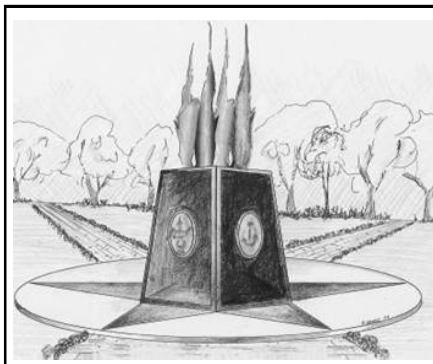


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Veteran's Memorial Ball

The Waynesville-St. Robert Chamber of Commerce announces their Veteran's Memorial Ball to be held on Friday, November 4th, at the Audie Murphy Club at Fort Leonard Wood. There will be a social and silent auction beginning at 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:00 p.m. Dress for the occasion is Formal Attire. The Guest Speaker for the evening is Congressman Ike Skelton. Tickets can be purchased at the Chamber office at 137 St. Robert Blvd. for \$30.00 per person with the dinner choice of Cordon Blue Chicken or London Broil Beef. This event is open to the public. All funds raised from this event will go to the building of the Veteran's Monument at the proposed Veteran's Cemetery at Fort Leonard Wood. There will be a DJ and displays from the Pulaski County Museum.

Please join the Chamber Friday, November 4th for an enjoyable evening and support the Chamber's effort to honor Veterans and raise the funds to build a Veteran's Monument at the proposed Veterans' Cemetery at Fort Leonard Wood.



8th Annual Basket Auction & Casino Night

The Chamber would like to take this opportunity to send a very special thank you to all of the businesses and individuals who donated baskets and items for our annual auction. Without your generous support and donations we could not have such a great event. To all the committee members, auction helpers and the Chamber board of directors, thank you for all your hard work and all your time for getting everything ready for this event.



To all the members that attended we appreciate your supporting this event. A Special Thank You to Ryan's Family Steakhouse for providing dinner!

Veteran's Day Parade

"In Your Honor"

The Waynesville - St. Robert Area Chamber of Commerce and the Cities of St. Robert & Waynesville Invite you to participate in the



2005 Veteran's Day Parade and Ceremony

**Friday, November 11th
11:00 am**

The Parade will form at the Twilite Zone Parking Lot in St. Robert, and finish at the St. Robert Community Center. Ceremony held right after parade inside the Community Center.

Parade will be cancelled in the event of inclement weather.

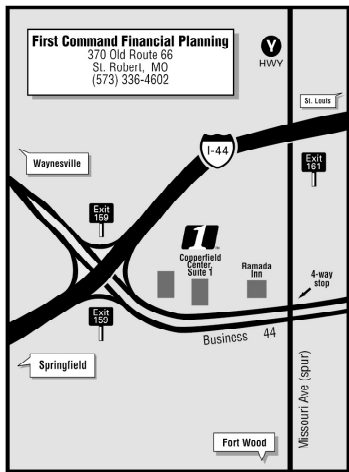
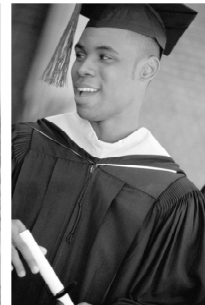
For questions or to make your parade reservations, call the Chamber office, 336-5121, via e-mail wschamber@earthlink.net or contact Parade Coordinators, Debbie Adkins at 451-2000 ext. 1106 or Carol Welch at 774-6171.

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Fort Leonard Wood Command Orientation
 Newcomer Materials are due at the Chamber office by
 November 9th.
*If you are not currently participating in this **Free** program
 you should be!*
We handed out 44 packets on October 19th!

If you have any information for our community
 calendar, please email
chamberdirector@earthlink.net
 or fax to **573-336-5472**.
 December Newsletter Information or Inserts are
 due to the Chamber Office by **November 11th**.

~ Chamber & Tourism Updates ~



Chamber Chatter...

The Chamber is asking all members to please update their listing so the Chamber can insure the Membership Directory is correct. In the October newsletter you will find a form to fill out and fax back. If you need another form please call.

The Chamber and Tourism Bureau are working together to make a master calendar for 2006. If you have an event scheduled for 2006 please e-mail chamberdirector@earthlink.net with all the details so it will be included in this calendar.

I graduated from Leadership MO last month. Thanks to the Board of Directors for letting me take time out of the office to attend this outstanding program. I was able to bring a lot back to our community. I would also like to thank Michelle for taking care of everything and running the office. I know it is hard when I am gone and I appreciate her hard work.

If you have questions or need further information please give me a call at 573-336-5121.

Cecilia Horne



Tourism Notes...

Fall is upon us and is a wonderful time to get outdoors and view the spectacular fall colors that the Lord has provided us. There are several driving tours in and around Pulaski County to see the great views.

There is also a link to the MO Department of Conservation fall color update that lists the colors and stages of change throughout the state. Stop by the Visitor Center for

maps and information. The Fall Visitor Center hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 – 5:00 and Saturday, 9:00 – 3:00.

Thanks to those of you supporting the 26th Engineer's Reunion earlier this month. They had a wonderful time and are already making plans to return in 2008. If you would like additional information on how to participate, contact the Tourism Bureau office at 573.336.6355, email@VisitPulaskiCounty.org or www.VisitPulaskiCounty.org.

Also, we just finished up the 2005 Special Olympics Fall Classic held on Fort Leonard Wood. We expect to host them for the next several years. The Tourism Bureau will be putting together a packet of incentives to present to Special Olympics for 2006. If your business or organization would like to participate, please contact the Tourism Bureau by the end of November. This group draws approximately 1,500 people for the three day event.

The Tourism Bureau has just kicked off the Pulaski County Sports campaign for organized sporting events. If your club has been considering hosting regional or district events, we can help. Contact us for additional assistance.

See you at the Visitor Center!!!

Andy

Executive Director

Pulaski County Tourism Bureau

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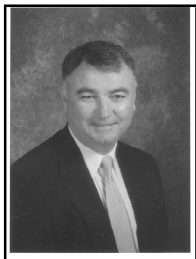
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~ President's Message ~



October finds us in a time of change, our temperature tells us it's here, and the fall colors are appearing. The Chamber events are finally slowing down a little, but our business and membership activities are still at a fast pace. I appreciate very much your support and participation in our many events and activities and many thanks to all the workers and staff who have made them successful. My wish to you is to enjoy this time of year and let's all count our many blessings.

On a sad note David Lowe lost his mother and our thoughts and prayers go out to his family.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 <i>Fundraising Noon</i>	2	3 <i>Government and Military Affairs Noon Economic Development 2:30 p.m.</i>	4 <i>Veteran's Memorial Ball</i>	5
6	7	8 <i>Veteran's Monument Committee Meeting Noon Sellers- Sexton</i>	9 <i>Chamber Luncheon</i>	10	11  <i>Veteran's Day Parade 11 a.m St. Robert</i>	12
13	14 <i>Membership & Welcoming Noon</i>	15	16 <i>Command Orientation</i>	17 <i>Board Meeting Noon</i>	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 <i>Chamber Office Closed</i>  <i>Thanksgiving</i>	25 <i>Chamber Office Closed</i>	26
27	28	29	30			

Monthly Events

Every Sunday ~

American Legion Breakfast 6:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Disabled American Veterans Bingo 1:00 p.m.

Last Monday ~

Planters Garden Club 6:00 p.m.

Every Tuesday ~

Rotary Club Meeting 11:45 a.m.

First & Third Tuesday ~

St. Robert City Council Meeting 6:00 p.m.

