The Business Voice



February 2019

2019 Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry's Annual Awards Banquet Winners



2018 Business of the Year Award Bauer's Shoe Store, Harlan



2018 New Business of the Year Award Hansen House Assisted Living & Memory Care, Harlan



2018 Non-Profit of the Year Award lowa Community Kitchen, Harlan



2018 Citizen/Volunteer of the Year Award Bob & Glennda Mortenson, Elk Horn



2018 Special Award Chamber Champion Megan Andersen

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony



Tuesday, February 12, 2019

Elk Horn Public Library 2027 Washington Street Elk Horn, IA



2019 Legislative Coffee Series Starting at 10 am

March 16, Town & Country Credit Union, 1414 Chatburn Avenue, Harlan

April 20, Shelby County Farm Bureau, 908 6th Street, Harlan

2018-2019 Chamber Board Members

President

Steve Kenkel
Shelby County Board of
Supervisors

Vice President

Josh Grimes Hy-Vee Stores

Treasurer

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Town & Country Credit
Union

Board Member

<u>Tami Kloewer</u> Secret Serenity Salon & Day Spa

Board Member

Steve Ineson Four Seasons Travel

Board Member

<u>Doug Schmitz</u> Smitty Bee Honey

Board Member

Ellen Walsh-Rosmann FarmTable Delivery & Milk & Honey

Board Member

Mike Wohlhutter, Jr. Molded Products

Chamber Staff

Todd Valline

Executive Director

Ed Hendley

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Carol McHugh

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Debbie Stendrup

Membership/Events Coordinator



FY19 Opportunity Rates

Website * Newsletter * Social Media

Exploreshelbycounty.com

Website

Front Page Banner:

\$200 per year

Member Directory Page Banner: \$200 per year

Gift Certificates Page Banner:

\$100 per year

Traffic Catcher Page Sponsor:

\$300 per year

Community Pages Sponsor:

\$100 per year/community

Events Calendar Page Sponsor:

\$300 per year

All Other Pages:

\$50 per year

Limit of 4 Advertisers per page

Monthly Newsletter Advertising

\$25.00 for a half-page advertisement (2 per newsletter)

\$50.00 for a full page advertisement

\$45.00 for a half-page advertisement for non-Chamber members

\$75.00 for a full page advertisement for non-Chamber members

"Did You Know" Weekly Email

Annual Sponsorship: \$500

Chamber Facebook Page

Annual Sponsorship: \$750

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Welcome New SCCCI Members

Hansen House Assisted Living & Memory Care, Harlan Joined December 11, 2018

Legendary Dental, Harlan - Joined February 4, 2019

LightBox Systems, Harlan - Joined February 22, 2019

SCCCI Membership Renewals

The Chamber wishes to thank the following members who renewed their membership in December and January:

Grandpa's Pumpkin Farm & Fireworks * Potter House Bed & Breakfast

Mrs. C's Home Décor * Ragtime Productions

Kirk Petersen Certified Appraisals

All Chamber Membership
Renewals are sent electronically
through our website, 30 - 60 days
prior to their due date.
You can also renew your

You can also renew your membership online via our website.

Do You Have A New Member
To Refer Or Know Anyone Who
Has Moved Into The County?

<u>Email Carol</u>

Upcoming Events

Iowa Community Kitchen, every Tuesday evening, 4:30 - 6:30 pm First Baptist Church, Harlan

Genealogy Series - It's All RelativeSaturday, March 9, 9 - 12 pm
Shelby County Historical Museum, Harlan.

After Dark with Milk & Honey (late night dining), Saturday, March 9, 5 - 10 pm. Milk & Honey, Harlan.

Events Committee Meeting, Monday, March 11, 12 - 1 pm, Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry Conference Room.

FarmTable Procurement & Delivery Truck Load Sale, Harlan. Friday, March 15, 3 - 7 pm and Saturday, March 16, 9 - 12 pm.

Legislative Coffee, Saturday, March 16, 10 am. Hosted & Sponsored by Town & Country Credit Union, Harlan.

St. Paddy's Day Irish PartySaturday, March 16, 6 - 9 pm, Pleasant Thymes Tea Room, Elk Horn.

Blood Drives - Walk-ins Welcome Tuesday, March 19, 11:30 - 5:30 pm Veterans Memorial Building, Harlan.

Wednesday, March 27, 12 - 6 pm St. Boniface Parish Center, Westphalia.

Brown Bag Lunch Program, Thursday, March 21, 12 - 1 pm, Museum of Danish America, Elk Horn.

Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry Membership-101 Educational Program, Tuesday, April 2, 10 - 11 am SCCCI Conference Room.

Have a special event coming up? Let us know about it. Contact the Chamber office at 712-755-2114 or <u>email</u> Carol with your event information.

Contact Us: Give us a call at 712-755-2114 or <u>email</u> us for more information about becoming a Chamber member.

Club Level Members

Platinum Plus Club Members

City of Harlan Harlan Municipal Utilities Shelby County

Harlan Industrial Foundation Myrtue Medical Center Shelby County State Bank

Platinum Club Members

Conductix-Wampfler Monogram Prepared Meats, LLC

Gold Club Members

Essentia Protein Solutions

FMCTC

Farmers Trust & Savings Bank Midstates Bank

Silver Club Members

Elm Crest Senior Living Community Panama Transfer Variety Distributors, Inc. Markham Family Dental Associates, Inc.

