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WANTED Annual Awards Nominations

The Greater Warrensburg Area Chamber of Commerce will be presenting two Business of the Year Awards, a Start Up Business of the Year Award, a Chamber Member of the Year Award, and a Glazebrook Community Partner of the Year Award at our Annual Awards and Social on July 18th. Find the nomination forms at: www.warrensburg.org/member-benefits/ (Or CLICK HERE to find the nomination forms!)

The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce is seeking nominees for five upcoming awards that celebrate outstanding Chamber businesses, Chamber members, and volunteers making a difference in our community. Award winners will be announced at the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce Annual Social event on July 18, 2019. Businesses and individuals can apply for these awards or may be nominated. A committee of volunteer judges will determine the winners. All nominees meeting the criteria will be recognized at the event and are therefore highly encouraged to be present at the Annual Social.



>>> Upcoming Events <<<

** All Events in Warrensburg unless otherwise stated

Ribbon Cutting

Trails Regional Library Tuesday, June 11th, 10—11 AM 432 N Holden Street

Ribbon Cutting

U.S. Cleaners Tuesday, June 18th, 3—4 PM 609 E Young St, Suite A1

19th Annual Chamber Golf Tournament Friday, June 21st, 7:30 AM Hidden Pines Country Club

Chamber Membership Info Session Wednesday, June 26th, 8—9 AM JMCR—100 S. Holden Street

Ribbon Cutting

Summers Pharmacy Thursday, June 27th, 11 AM—12 PM 611 Burkarth

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Knob Noster State Park & Mike Keith Insurance Tuesday, July 9th, 9—10 AM JMCR—100 S. Holden Street

Annual Awards and Social Thursday, July 18th, 5:30 PM Warrensburg Collision—220 W. Young Ave

Chamber University

Human Resources Panel Wednesday, July 31st, 11:45 AM—1 PM JMCR—100 S. Holden Street

> Paint the Town Red September 3rd—5th

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\$2,200.00 a person Based on 4 to a room, Two double beds \$2,325.00 a person Based on 3 to a room, Two double beds \$2,600.00 a person Based on 2 to a room, Two double beds \$3,200.00 a person Based on single occupancy/two double beds Non Chamber Members Add \$100.00 to the Pricing.

Curtain Up Theatre Tours Presents 5-DAY ADVENTURE OCTOBER 16-20, 2019 FROM \$2,200.00

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Round trip Airfare from Kansas City to LaGuardia Airport
- Transportation to and from LaGuardia to NYC Hotel
- 4 nights hotel accommodations in Times Square
- Three Dinner Parties in addition to Orchestra Seats to Two Broadway Musicals/ Plays
- Professional guided tours provided by Dr. Richard Herman, Professor
 Emeritus of Theatre UCM

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WITH THE GREATER WARRENSBURG AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

DEPARTING December 6, 2019



For more information, please contact Leanne Larson at (660) 747-3168

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Round trip scheduled airfare
- Round trip transfers between airports and hotel
- 9 nights accommodations
- 4 nights Cape Town
- 2 nights Limpopo Province
- 1 night Johannesburg
- 2 nights Victoria Falls
- 13 meals included: 9 breakfasts, 2 lunches and 2 dinners
- Experience Cape Town on a panoramic city tour
- Game drives in magnificent Limpopo Province
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2019 **Application Deadline** Friday, June 28

projects, programs, events and sport events aimed at tourism development in the

> Apply at VisitWarrensburg.com.





Booth Registration

The street fair is open to businesses, profit/non-profit organizations, student organizations and others who would like to share information about their business, product,

organization or project. The event is a great way to get information into the hands of students, faculty, staff and community members.

Registration will open on May 17, **2019.** Please call the UCM office of Integrated Marketing and Communications at 660-543-4640 if vou would like further information on the fair.

Get the Red Out is a cooperative community event sponsored by UCM and the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce. The 15th annual fair will be held on Thursday, September 5, 2019, from 4-6:30 p.m. The event takes place on Holden Street in Warrensburg between South and Clark streets. Thousands of campus and community members attend the street fair each year. Mules football follows the fair beginning at 7 p.m. !

Join us for FREE family fun including:

- Inflatables and games for the kids
- Dozens of local organizations and vendors •
- Hoop shooting with the Mules and Jennies basketball • teams



Stylist Wanted

We are under new ownership and are looking for 2 licensed stylists to expand our team. We are seeking someone reliable, fun, creative and ambitious. A clientele base is desired but not required. You must be willing to work evenings and weekends.

Starting at min. wage but pay increased based on experience and clientele after training. You will receive bimonthly pay via direct deposit, as well as tips, service and sales commissions. Christmas and birthday bonuses and expanding paid vacation. Hourly pay raises will be readily available based on performance.

Apply in person at 505 N Maguire St., Ste. B, Warrensburg, MO 64093 or call 660-351-6874 www.facebook.com/snipnclipofwarrensburg



Need 6-8 business partners to host our branded collection 55 gal barrels; for the public to drop off needed supplies for the kitties of CARRMISSOURI CAMPUS. The month of June/pu done on volume/need. Call 816.697.5055 to help. Thank you! Items needed include: unopened cat food, pine or corn litter, toys, newspapers and cleaning supplies.

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TOWN HALLS

• Holden - City Hall, May 16, 6:30pm

• Leeton - City Hall, May 21, 6:30pm

· Centerview - CRHS Library, May 30,

Chilhowee - School, June 6, 6:30pm

• Kingsville - School, June 13, 6:00pm

Room, June 20, 6:30pm

Warrensburg - Chamber, Jack Moore

Knob Noster - City Hall, June 27, 6:00pm

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prairie history is all that is required. June 1 & 2, 2

Sat. 11 a.m. to Sun. noon

For more details and to RSVP for the BioBlitz,

visit www.moprairie.org When you RSVP, you will select the BioBlitz field study groups ou want to join. No registration required for Prairie Day activities. Questions? Call 888-843-6739. MISSOURI

June 1, 2019 is National Prairie Day, founded by the Missouri Prairie Foundation.

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Demonstrations and informational booths followed by potluck dinner with wild game samples, free tent camping, and nocturnal insect observations & star

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FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK

APRIL THROUGH DECEMBER

DOWNTOWN WARRENSBURG

Check out Downtown Warrensburg from 6pm to 9pm on the below dates for music, food, shopping, art and artists:

April 5 May 3 **June 7 July 5 August 2** **September 6 October 4** November 1 **December 6**

JOHNSON COUNTY UNITED WAY

A CALL FOR BOARD MEMBERS

We are seeking community leaders interested in helping shape the strategy and direction for sustainable community impact in Johnson County.

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Find information on Board Member Roles & Responsibillities and an application on our website or contact any current JCUW Board Member.

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MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT TO START SOON

At Missouri American Water, we're committed to providing our customers with safe, reliable water service. This requires investing in our treatment and distribution systems, and one of these projects is about to take place near you. The project involves replacing aging water main, as well as utility-owned service lines and fire hydrants along the pipeline route (see reverse for more information about service lines).

PROJECT OVERVIEW AND WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT

- Install, disinfect, test and place new main into service. While we interconnect the
 new main to the distribution system, customers may experience a temporary service
 interruption. Customers may also experience a slight discoloration of water. If this
 happens, run the water until it is clear.
- Replace utility-owned service lines and transfer customers to the new main. Once the new water main is installed, we will return at a later time to connect the customer service lines to the new water main after testing is completed. This may involve replacing utility-owned service lines. If we're replacing the utility-owned service line at your property, typically there is a 30- to 60-minute interruption of service while the contractor connects the new service line. We'll attempt to notify customers 24 hours in advance. We'll also notify you on the day the service line is replaced with instructions on how to flush your household plumbing prior to using water. It is important that you read and follow these instructions. If you're not home, we'll leave the instructions at your front door.
- · Perform final paving and any restoration of concrete, driveway, grass and landscaping.

