

# Chamber

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#### What's **Your Story?**

How has your Chamber membership helped you? We'd love to hear and share your story!



The Carl Junction Spring City Wide Sale will be held Saturday, April 27. Online registration of sales has already begun at www. CarlJunctionCC.com.

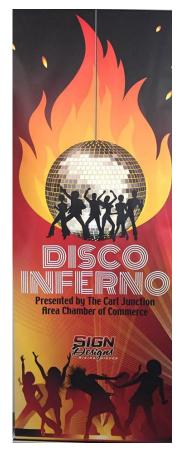
## 19th Annual **Awards Banquet Slated**

The 19th annual Carl Junction Community & Education Awards Banquet presented by Aire Internet will be held Thursday, April 4 at the Butcher's Block Event Center. This year's banquet theme is "Disco Inferno".

The annual banquet honors the individuals, teachers, organizations and businesses that make Carl Junction such a great place to live, play and do business. All award nominees are chosen by the general public.

This year's banquet is predicted to be the best one ever with DJ Steve Stone, KOAM/FOX photo booth, 50/50 pot, and an impressive selection of silent auction items offered with cash, personal/company check, debit/ credit cards accepted. A social mixer will be held one hour prior to dinner and a cash bar will be available.

Social hour is from 5:30-6:30 pm. Dinner begins at 6:30 pm followed by the awards ceremony. Tickets are \$25/person and must be purchased in advance through the Chamber.



#### **ELECTRONIC Clean-up & PAPER SHREDDING Event**

WHEN: MAY 4th, 2019 9 AM to 11 AM WHERE: 301 N. Main Carl Junction, MO





• washers & dryers

## ON SITE!

PAPER SHREDDING







## Recycle **Four States**

We want your old appliances, water heaters, TVs, computers, gaming systems and any appliance that plugs in as well as any documents which will be shredded on site May 4 at 301 N. Main, CJ, from 9-11 am. Volunteers will be there to help you unload. You can even take a furry friend home with you from the Joplin Humane Society. Sponsored by Brad McIntyre - Edward Jones.

# **LETTER** from the Director

Spring is such a busy time of the year for everyone. Baseball games begin and outdoor activities are high on the priority list. Here at the Chamber we are very excited for our Spring events to kick off. First we have the 19th Annual Community Banquet. What a great way to put the spot light on such deserving individuals, teachers, organizations and businesses. The Banquet will be a fun night for everyone! Following the Banquet we have the 3rd Annual Golf Tournament on May 3 and the E-Waste and Paper Shredding Event on May 4. Spring Cleaning has been made a little bit easier for the CJ Community. Just drop it off and we will take care of the rest. There will also be a few special furry guests attending this year's shredding event looking for new homes as the Joplin Humane Society will be on site. The fun doesn't end there as the Chamber has many more thrilling activities coming your way.



Ashley Butcher
Executive Director
Carl Junction Area Chamber of Commerce

### -ASHLEY

#### **Chamber Committees**

We've got some great opportunities for you to help the Chamber! Volunteer on one of our committees and share your ideas. We're looking for members to serve on

the Golf Tournament, Summer Main Street Events, Bluegrass Festival, Shred-a-Palooza, Expo, Ambassadors, Lunch & Learns, Business After Hours, Business Development Groups (BDG) committees. Call or email Martha at 417-649-8846 or Martha@carljunctioncc.com.



#### **Your Board of Directors**

Garrett Terry (President)
Mikell Warren (Vice President)
Heather Swarens (Secretary)

Mike Brower (Treasurer)
Isa Greenwood
Kimberly Grizzle

Brad McIntyre Mike Wiggins Karma Wright

#### **CONTACT US**

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"Like" us on Facebook!

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#### **Internships**

Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram!

Please contact Ashley Butcher for internship opportunities with the Carl Junction Area Chamber of Commerce.



# The UPS Store



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#### **TESTIMONIAL**



"Carl Junction Business
Expo more than met
all of our expectations.
The environment was
enthusiastic and patrons
were well engaged. Our
return on investment was
more than 3 times our
projections. Thank you Carl
Junction Chamber and we
are already looking forward
to next year!"