Bronze Club Members

The Agency, Inc. All Purpose Contractors, LLC CDS Global Counsel Office & Document Cyclone Lanes Fareway Stores, Inc. Harlan Golf & Country Club The Harlan Tribune Hy-Vee Keast Motors Terry Knapp Real Estate KNOD Radio Station EJ Leinen - State Farm Molded Products Nishnabotna Valley REC Pitts Family & Sports Chiropractic Center, PC Smitty Bee Honey, Inc. Subway Town & Country Credit Union

Do You Have A 2019 Event?

The Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry is gathering event information for our 2019 calendar. We post Shelby County and surrounding area events on our <u>website calendar</u> for free. This information is also used in our weekly "Did You Know" emails and on our Facebook page. We can help to be sure locals and tourist can find you. Contact the Chamber office at 712-755-2114 or <u>email us</u>.

Chamber Gift Certificates

The Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry offers gift certificates that are accepted at many of our area's retailers, restaurants, and professional services. The program is designed to promote and have consumers patronize Shelby County businesses. They make perfect gifts for employees, teachers, coaches, friends, and family. Gift certificates can be purchased in any denomination. There is no minimum purchase required. All major credit cards, checks, and cash accepted.

Certificates are easy to purchase. On our website, call the office 712-755-2114, email or stop by and see us.

Article Submissions

We are looking for content from Chamber members about your business that would be interesting to others, providing us with valuable and useful information. Tell us something new or some interesting bit of information about your industry and how to use your products and services.

Articles should be informative, non-promotional, and should not be a commercial intended to steer readers to use your product or service before competitors.

You have a full page, so we are looking for articles of 300 to 500 words. Photos of your business are encouraged. Please submit your article, (we prefer a Word Document) and photos to <u>Carol</u>. Our editorial committee (Todd and Carol) will review all submissions. We reserve the right to edit articles and to schedule them according to the needs of the publication.

Deadline: The second Friday of the month. Please make sure to include your company's contact information.

SCCCI Mission Statement: To create a climate of opportunity for business growth, economic development, and a high standard of living throughout Shelby County.

Coming Up In April:

Membership-101 Educational Program Tuesday, April 2, 10 - 11 am Shelby County Chamber Conference Room

Membership-101 is available to all our Chamber members. We strive to ensure that the program is engaging and interactive and encourage you to attend.

Topics of discussion include: Did You Know, Monthly Newsletter, Membership Directory, Member's Area Features, Advertising Opportunities, Traffic Catcher Site (TCS) Page, Committees, Ambassador Visits - Ribbon Cuttings - Business After Hours, and Q & A.

Seating is limited to 15 people. Call the Chamber office at 712-755-2114 or by email to reserve your seat. There is no cost for this program.

Fun China Luncheon Wednesday, April 24, 2019 Harlan Golf & Country Club Ballroom Everyone Is Invited.

Hosted by the Harlan Golf & Country Club and the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry. Two seatings: 11:15 am and 12:30 pm, \$15 per person.

To reserve tickets, please call the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry at 712-755-2114 by email.







Event Info

For additional information on community events, please visit our <u>events calendar</u>.

March 2019									
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat			
					1 Team Mates Mentoring Celebration Harlan Elementary Gym Retirement Open House for Dr. Stephen Allen Therkildsen Center Harlan	2 The Church Basement Ladies – Rise Up O Men The Arts Center, IWCC Council Bluffs			
3 Defiance Fire & Rescue Annual Chicken Supper, St. Peter's Hall	4 Grief Share/Support Group, First Baptist Church, Harlan	5 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	6	7	8	9 Genealogy Series – It's All Relative, Shelby Co Historical Museum, Harlan After Dark at Milk & Honey (late night dining) Harlan			
10	11 Events Committee Meeting, Chamber Conference Room Grief Share/Support Group, First Baptist Church, Harlan Star Gazing Praire Rose State Park Harlan	12 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan Grant Writing-101 Shelby Co. Extension & Outreach, Harlan	13 Interpreting the New Farm Bill. Hosted by ISU Extension & Outreach, Elk Horn Town Hall	14	15 Truck Load Sale FarmTable Delivery Harlan	16 Truck Load Sale FarmTable Delivery Harlan Legislative Coffee Town & Country CU Harlan Pine Cone Bird Feeders Prairie Rose State Park Harlan St. Paddy's Day Irish Party, Pleasant Thymes Tea Room, Elk Horn			
17 St. Patrick's Day St. Patrick's Day Brunch Milk & Honey, Harlan	18 Grief Share/Support Group, First Baptist Church, Harlan	19 Blood Drive Vet's Building, Harlan SCCCI BOD Meeting Chamber Conference Room lowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	20	21 Brown Bag Lunch Museum of Danish America, Elk Horn	22	23			
24 Meet Your Maker – Honey Dinner (new dining series), Milk & Honey, Harlan	25 Grief Share/Support Group, First Baptist Church, Harlan	26 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	27 Blood Drive St. Boniface Parish Center, Westphalia	28	29	30			
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April 2019										
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat				
	1	2 Membership 101 Chamber Conference Room Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	3	4	5 Used Book Sale Harlan Community Library. Through April 13	6 Angels & Troublemakers, Museur of Danish America Elk Horn				
7	8	9 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan Customer Service & Community Tourism Strategies, Shelby Co Extension & Outreach Harlan	10	11 Brown Bag Lunch Museum of Danish America, Elk Horn		13 Blood Drive Shelby Community Center, Shelby Signs of Spring Hike Prairie Rose State Park Harlan National Scrabble Day Game Night Pleasant Thymes Tea Room, Elk Horn				
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21 Easter	22	23 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	24 Blood Drive Conductix, Harlan Fun China Luncheon, Harlan Golf & Country Club	25 Hike Night, Prairie Rose State Park, Harlan		27 Community Kids Fest, Veterans Auditorium. Hosted by MMC				
28	29	30 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan								