

Waushara Area Chamber of Commerce

WAUSHARA CHAMBER CHAT-APRIL 9TH, 2019



April Business After Five

Join us THIS Thursday, April 11th for our monthly Business After Five at Hometown Bank's Neshkoro location beginning at 5:00pm. This is the perfect opportunity to see the bank, meet their staff, and network with your Chamber friends. This is also a great chance to bring a business guest who isn't currently a member but may be thinking about joining the Waushara Area Chamber of Commerce. Moose Inn will cater and Lunch Creek will be serving wine! Stick around for dessert because Moose Inn will be making their famous Brandy Alexander's. This BA5 is being hosted by Hometown Bank-Neshkoro which is located at 846 N. Main Street in Neshkoro. If you have any questions, feel free to call 920-787-3488. ****The May Business After Five will be held on Thursday, May 9th at various businesses in Downtown Wautoma.****



Breakfast Club Networking Group

Make plans to join the WACC on Thursday, April 11th, to try out their Breakfast Club Networking Group. This group will meet at 8:00am at Rock House Coffee in Redgranite. The Breakfast Club will be a casual networking meeting guided by a different business topic each meeting. This month's topic is How to Get Past the Gate Keeper. There will be no charge to be a part of this group but you must be a Chamber member. If you have questions, please contact the Chamber at 920-787-3488



Communication&the Customer Experience Training for WACC Members

What is amazing customer service? How is it different from service that is good or great? Explore the concept of amazing service with the goal of providing an improved customer experience for your organization or business. Examine what it means to deliver +1's, going above and beyond what is minimally expected by our customers to create an amazing experience. We'll also look at the critical communication components necessary in every customer interaction and discuss the importance of each. The seminar will devote some time to handling difficult and challenging customers. Join us for this two day training on Wednesday, April 10th and 17th from 8:00am-10:00am at the FVTC Wautoma Regional Center for this awesome opportunity. Originally \$159, this seminar is being brought to you by the WACC for a discounted rate of \$50.00! We only have room for 2 more people, so call the Chamber at 920-787-3488 to reserve your spot today!



Author Jerry Apps Book Talk & Signing

The Patterson Memorial Library is hosting Waushara County’s favorite author, Jerry Apps, on Thursday, April 11th at 6:15pm. The book that will be highlighted is The Civilian Conservation Corps in Wisconsin: Nature’s Army at Work. The Wild Rose Library is located at 500 Division and they can be reached at 920-622-3835.



WACC Golf Outing

On Friday, May 31st the Waushara Area Chamber of Commerce will host the 3rd Annual WACC Golf Outing Fundraiser at Two Oaks North Golf Course to promote your business and benefit Chamber activities. This event is a 4-person scramble and will include 9 holes with a cart, raffles, hole event prizes, awards, and dinner catered by Two Oaks to follow golf for \$49 per person. Registration will begin at 3:30pm on the 31st, with a shotgun start to follow at 4:30pm. If you can’t make it for golf but would like to join us for networking and dinner, it’s just \$25.

We are asking our members to help make this event a success by sponsoring a hole and/or contributing an item for a prize. Please feel free to contact me at 920-787-3488 if you have any questions or need any further information about the event. This is your chance to be a part of our outing and promote your business!

Member Hole Sponsor:

This sponsorship opportunity includes promotion on a highly visible sign at a designated hole and a listing in the golf program.

Sponsorship + 4 Golfers	\$225
Sponsorship+ 2 Golfers	\$140
Sponsorship	\$60



Wautoma Public Library April Events

Choose from many free activities held at the Wautoma Public Library during the month of April. Let your imagination be your limit during Lego Club which will be held on April 1st, 8th, 15th, and 22nd from 4-5pm. Celebrate Library Week April 8th-13th and get free books for kids, fine forgiveness, and free library cards with ID. Linda Welty will share the secrets of the perfect luncheon in her cooking class held on April 16th at 5:30pm. And last but not least, take advantage of several free movie showings on Friday, April 5th, Friday, April 12th, Wednesday, April 17th, and Tuesday, April 23rd at 3:30pm. If you would like to register for these programs or have additional questions, please contact the library at 920-787-2988.



Forget-Me-Not Event

The Alzheimer's & Dementia Alliance is hosting a Forget-Me-Not event at Ford's Gathering Place on Saturday, April 13th, 2019 from 12-4pm. Gather for an afternoon of live music, raffles, silent auction, food, and much more. If you would like to donate a gift basket or event tickets, please contact Kristine at 920-294-4100.