Our crews will work as quickly as possible to shorten the length of these temporary inconveniences. We appreciate your patience and understanding during this project.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

Investment:	Estimated at \$400,000
What:	Upsizing and replacing water mains dating back to the early 1900s.
Where:	On North College 700 feet of 2-inch water main will be replaced with 8-inch water main. On Gay Street, 1400 feet of 4-inch water main will be replaced with 12-inch water main. Project improves both service reliability and fire protection.
When:	Weather permitting, our contractor, J.C. Myers will begin work on or about the week of June 3 and will be completed by the end of September.
Work Hours:	8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Work on weekends and evenings as needed to maintain project schedule.
Project Contact:	David Fiedler, Operations Manager - 660-747-3192 x 5

UTILITY-OWNED VS. CUSTOMER-OWNED PORTION OF THE SERVICE LINE



Please note: This diagram is a generic representation. Variations may apply.

TRAFFIC FLOW AND ACCESSIBILITY

Sections of street where construction is taking place may be closed during work hours. All traffic control will be coordinated with local road authorities. Motorists should use caution, obey traffic signs and follow detour routes when driving in the area.

NOISE

As with any construction project, some noise will be unavoidable with this project. We apologize for any inconvenience and appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

SITE MAINTENANCE

The project site will be maintained and cleaned each day before Missouri American Water construction crews/contractors have completed work.

HOW SHOULD WE REACH YOU IN AN EMERGENCY?

Missouri American Water uses a high-speed mass-notification system called "CodeRED" to keep customers informed about water-related emergencies and alerts. Log on to our online self-service portal (amwater.com/myaccount) to make sure your contact information is up to date. While you're there, tell us how you prefer to receive our notifications: by phone, text and/or email.*

*Standard text, data and phone rates may apply.

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Bus. HWY 13 and Hawthorne Roundabout Project City of Warrensburg Public Works: 660-262-4661

Construction Phases 1 and 2



Start of Construction April 2019



<u>1st Traffic Shift</u> April 2019 East side Construction

Construction Phases 3 and 4



2nd Traffic ShiftJune2019West sideConstructionto start



<u>3rd Traffic Shift</u> July 2019 Center Island & Median Construction with West Access closed until ready for traffic with completion

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Happy Retirement, Nancy!

We had a blast celebrating Nancy Kenepp at her retirement party last Friday. She is retiring after 19 years at ReeceNichols. Happy Retirement and Thank You for contributing so much to the Chamber over the years, Nancy!

New Members



Riley Inspired, LLC 710 N College, Suite D Warrensburg, MO (660) 422-3299 www.hriley.com

"Riley Inspired is your all-around art community resource. More than just art supplies, we offer classes and workshops, books, original artwork, and even a place to have some coffee while you surf the web. It's everything you didn't know we needed right here in Warrensburg!"

Ridgeview Family Dental

511 North Ridgeview Drive Warrensburg, MO (660) 747-9117 www.dryoungdental.com



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Ribbon Cutting Ceremony





The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting for new chamber member Riley Inspired, LLC on Tuesday, May 21st. They are located at 710 N College, Suite D in Warrensburg. "Riley Inspired is your all-around art community resource. More than just art supplies, we offer classes and workshops, books, original artwork, and even a place to have some coffee while you surf the web. It's everything you didn't know we needed right here in Warrensburg!"

Chamber Chair Elect Greg Hall kicked off the event by thanking everyone in attendance for coming, including city council members Nolan Brooks, Scott Holmberg and Bryan Jacobs. He then introduced Riley Inspired, LLC owner, Heather Riley. Heather explained how she was an online art student and had plenty of art supplies that she would likely not use again, so she sought to help other artists in the area. She also talked about what Riley Inspired, LLC offers—art supplies, local art, art classes, homeschool art classes and more.

Anchoring the ribbon in the photo above are Chamber Chair Elect Greg Hall and Chamber Chair Emeritus Sharri Carter as owner Heather Riley prepares to cut the ribbon. For more information on Riley Inspired, LLC, visit their website at <u>www.hdriley.com</u>.













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Ribbon Cutting Ceremony











The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting for Treasured Blessings' new location on Thursday, May 23rd. The store has moved to 21 N.W. 575th Road in Warrensburg, MO. "Treasured Blessings has Farmhouse style home décor, custom wood signs, windows, wreaths, etched glass and stainless, imprinted items as well as other handmade items. Ladies apparel, jewelry, candles, all natural chocolates and much more!"