#### **Chad Isaacs**

Pharmacist/Owner Stones Corner Pharmacy

#### Isa Greenwood

Marketing Director Stones Corner Pharmacy

# Your AD Here. Contact the Chamber for advertising opportunities.

#### Hershey's Ice Cream

Founded in 1984 by Jacob Hershey and his four brothers, Hershey's has strived to guarantee quality products, establish competitive prices and provide excellent service and true value to the customer. "That's why it's premium. That's why it's real and that's why you get real ingredients, real ice cream and real smiles with every ice cream product we make," says owner Joel Beck. Located at 1715 S. Madison St. in Webb City and open Sun-Th from 11:30 am-9 pm and Fri-Sat from 11:30 am-9:30 pm, www.hersheysicecream.com, 417-540-2323. Stop by today to taste 36 of their 100 flavors!



#### **Vertical Church**

Vertical Church is launching a new church to glorify God by fulfilling the Great Commission in the spirit of the Great Commandment and they'd love to have you join their team. Come hear their mission and vision and see if this endeavor is something in which God is calling you to take part. They will launch their Vision Lunch on Sunday, April 7 with a meal served at the CJ Community Center, 303 N. Main, at 12:30 pm followed by a presentation at 1 pm. Childcare is provided. Join Aaron Dogotch to help plant this new church by RSVP to info@verticalchurch.org or call 417-414-0784 today.



#### **Shoal Creek Foot & Ankle**

You do not need to suffer from foot and ankle pain anymore! Dr. Shelly Sedberry at Shoal Creek Foot & Ankle Center provides comprehensive foot and ankle care for your entire family. She has specialized training and the expertise needed to accurately diagnose and effectively treat any condition. Equipped with innovative technology and diagnostic tools, you can trust you'll receive the finest care in the four state area. From ankle sprains and Achilles tendonitis to heel spurs, bunions, and diabetic foot pain, she and her staff are there to help you take your first step towards recovery. Accepting new patients with same day or next day appointments. Call 417-622-0648 or go online at www.shoalcreekfac.com to schedule your appointment. Located at 1801 W. 32nd St, Building C, Suite 102, Joplin and open M-F 8 am-5 pm. Be sure to ask them about their dogs;)



#### **Bicycle Specialists**

If you are looking for accessories, bike parts, clothing, helmets, tricycles, bmx bikes, mountain bikes, racing cycles, tandem bicycles, road bikes, adult trikes, stakeboards, Bicycle Specialists generally has what you're looking for in stock. They carry a full line of bicycles for any type of riding and can fit a bicycle to every type of cyclist and their customers come from all over the 4-state area. Check out their extensive product lines at their new trailside location: 1206 W MacArthur Dr, Webb City. Hours are M-F 10 am-6 pm and Sat 10 am-4 pm or call 417-673-2453. You can even check your bike's trade in value on their website at www.bicyclespecialists.com!



#### When our phone rings, these are the businesses the Chamber suggests:



1st Choice Heating, Air & Refrigeration 1938 Brick House Fitness Gym 417 Janitorial Services



Abbey Title ABE Painting Abernathy Roofing & Construction, LLC Abundant Shine Advance Family Eyecare Aire Internet Allgeier Martin and Associates Inc Alpha Air Center Alzheimer's Association American Business Systems American Capital Roofing AMI Radio Group Anderson Glass Andy Queen, Farmer's Insurance Anne Hodges - Humana Insurance Arvest Bank ASAP Appliance Repair Asbell Companies Asbell, Dixie - Member At Large Asbell, Tom - Member At Large Atlas Risk Management Atteberry, Cindy - Member At Large

#### B

Bailey's Eats & Sweets
Beimdiek Insurance Agency Inc
Bicycle Specialists
Bill's Electric
Binky Guy
Bittner Properties, LLC
Breast Cancer Foundation of the Ozarks
Briarbrook CID
Bromley, Bob
Bulldog Youth Athletic Association
Butcher, Ashley
Butcher's Block Event Center