Little Italy Dinner Night at Trinity Lutheran

Trinity Lutheran Church Youth Group presents their Little Italy Dinner Night on Saturday, April 13th from 4-6pm. The menu will include spaghetti, lasagna, salad, bread, dessert, and beverages and it will be a free will offering. The proceeds from this event will benefit Trinity's Youth Group's conventions and activities. Trinity Lutheran Church is located at 121 W. Elm Street in Wautoma.



Black Hawk Folk Society Second Saturday Concert

Black Hawk Folk Society proudly presents Dan Weber Saturday, April 13 at 7 p.m. at Mountain View Community Center (at the 21st Lane and Highway 152 intersection near Mt. Morris). Weber's career as a folk singer-songwriter took off with a standing ovation at the Sisters Folk Festival in 2010. His route to that almost instant success was circuitous and didn't happen until mid-life, but those prior decades of life experience became his source for multiple cd's worth of rich and varied material. And since that standing ovation, Weber has earned numerous awards for his songs which are often compared to Guthrie, early John Prine, and Harry Chapin, as well as delighted audience after audience throughout the United States. To learn more about Dan Weber or to sample his music visit <http://danwebermusic.com/music/videos.html>. Dan Weber's concert begins at 7:00 p.m. and will be preceded with a 6 p.m. potluck supper open to all. General admission tickets will be sold at the door from 6:30 on (adults: \$10; 12 & under: free). Parking is on-site and free; the facility is handicap friendly. Black Hawk Folk Society is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization and entirely volunteer driven.



Plan and Protect Program at Barbola Funeral Chapel

Barbola Funeral Chapel is inviting you and up to three guests to attend a free program, 'Plan and Protect-Today and For Tomorrow' and refreshments. Join this interactive conversation about preplanning and they will provide you with the answers to any questions you may have. Learn important information like how to save money on funeral costs, making decisions in advance, and special benefits for veterans. Please RSVP by Monday, April 15th by calling 920-361-2755 or barbolafc@yahoo.com.

Important Information From ACEC

- ACEC's Annual Meeting will be on Saturday, May 11th at the A-F Fine Arts Center. If you aren't able to attend the meeting, please use their eVote option and vote for your board of directors through your SmartHub account. Online voting closes Friday, May 10th at 12:00pm. Meeting details and information about the candidates can be found here: <https://www.acecwi.com/director-candidates/>
- Save the date! Their Member Appreciation Picnic will be on Friday, June 14th from 11am-2pm at their Friendship office. Join them for food, games, and prizes!
- Sign up for SmartHub before May 1st and be entered into a drawing to win a \$50 bill credit! Click here to get signed up: <https://acecwi.smarthub.coop/Login.html#login>



1 Mo. FREE Rent Special* for Office/Retail Space Available NOW

If you are looking for an affordable space to house your new or existing business, contact the CAPsell Center here in Wautoma. They have large, prime space with windows facing Main Street available to rent now, along with smaller interior spaces of various sizes. Monthly rent is reasonable and based on space location and square footage. (*1 month free rent special is for new tenants only. Lease term: 1 yr. Exp. 4-30-19) Rents include heat, A/C, electric, sewer, water, garbage service, and snow removal. Leasehold improvements may be available. The CAPsell center enjoys heavy foot traffic and has ample parking space for your clients. Call 1-877-377-1434 today for details. CAP Services is an equal opportunity employer/provider



Advertising Opportunity on Chamber Website

Website advertising is now available on the Waushara Area Chamber of Commerce website. Advertise your business and you will be able to track how many people see and interact with your banner ad. Ads will be sold on a first come, first serve basis and will be \$120 for 6 months. You will also be able choose where your ad is placed between our homepage, events page, and member directory page. If you would like to reserve a space, call the Chamber at 920-787-3488.