Chamber Member Relations Committee member Jamie Brisbin started the event by welcoming everyone in attendance for coming, including city councilmen Scott Holmberg and Nolan Brooks. She then introduced shop owners Rita Schildknecht and Brenda Wilson. "We're starting our 6th year of Treasured Blessings. We're looking forward to doing more online sales," Rita stated. Treasured Blessings will still have open store hours during select times during the week.

Anchoring the ribbon in the photo above are Chamber Chair Emeritus Sharri Carter and Chamber Ambassador Barb Carder as Treasured Blessings Owners Brenda Wilson and Rita Schildknecht prepare to cut the ribbon alongside friends and chamber members. For more information on Treasured Blessings, visit their Facebook page at <u>https://www.facebook.com/treasuredblessings/</u>.







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Ribbon Cutting Ceremony





The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting ceremony for new chamber member Top 2 Bottom Cleaning & Repairs, LLC on Friday, May 31st at Alpha Property Management. "Top 2 Bottom Cleaning & Repairs is a reliable and competitive service of cleaning, repairs, painting and remodeling for commercial and residential areas." They are a home-based business located in Warrensburg.

Chamber Chair Elect Greg Hall thanked everyone for coming, including city councilman Bryan Jacobs and county clerk Diane Thompson, then introduced business owner Angela Wedge. Angela stated that she has had her business for 6 years and also mentioned that Rick Solomon of Alpha Property Management had been her mentor. "There's very little I call them for that they can't handle," Rick claimed.

Anchoring the ribbon in the photo above are Chamber Chair Jeremy VanWey and Chamber Ambassador Rick Solomon as Top 2 Bottom Cleaning & Repairs, LLC Owner Angela Wedge prepares to cut the ribbon alongside family, friends, staff and fellow chamber members. For more information on Top 2 Bottom Cleaning & Repairs, LLC, visit their Facebook Page at www.facebook.com/T2BCnRLLC/

Ribbon Cuttings for all!

Ribbon Cuttings aren't just for new members. Chamber members can have a ribbon cutting for achievements, anniversaries, new locations, new products... just about anything! We are here to help market your business and a ribbon cutting is a great way to do so. Fill out the Ribbon Cutting form <u>HERE</u> and then get in touch with Amanda Flues (aflues@warrensburg.org) to book your ribbon cutting today!









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Upcoming Chamber Member Events







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EXPERIENCE THE MONTH OF IUNE

June 1st: Live Music June 8th: First Responder's Day (kids tour emergency vehicles)

June 15th: Live Music

June 22nd: Live Music

June 29th: 4th of July Kickoff!

SATURDAYS 7:30 AM TO 12:00 PM DOWNTOWN WARRENSBURG BY THE COURTHOUSE

HOSTED BY MAIN STREET INC

WARRENSBURG PARKS & RECREATION SUMMER DAY CAMP June 3 - August 14 FIELD TRIPS! MINI CAMPS! GAMES! CRAFTS! SWIMMING!

SIGN UP BY MAY 22 FOR BEST VALUE! ummer-long and weekly payment options are available.

Meet the camp staff and pick up your T-shirt at Preview Night on May 21 at 5pm at the Community Center!

MONDAY - FRIDAY 6:30AM - 6:00PM NEW THIS SUMMER!

SIGN YOUR CHILD UP FOR PARKS AND RECREATION "MINI CAMPS!"

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We will bring your kiddos to these special camps during summer day camp hours! All of our Mini Camps are also available for children who are not enrolled in Summer Day Camp!

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Saturday, June 8th - 0900 - Shotgun Start Royal Oaks Golf Course, Whiteman AFB, MO 4 Person Scramble - \$45 / Includes Green Fees, Cart Fees, Range Balls, and Prize Drawings

ALL TOURNAMENT PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE WHITEMAN AFB COMMUNITY & LOCAL AREA CHARITIES

- 60 CASH PRIZES - TOP 2 TEAMS IN 3 DIFFERENT FLIGHTS
- LONGEST DRIVE - 2 LONGEST PUTTS - CLOSEST TO PIN
- 50/50 PUTTING AND CHIPPING CONTEST
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Call Royal Oaks (660) 687-5572 to sign up, or (660) 687-5252 for more information.