#### C

C.E.D. (Consolidated Electrical Distributors) CDL Electric Carl Junction Auction Service Carl Junction Cultivators Garden Club Carl Junction Family Medicine Carl Junction Future Business Leaders of America

Carl Junction Lions Club

Carl Junction Helping Hands Ministry

Carl Junction R-1 School District

Carl Junction Senior Center Carthage Chiropractic Care Casey's General Stores Casavecchia, Angie - Public Administrator Cassie Herlocker - Photo/Design Central Pet Care - Carthage Chase Coffee Company Choice Marketing Churchwell Hedman Tax Group Circle T Collectibles City of Carl Junction CJ Pharmacy Clark, Sharon Clark's Cuisine Climate Tech Inc. CNF Farms Coats Lock & Key Commerce Bank Community Bank and Trust Community National Bank & Trust Community Support Services Connell Insurance Corner Greer Architects Countryside in the City Florists Crazy Llama Coffee Croley Insurance & Financial Crossland Construction Crosslines Ministries Crowder College Culligan of Joplin Culver Creek Trading Co. **Cutting Loose Graphics** 

#### D

Davis CPA Group
Davis, Charlie - Jasper County Clerk
Elect
Debra Dankelson - Melaleuca Indep.
Marketing Exec.
Deck The Walls
DJ Steve Scott
Don Gould Insurance Agency
Downstream Casino
Dreyer Law Firm
DriftAway Day Spa
Drywood Financial



Edward Jones - Brad McIntyre Edward Jones - Jennafer Johnson El Guapo's Cigar Lounge Elizabeth Turner Law Office Embassy Embroidery Ernie Williamson Music EVER Skincare Exclusive Travel by Michelle



Federal Protection
Finley, Cheryle
Flanigan, Tom - County Commissioner
Fletcher Toyota
Footprints & Friends Preschool
Forged Waterjet Fabrications
Four State Office Products
Four States Payroll
Foxberry Terrace Assisted Living
Fred & Red's
Front Page
fstop Communications

#### G

G. L. Hunt Exteriors, LLC Garrett, Richard - Member At Large Genuine Realty Gold & Silver of Joplin, LLC Granny's Touch, LLC Granny Shaffer's Restaurant Grizzly Bear Golf Cars Gunlock Heating and Air

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Habitat for Humanity
Hance, Kathleen - Honorary Member
Harp's Food Store
Harry S Truman Coordinating Council
Hedman Chiropractic, LLC
Heirloom Drafting & Design, LLC
Henkle's Ace Hardware
Hensley, Judge Joe
Hershey Ice Cream
Hickam Insurance & Financial Services
Higher Vision Coaching, Training,
Consulting

Hobson, Ethan - Member At Large Home Builders Association of SWMO Home Instead Senior Care Home Pro HOPE 4 You Horine, Sarah - Member At Large Hospice Compassus



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Just Call Jo Team - Keller Williams Realty

Karen Rutledge Insurance Agency, Inc. Kelly Probert Insurance Agency Knutzen, Lisa KOAM/FOX 14 Kraft Insurance Services KSNF/KODE



Law Firm of Christopher Dumm Lafayette House Leggett & Platt Liberty Utilities Linda Teeter Insurance Agency

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- . One-on-One EXECUTIVE COACHING for You
- . Essential TRAINING SEMINARS for Your Team



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Initial Complimentary Coaching Session for Chamber Members



#### When our phone rings, these are the businesses the Chamber suggests:



MC Swim Coaching Madison Pet Clinic Make Your Mark Boutique Mays, Vicki - Member At Large McIntosh, Steve - Jasper County Collector Elect McPherson (Judd) Law Office Meat'n Place Mediacom Business Mercy Hospital Mertens, Richard & Betty - Members At Large Mi Torito Michael L. Roberts, Lawyer Mid-America Media Mid-Missouri Bank Midwest Doors & Interiors Midwest Pest Control Missouri Eagle Distributing Missouri Southern State University Missouri Southern State University SBTDC Modeling Craze Modine Manufacturing