Save the date on your calendar

- ❖ Saturday, April 20th, Easter Egg Hunt at Wild Rose Manor. Join Wild Rose Manor on Saturday, April 20th for their Easter Egg Hunt beginning at 1:00pm. In addition to the egg hunt, Wild Rose Manor will have door prizes to give away, candy, and most importantly fun for all! The Manor is located at 425 Summit St in Wild Rose, WI.
- ❖ Sunday, April 21st Easter Buffet at Blader's Dakota Inn. Blader's Dakota Inn will host a delicious Easter Buffet on Sunday, April 21st from 10am-2pm. Choose from broasted chicken, honey glazed ham, seafood mornay, burgundy glazed roast beef, French toast

w/sausage, potato dejour, vegetable dejour, peel and eat shrimp, and salad and dessert bar for just \$14.95/person (special pricing for ages 10 & under). Blader's Dakota Inn is located at W9501 County Road JJ in Wautoma.

- ❖ Sunday, April 21st, Oakwood's Easter Buffet. Join Oakwood on Sunday, April 21st from 10am-2pm for their Easter Buffet. Choose from scrambled eggs, bacon, stuffed French toast, cheesy hash browns, carved ham, baked chicken, beer battered cod, sliced prime rib in gravy, mash potatoes, vegetables, soup, and salad bar for \$16.99 per person (\$6.99 for kids 6 & Under). They will also have drink specials on mimosas, screwdrivers, and Bloody Mary's. Call them at 920-622-4361 for your reservations.
- ❖ Sunday, April 21st, Moose Inn Easter Brunch. Moose Inn has a delicious menu planned for Easter brunch on Sunday, April 21st from 9am-2pm. They will feature carved prime rib, broasted chicken, hickory smoked ham, signature salad bar, stuffed French toast, and much more. Call them at 920-787-2241 to make your reservations.
- ❖ Tuesday, April 23rd, Wautoma HS Job Fair. Wautoma High School would like to invite you to join them at their Job Fair to offer information to students regarding summer or full-time employment opportunities in the area. They will provide a table and chair for you. You are welcome to bring brochures, business cards, applications, etc. If you have any question, please contact Chandra McCarthy-Cardoso for a form before April 12th. Chandra can be reached at mccarthy@wautoma.k12.wi.us or 920-787-4577 ext. 1206.
- ❖ Wednesday, April 24th, Purrs, Pups, & Pinot. Help the Waushara County Animal Shelter raise money on Wednesday, April 24th at Silvercryst for their Purrs, Pups, & Pinot Event beginning at 6:00pm. For \$50/guest there will be a variety of wines to sample supplied by Badger Liquor, appetizers and hosting provided by Silvercryst, cheese pairings provided by StoneRidge, and candles available by Fox & Ivy with special scents "Puppy Love" and Purrfect" developed just for this event! Get your tickets at Silvercryst or call 920-787-3367 for more information!
- ❖ Thursday, April 25th, Italian Dinner Night at The Bread Bar. Get ready for a fabulous dining experience at The Bread Bar on Thursday, April 25th at 6:00pm. They will begin with Stracciatella, a delicious Italian chicken broth laced with garlic, rosemary, and thyme topped with a cheesy suspension of parmigiano and poached egg and garnished with fresh basil leaf. Soft rosemary breadsticks and dipping oil to accompany. Next, a most unforgettable Italian Chop Salad and finally the entrée will be a sumptuous chicken cacciatori. Dinner will include your choice of 1 glass of wine or 1 bottle of craft beer. This is a limited seating event and will be \$35/person. Email thebreadbarcoloma@gmail.com for reservations.
- ❖ Monday, April 29th, Free Bully Buster Seminar. American Martial Arts Academy in Wautoma wants to give your child the confidence to succeed this school year. Don't let your child be a victim of bullying. In this workshop, participants will learn *non-aggressive* methods to avoid conflict and stay safe. This workshop will be held on