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HONOR YOUR FAVORITE VETERAN WHILE HELPING ANOTHER VETERAN

The West Central Missouri Veterans Assistance League invites you to sponsor a golf cart in honor or in memory of your favorite Veteran and include their service photo. This is a wonderful way to honor those who have done so much for us.

This \$50 sponsorship is part of the 16th annual Scramble for Freedom Golf Tournament set for June 2 at Royal Oaks Golf Course at Whiteman Air Force Base.

Proceeds from this event will enhance the lives of the 200 Veterans who live at the Missouri Veterans Home in Warrensburg. The deadline for this sponsorship is May 29.

For more information, call Latisha Koetting, supervisor of volunteer services, at 660-429-4661 or email Latisha.Koetting@mvc.dps. mo.gov. In memory of: Army Air Corps Pfc. Herbert E. Grasher, who served in World War II. Thank you Grasher Family for supporting the

Missouri Veterans Home-

200 Veterans at the

Warrensburg.





In memory of: Lt. Delton Rae Muller, Army Air Corps Bomber pilot in World War II, and Lt. Susanne Miller, Army nurse in World War II.

Thank you Shirley Hurst, of Knob Noster, for supporting the Missouri Veterans Home.

Scramble for Freedom Golf Tournament Schedule

Date: Sunday, June 2, 2019

Time: 8:30 a.m. Registration 10 a.m. Shotgun Start

Format: Four-man scramble. Limited to the first 36 teams.

Prizes: Up to 3 Flights. \$400 in cash for each flight *

*If full entry of 36 teams is not reached, the number of flights may be adjusted.

Fee: \$240 per four-man team includes lunch, cart and greens fee.

Individual entries (Fee \$60) may call for possible assignment to a team.

Putting Contest will be held before the tournament and closest to the pin contests during the tournament.

Door prizes and raffle prizes

Be involved as a sponsor and/or player or make a donation

Corporate Sponsor: \$500 Your name will be in advertising. You may display your company banner at the event.

Team Sponsor: \$240 Your name will be in advertising.

Hole Sponsor: \$200 Your name will be in advertising and on a sign at one of the holes.

Golf Cart Sponsor: \$50 Sponsor a golf cart in honor or in memory of your favorite veteran and submit their service photo or sponsor a cart in honor of your business.

For more information, call Latisha Koetting, Director of Volunteer Services, at 660-429-4661, or email Latisha.Koetting@mvc.dps.mo.gov with any questions.













REMEMBER ALL WHO SERVED

Nov. 11, 2019, marks the

100th anniversary of Veterans Day.

We would like to do something special at the

Missouri Veterans Home in Warrensburg by

making this a week long celebration.

Coast Guard Day on Nov. 8, 2019 and a Women in Service Day on Nov. 9, 2019

but we need YOUR HELP to make this

If you are interested in being a part of this,

contact Latisha.Koetting@mvc.dps.mo.gov or

We would like to have an

Army Day on Nov. 4, 2019

Navy Day on Nov. 6, 2019

happen.

Marines Day on Nov. 5, 2019

Air Force Day on Nov. 7, 2019



FIELD OF SERVICE

Honor your favorite Veteran by sponsoring a golf cart for the Scramble for Freedom on June 2.
The cost is \$50. Proceeds will go to the West Central Missouri Veterans Assistance League to enhance the lives of the 200 Veterans living at the Missouri Veterans Home in Warrensburg.

Name of Veteran:

Branch of Service and Rank:_

War(s) served or Peacetime:_

 $\mbox{Circle: In honor of (veteran is alive) or In memory of (veteran is deceased)$

Do you have a photo of the veteran you'd like to include? Yes or No

Service photos may be emailed to Latisha Koetting, Supervisor of Volunteer Services, Latisha.Koetting@mvc.dps.mo.gov. The deadline is May 29.

Address of Cart Sponsor:__

Phone number of Cart Sponsor:_

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Email address of Cart Sponsor (if you have one):

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Check Number:_

Checks should be made payable to VAL and sent to Missouri Veterans Home, 1300 Veterans Road, Warrensburg, MO 64093.