First Tuesday ~

Old Stagecoach Stop Meeting 5:30 p.m.
Lions Club Meeting 6:30 p.m.
Cave State Cruisers Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Third Tuesday ~

Lions Club Meeting 6:30 pm
Pulaski County Investment Club 7:00 p.m.
First State Bank

Second Tuesday ~

Masonic Lodge Meeting 7:00 p.m.
FLW RCGA Meeting 1:30 p.m.

Fourth Tuesday ~

Friends of the Library 12:00p.m.

Every Wednesday ~

Story Time at the Library 10:30 a.m.

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YMCA Meeting 12:00 p.m.

Every Thursday ~

Kiwanis Club Meeting 6:45 p.m.

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Genealogy/Historical Society meeting 12:00 p.m.

Second Thursday ~

Waynesville Park Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.

Third Thursday ~

Waynesville City Council Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Fourth Thursday ~

Traveler's Square Dance 7-9:30 p.m. (573) 759-6874

Third Friday ~

Pulaski County Shrine Club Meeting

Second Saturday ~

AGLOW Meeting 9:30 a.m.

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Cave State Cruisers "Cruise In" 1-5 p.m.

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Traveler's Square Dance Lessons 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.



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Pulaski County Humane Society to Meet – November 8th at 7 pm at Microtel Inn in St. Robert. Members and interested persons are invited to attend the annual meeting of the Pulaski County Humane Society (PCHS). Refreshments will be served beginning at 6:30 pm and those present will have an opportunity to win an attendance prize. Agenda items or donations for attendance prizes may be submitted to PCHS president, Jim Warren, 573-765-2560.

Chamber Luncheon – November 9th at 11:45 am at Aussie Jack's. Our sponsor is First Command Financial Planning. Cost is \$10. Call or e-mail the Chamber office to R.s.v.p. by 9 am on November 8th.

****Please note** The Chamber of Commerce is excited to have such a large number of its members attend monthly luncheons. Unfortunately, due to the large number of last minute Chamber luncheon attendees a new policy has been put into place by the Chamber Board of Directors. This policy started in April; anyone who responds after the R.s.v.p. cut-off time (9:00 a.m. the Tuesday before the luncheon) or shows up without an R.s.v.p. will be**

charged an additional \$10. The decision was made to charge this amount to compensate our Chamber member restaurants for the last minute adjusts they must make to their menus.

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Miss Merry Christmas Pageant – November 19th at the Waynesville Middle School Parker Fine Arts Building. Waynesville/St. Robert Lions Club is accepting applications for this year's pageant. Seven Divisions: Tiny Miss Ages 3-4, Little Miss Ages 5-8, Pre-Teen Ages 9-12, Young Miss Ages 13-14, Junior Miss Ages 13-16, Miss Ages 17-24 High School Senior or Graduate and Mrs. No Age Limit. For further information or application call 573-774-2989 or email lepaul63@hotmail.com. Application deadline is November 1st.

Chamber Office Closed - The Chamber Office will be closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday on Thursday, November 24th through Friday, November 25th. The Chamber Office will re-open on Monday, November 28th at 8:00 a.m. The Chamber Staff and Board of Directors would like to wish everyone a Safe and Happy Thanksgiving.

**If you have any information for our community calendar please email chamberdirector@earthlink.net or fax to 573-336-5472.

~ Ribbon Cuttings ~

October 5th
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October 14th
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Chairman~Dave Kessler

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October 18th
Pulaski County Sheltered Workshop

Manager~ Linda Gifford

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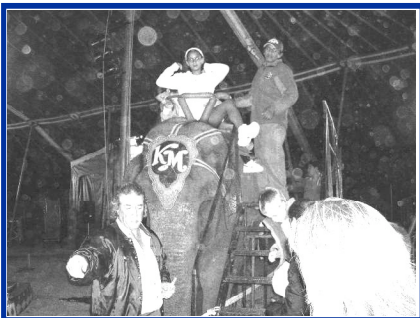
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