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NeoTech Solutions
New-Aire Fireplace Systems
Niess, Martha
Noble Earth Recovery
Norbury Electric
Norwex Independent Sales - Daralice
Allison



Oak Creek Realty Orient Express Oxford Healthcare - Joplin Ozark Athletic Supply Ozark Center Ozark Gateway Association of Realtors Ozark Nursery



Parker Mortuary & Crematory Peace Frogs Pet Styles Pete's Convenience Store Pickering, Charlotte - Jasper County Recorder Pinnacle Bank Pizza Hut Plexus - Becky Pace PowerWashing Plus Precision Land Services, LLC Precision Signs & Graphics Preferred Employment Services Premier Home Mortgage Prime Time Lawn Care ProPrint



R&D Lawncare and Landscaping Randy's Drive In Redwood Development, Inc. Reece Nicholes Sunflower Realty Group Reeves Tire Renewed Mental Health Retail Software Solutions Group, LLC Richard, Senator Ron Rick and Janet Keller Rob O'Brian Consulting, LLC Rohmiller, Dr. Randall, DDS Rohr, Denise - Jasper County Treasurer Ronald McDonald House Route 66 Movie Theater



S&S Computers S&S Security Systems Sam's Club Samford Investment Properties Senior Insurance Providers SERC Physical Therapy Shoal Creek Foot & Ankle Center ShowMe The Ozarks Magazine Sign Designs Simpson Funeral Home Small Town Barbershop Smith, Cody - State Representative Sonic Drive-In Southwest Missouri Bank Spinning Wheels SK8 Center Spiva Center For The Arts St. Paul's United Methodist Church -CJ Campus Stephen Thomas Ins. Agency Stice, Leona - Honorary Member Stifel, Nicolaus & Co., Inc. Stokes Educational Services Stones Corner Pharmacy

Surplus USA Sweet Emotion Chocolate Boutique



Tabitha Smith Accounting & Tax Services Tera Miller Photography Thornhill-Dillon Mortuary Toastmasters International Travel Inspirations



United Way SWMO/SEK UPS Store #2834 - Joplin UPS Store #4970 - Webb City Urban Art Gallery US Bank



Vassal High End Vertical Church Vintage Vogue Volk's Avanti Insurance



Walmart Neighborhood Market Webb City Health & Rehab Weiser Tent Service Wells Fargo - Rick Keller Financial Consultant White, Bill - State Senator Wild About Water! Wildwood Ranch, LLC WIN Publishing WKW Enterprises, LLC, Wendy Belden Workforce Innovation Board

Z

Z 1-2 Call Zaccardelli, Richard - Member At Large

# Welcome Our Newest Business Members

Bicycle Specialists Hershey's Ice Cream Joplin Humane Society Shoal Creek Foot & Ankle Center Vassal High End







WORKSHOP Laura Maly, VP of Marketing Strategy, and Jill Tanner, Social Media Specialist, of Stealth Creative presented "How to Tackle Social Media Like a Pro" sharing their insights and best practices to a packed house of chamber members. They walked through the best channels for various businesses, the pros and cons of each, and how to use key platforms such as Instagram, Facebook, and others. Check out their recent blog post: "What You Need to Know About Internet Culture" at blog.stealthcreative.com. If you'd like a copy of their presentation just email: Martha@carljunctioncc.com.



WINE SHARE 1938 Brick House Women's Fitness Studio owner Darin Kleinsorge hosted an open house and wine share at his newly remodeled center. Check out their new cardio, free weights, cable machine, circuit, spin fitness classes on demand, meditation room and tanning bed. They're open 5 am to midnight, 7 days a week at 605B Fir Road, Carl Junction.