- Monday, April 29th at 4:00pm. Call AMMA today at 920-229-2622 for this free community event.
- ❖ Monday, April 29th, Tai Chi & Yoga for ages 5-11 with Dr. Jennifer Culver. Kids Tai Chi & Yoga class will begin on Monday, April 29th and will be held every Monday until May 20th from 4-4:45pm at ChiroPlus in Wautoma. This class can help reduce anxiety, improve concentration, regulate emotions, calm the mind, and integrate the body and mind. If you are interested in more information, contact Dr. Jennifer Culver at 920-787-0081 or visit www.chiroplushealthcare.com/yoga.
 - ❖ Saturday, May 4th, Cottage Motors Friends for Hero's Charity Event. Help Cottage Motors in Wautoma raise money to help our Veterans get their loving service companions. Stop at Cottage any time between 8am-12pm for Moose Inn appetizers, live music, raffle items, free popcorn, a flag folding/gun salute, and a balloon "let go". Custom Canines Service Dog Academy will also be there to answer any questions! If you have any questions or would like to donate a raffle item, please contact Ann at 920-787-3305.
 - ❖ Monday, May 6th, Free Bully Buster Seminar. American Martial Arts Academy in Wautoma wants to give your child the confidence to succeed this school year. Don't let your child be a victim of bullying. In this workshop, participants will learn non-aggressive methods to avoid conflict and stay safe. This workshop will be held on Monday, April 29th at 4:00pm. Call AMMA today at 920-229-2622 for this free community event.
 - ❖ Monday, May 13th, 18th Annual Moose Inn Golf Outing. Join Moose Inn at Two Oaks North on Monday, May 13th for a fun day of golf, raffles, food, and FUN. Start the day off at 9am at Moose Inn for breakfast, followed registration at Two Oaks and the shotgun start at 12pm. End the evening with dinner and prizes at Moose Inn. This will be a scramble format and \$260 per 4-person team (men, women, & mixed divisions). Call Moose for more details at 920-787-2241.
 - ❖ May 17th & 18th, 12th Annual Waushara County Crime Stoppers K-9 Brat Fry. Join Charles Chevrolet at their new location at 1978 Charles Way in Coloma. They will be having their famous K-9 Brat Fry on Friday, May 17th, from 10-2pm and Saturday, May 18th from 10-1pm. Along with delicious brats and hotdogs, they will be doing K-9 unit demonstrations, raffles, and giving out door prizes. If you have any questions, contact John Nixon at (715) 503-4309.

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

First Tuesday of Each Month—Free blood pressure checks@Family Health

Every Monday—Chair Yoga at the Coloma Hotel @ 9am.

Every Tuesday— Free Blood Pressure Checks at Family Health La Clinica 2-5pm.

Every Wednesday—Waushara Historical Museum open from 9am-4pm

Every Monday&Wednesday— Yoga Sculpt with Cathy Favelle at Wautoma Senior Center 8:45-9:45

Every Tuesday & Thursday—Aerobic Class Workout DVD 8:45-9:45 am @Wautoma Senior Center

Every Thursday—Waushara Historical Museum open from 9am-12pm.

Every Friday—Yoga at the Coloma Hotel @ 9am.

Every Friday—Line Dancing at Wautoma Senior Center at 8:30am

Every 2nd, 4th, 5th Saturday—Bingo at Wautoma Senior Center. Doors open @5pm, bingo@6:30pm.

Wednesday, April 10th—Customer Experience Training 8am-10am at FVTC

Thursday, April 11th—Breakfast Club Networking Meeting at Rock House Coffee

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Thursday, April 11th—Jerry Apps Book Talk at Wild Rose Library @ 6:15pm.

Saturday, April 13th—Forget-Me-Not Event at Ford’s Gathering Place 1-4pm.

Saturday, April 13th—Little Italy Dinner Night at Trinity Lutheran Church 4-6pm.

Saturday, April 13th—BHFS Second Saturday Concert @ Mountain View Community Center @7

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Sunday, April 21st—Easter Brunch at Moose Inn 9am-2pm.

Sunday, April 21st—Oakwood’s Easter Buffet 10am-2pm.

Sunday, April 21st—Easter Buffet at Blader’s Dakota Inn 10am-2pm.

Tuesday, April 23rd—Wautoma High School Job Fair 1:50-3:12pm.

Wednesday, April 24th—Purrs, Pups, & Pinot Event at Silvercryst @ 6:00pm.

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Monday, April 29th—Kids Tai Chi & Yoga class begins 4:00-4:45pm.

Saturday, May 4th—Cottage Motors Friends for Hero’s Charity Event 8am-12pm.

Monday, May 6th—AMMA Bully Buster Seminar 4-4:40pm

Monday, May 13th—2019 Moose Inn Golf Outing at Two Oaks North 9am-7pm.

May 17th & 18th—12th Annual Waushara County Crime Stoppers K-9 Brat Fry 10am-2pm/10am-1pm

Friday, May 31st—3rd Annual WACC Golf Outing 3:30pm Registration/4:30pm shotgun start.



****Tune into WAUH, 102.3 The BUG @ 10:30 on Thursday mornings to hear all of the latest Chamber News and Event Info****