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June 2019

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 ✓Immunizations Daily	4 WIC Walk in Tuesday 9:00-5:30 ✓ Immunizations Daily	5 <u>WIC Satellite Clinic</u> From 8:45 am to 3:30 pm (closed 12 pm – 1 pm for lunch) at the Holden Community Activity Center. This institution is an equal opportunity provider ✓ Immunizations Daily	6 <u>WIC Satellite Clinic</u> From 8:45 am to 3:30 pm (closed 12 pm − 1 pm for lunch) at Knob Noster United Methodist Church. This institution is an equal opportunity provider ✓ Immunizations Daily	7 ✓ Immunizations Daily
10	11 WIC Walk in Tuesday 9:00-5:30	12 <u>WIC Satellite Clinic</u> From 8:45 am to 3:30 pm (closed 12 pm – 1 pm for lunch) at the Holden Community Activity Center. This institution is an equal opportunity provider	13 *Food Safety Training Class from 10 am - 12 noon. Upper Level Classroom <u>Call 660-747-6121 Ext.</u> <u>258 for more information</u> <u>CPR/AED & FIRSTAID</u> from 9 am to 4 pm (Registration is required- call 660-747-6121, Ext. 281)	14
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17	18 WIC Walk in Tuesday 9:00-5:30	19 <u>WIC Satellite Clinic</u> From 8:45 am to 3:30 pm (closed 12 pm – 1 pm for lunch) at the Holden Community Activity Center. This institution is an equal opportunity provider	20 <u>WIC Satellite Clinic</u> From 8:45 am to 3:30 pm (closed 12 pm - 1 pm for lunch) at Knob Noster United Methodist Church. This institution is an equal opportunity provider <u>ICCHS on KOKO</u> 1450 Radio at 8:30 am ✓ Immunizations Daily	21
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24	25 WIC Walk in Tuesday 9:00-5:30 *Food Safety Training <u>Class:</u> from 2-4 pm. Upper Level Classroom Call 660- 747-6121 Ext. 258 for more information	26	27 Board of Trustees meeting at 10 am	28
✓Immunizations Daily	✓ Immunizations Daily	✓ Immunizations Daily	✓Immunizations Daily	✓Immunizations Daily

✓ <u>Children's Immunization Clinics</u> - A fee will be assessed for the uninsured/underinsured based on immunization needs. Cash, check, debit or credit is now accepted. Medicaid will be billed if child is insured through Medicaid and card is presented.

<u>Enhanced Immunization Program</u>-Through a partnership with VaxCare, Inc, we are now offering insured adults and children a wide variety of vaccines. Most insurance is accepted.

* <u>Food Safety Training Class</u> is a 2-hour introductory course that covers the basics of Safe Food Handling, Dangers of Foodborne Illness and Personal Hygiene. This course is recommended for all food service facility employees (wait staff, bartenders, cooks, deli workers and dishwashers). There are no fees associated with this course. **To register, please call Tammy at (660) 747-6121 Ext. 258**. Location: 723 PCA Road, Upper Level Classroom (Enter East door on front of building).

Other Services:

Blood Pressure screenings available by Public Health Nursing staff on a walk-in basis Monday through Friday 8 am -5 pm American Heart Association BLS and HS CPR/FA: E-Learning "Skills Sessions" now available. Call 660-747-6121 Ext. 281to schedule a time. Car Seat Checks: Call WIC at 660-747-2012 or call 660-747-6121 and select the operator.

Pregnancy testing: If eligibility requirements are met, Temporary Medicaid card for pregnant women may be issued. Please call for an appointment at 660-747-6121.

STD/HIV testing: Please call for an appointment at 660-747-6121.

WIC Breastfeeding Class: Please call 660-747-2012 for class information and enrollment.

CCHC, CHILD CARE Providers Class, Call 660-747-6121, ext 281 for more information. Clock hours available for attendance.







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Kansas City District Office

Release Date: May 01, 2019 Contact: Ram Basnet, (816) 426-4908, ram.basnet@sba.gov

SBA Kansas City District Office Hosting Small Business Events Across Multiple Counties in Missouri

Kansas City, Missouri – The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) - Kansas City District Office (KCDO) is hosting a series of Small Business Assistance Informational Sessions across multiple counties in Missouri.