# 8TH ANNUAL Carl Junction Business Expo Disco Expo

























# Disco Expo (continued)





























Best Booth Winner





Karen Rutledge Ins Agcy Inc Karen Rutledge, Agent 616 E 32nd Street Joplin, MO 64804 Bus: 417-624-2661

State Farm, Bloomington, IL 1211999



#### 3rd Annual Golf Tournament



The Chamber's Tournament will again be held at Briarbrook Golf Course in Carl Junction on May 3, 2019. It will be a 4-person scramble, starting at 1 pm with lunch served prior to the event. Proceeds benefit the Chamber's building and scholarship funds. Cost per team is \$325. Key sponsorships (\$750, includes team cost), Gold sponsorships (\$250, includes a booth set-up on the course), and Silver or Hole sponsorships (\$100, includes signage on the course) are available. Prize donations are welcome. Contact Lisa@CarlJunctionCC. com to get registered.

#### El Guapo's After-Hour

How's your ax throwing, corn holing and darts? Join us for happy hour and take a tour of El Guapo's expanded Cigar Lounge on Tuesday, April 23rd from 5:30-8 pm at 532 S. Joplin Ave, Joplin. So if you have an axe to grind, we'll see you there.



#### **Crash Course on CPR**

Did you know in one year alone, 475,000 Americans die from a cardiac arrest and more than 350,000 cardiac arrests occur outside of the hospital? Immediate CPR can double or triple the chances of survival after cardiac arrest. Come to the "Lunch and Learn" with Certified

Instructor Chase Kraft on April 17, 11:45-1 pm at CJ Police Department Court Room, 302 N. Main, CJ, as he teaches a crash course on compression-only CPR. Cost is \$5 for lunch. Reservation required, RSVP: Martha@carljunctioncc.com.



#### **Ribbon Cutting**



April 3, MC Swim, 5:30 pm at MSSU Pool, 1st floor of Young Gymnasium, Door 13, 3950 E. Newman Road, Joplin

#### Membership Referral Program

We want to share a great idea we have, as a way of saying THANK YOU, to you our members. Beginning April 1, for every new paid member you refer, we will credit your annual membership dues \$20.00! So your membership could be free for a year. For example, a small business' (1-3 employees) annual dues are \$150 and by referring 7 new members, your dues would be taken paid for. If you have any questions or need referral and membership forms, please give Martha a call at 417-649-8846 or email Martha@carljunctioncc.com.

# **Upcoming Dates to Remember**

- April 2 Carl Junction City Council, 7 pm, CJ City Hall
- April 3 Ribbon Cutting, 5:30 pm, MC Swim, MSSU Pool
- April 4 First Thursday Breakfast Networking Meeting, 7:30 am, CJ Comm. Center
- April 4 Community & Education Awards Banquet, 5:30 pm, Butcher's Block Event Center
- April 6 CJ Lion's Club Community Breakfast, 7-10 am, CJ Community Center
- April 11 Meet & Greet Ashley Butcher, 4-6 pm, CJ Chamber Ofc, 205 N. Main, CJ
- April 16 Carl Junction City Council, 7 pm, CJ City Hall
- April 17 Crash Course on CPR Lunch & Learn, 11:45-1 pm, CJ Court Room, 302 N. Main, CJ
- April 17 Board of Directors Meeting, 5-7 pm, CJ Chamber Ofc, 205 N. Main, CJ
- April 23 El Guapo's After Hour Event, 5:30-8 pm, 532 S. Joplin Ave., Joplin
- April 27 Spring City Wide Sale, 7 am-?

#### **GROUPS**

# Business Development Groups

The Carl Junction Chamber's Business Development Groups (BDG), are your opportunity to grow your business. The groups have been formed, each meeting at a different time of day that best suits attendees. There is no cost to take advantage of BDG, no attendance requirements or restrictions. You may attend any and all groups that best fit your schedule.

#### **Morning Group**

Meets 2 & 4 Wednesday

Time: 7:30 am

Place: Joplin Avenue Coffee Shop

Group Information: Dale & Fran Owen

Email: dwowen@joplin.com

#### **Late Afternoon Group**

Meets 2 & 4 Thursday

Time: 4:00 pm

Place: Briarbrook Country Club

Group Information: Garrett Terry

Email: gterry@midmobank.com

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