Participants will learn about free resources available through the U.S. Small Business Administration to help them plan, launch, manage, and grow their businesses. Entrepreneurial development, access to small business funding, government contracting, surety bonding, small business certifications, disaster recovery, etc., are some of the topics that will be covered.

"These are taxpayer funded programs and every county could benefit from these programs. It is a shared responsibility of every citizen in each of these counties to learn about these programs and take advantage of them. The SBA KCDO is always available to help facilitate the learning experience" said Kansas City Deputy District Director, Dennis Larkin.

Please click on the town names to learn more.

<u>Boonville</u>	<u>Butler</u>	<u>Clinton</u>	Kirks	sville	Lexington
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Press Release WoW-Writers of Warrensburg Date of the event: June 8th.

Writers of Warrensburg presents its 4th Annual Workshop for Writers on Saturday, June 8th, 2019. It's an opportunity for writers of all skill levels working in a variety of genres to spend the day in four interactive writing craft and marketing workshops with knowledgeable and published industry professionals, and for each participant to have an opportunity for work to be reviewed by a multiple, talented authors.

This year's topics include: Putting Tension in Your Manuscript and Not in Your shoulders, presented by New York Times best-

selling author Carla Cassidy who has traditionally published over 150 books. Author E. E. Burke's novella has been a Kindle Top 100 Bestseller and Kindle Best Book semifinalist and she will demonstrate How to Weave Emotion into Your Manuscript to Build Interesting Characters. Local author, Stan C. Smith, will share his knowledge and technical expertise on How to Build Author Websites and Email Lists to Turn Readers into Fans. Authors and publishers—and UCM graduates—Isaac and Stephanie Flint, use their considerable shared knowledge to present their Tips to Make You an Excellent Self-editor. As a bonus, Jason Mueschke, host of the popular podcast, The Sample Chapter Podcast, will demonstrate the benefits of this social media platform. It's great information for a very reasonable price of \$35.00 for workshops, food and drinks and materials.

The workshop takes place from 9:00 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. at Cena's Nook Bed and Breakfast, 110 E Hale Lake Rd., with a multi-author book signing to follow from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at Reader's World, 503 North Maguire St. Please contact Goldie Edwards, WoW Administrator, at 660-362-0014 or at <u>goldiee@mindspring.com</u> with questions or to sign up.



Contact: Jeff Imboden, B&I Specialist Warrensburg Parks & Recreation (WPR) 445 E. Gay Street (660) 747-7178

Time To Get Your Summer On at Parks & Rec!

WARRENSBURG, MO (May 30, 2019) – Be cool, stay cool all summer long with a **Nassif Aquatic Center (NAC) Season Pass** with Warrensburg Parks & Recreation!

Parks & Rec is now selling Season Passes for Nassif Aquatic Center (NAC), which **opens June 1 – August 14** in Warrensburg, for only **\$60** for the entire summer! **20-Punch Passes**, which never expire, are only **\$80**.

The award-winning Nassif Aquatic Center, with it's full-size pool, 2 waterslides, a Splash & Spray Area and a Lazy River, is **open every day from 1pm-7pm**. Nassif Season Pass Holders enjoy early admission every day at 12:30pm, as well as free admission to special events like Splash & Play, Swimming Under the Stars, Parents Plunge, River Walking, Dive-In Movie and Star Spangled Swim!

Get Your Summer On Now! and get your Nassif Aquatic Center Season Pass by calling Parks & Rec at **747-7178**, online at <u>Warrensburg-mo.com</u>, or stop by the Warrensburg Community Center.





Contact: Tara Carlyle System Director of Communications and Development (660) 262-7497 tcarlyle@wmmc.com

Western Missouri Medical Center Advanced Wound Center Recognized With National President's Circle Award For Excellence

Warrensburg, MO (May 28, 2019)—The Western Missouri Medical Center Advanced Wound Center physicians, leaders, and clinicians gathered today to celebrate the *President's Circle* award which was given to the Advanced Wound Center in recognition of a *Robert A. Warriner III, M.D., Center of Excellence* with outstanding performance. The Center was awarded this prestigious honor for the 3rd year in a row by <u>Healogics</u>, the nation's largest provider of advanced wound care services. This Center has achieved patient satisfaction rates higher than 92 percent and a healing rate of at least 91 percent in less than 30 median days to heal, for a minimum of two consecutive years. Out of 413 eligible Centers, 29 were honored with this award nationwide. The award is named for Dr. Robert A. Warriner III, a pioneer in wound care and the former Chief Medical Officer for Healogics.

"Receiving this award for the third consecutive year is a testament to Western Missouri Medical Center's commitment to providing high quality care to our patients," said Jennifer Koepke RN, MHSA, CPHA, VP of Patient Care Services/Chief Nursing Officer. "Our providers and staff in our Advanced Wound Center are impacting lives in our community through their ability to heal chronic wounds."

The WMMC Advanced Wound Center is a member of the Healogics network of nearly 700 <u>Wound Care Centers®</u>, with access to benchmarking data and proven experience treating approximately 2.5 million chronic wounds. WMMC Advanced Wound Center offers highly specialized wound care to patients suffering from diabetic ulcers, pressure ulcers, infections and other <u>chronic wounds</u> which have not healed in a reasonable amount of time. Leading edge treatments at the Center include negative pressure wound therapy, total contact casting, bio-engineered tissues, biosynthetic dressings and growth factor therapies. The Center also offers hyperbaric oxygen therapy, which works by surrounding the patient with 100 percent oxygen to help progress the healing of the wound.

"We are the only wound center in Missouri to earn this award this year, and we are so proud", said Amira Ghazali, MD, Advanced Wound Center Medical Director. "It's an honor and a privilege for our team to be able to help heal the wounds of our neighbors. We are pleased to be recognized on a national level for the success we have experienced with our patients."

To contact the Advanced Wound Center at WMMC, please call (660) 262-7575. To learn more about this practice, visit <u>WMMC.com/</u><u>Wound</u>.

WMMC Community Town Hall meeting – June 11

Warrensburg, MO (May 28, 2019)— Western Missouri Medical Center (WMMC) will be updating

the 2016 Johnson County Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA). The goal of this

assessment update is to understand progress in addressing community health needs cited in

the 2016 CHNA report and to collect current community health perceptions. To accomplish this

assessment, a short online survey has been developed and results will be shown at the

Community Town Hall meeting on Tuesday, June 11th.

The Community Town Hall meeting for WMMC (Johnson County, MO) will be on Tuesday,

June 11th from 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at Warrensburg Community Center, Multipurpose Room BC.

If you plan to attend the Warrensburg Community Town Hall, please RSVP here:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WMMC_CHNA_RSVP

"We hope that the community and health professionals will take advantage of this opportunity to

provide important input into the future of healthcare delivery in our county," said Darinda

Reberry, President/CEO.

For questions about CHNA activities, please call (660) 262-7464. *Note: This assessment update is a follow-up to meet final IRS regulations released on January

2, 2015, requiring all $501 \ensuremath{^{\odot}3}$ hospitals to conduct a community health needs assessment and

adopt an implementation strategy at least once every three years.



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Swim, Slide, Float, Dive, Splash, Chill – For FREE!

WARRENSBURG, MO (June 3, 2019) – Warrensburg Parks & Rec presents **Sponsored Free Swim** on **Wednesday, June 12 from 5pm-7pm at Nassif Aquatic Center!**

Bring your friends and family for an evening of fun and free swimming at Nassif, thanks to our Sponsors – Shelter Insurance, Craig Hibdon Agency and Mike Joyner, Fairway Independent Mortgage Corporation! You'll be able to enjoy the Big Pool, the Splash Playground and the Lazy River, all for FREE! Concession Stand will be open!

It's **Sponsored Free Swim**, Wednesday, June 12, 5pm-7pm at Nassif Aquatic Center!

For more information about this and all the other great Parks & Rec summer pool events go to <u>Warrensburg-mo.com</u>.





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Experienced Education Leader from ATU Appointed UCM's New Provost, VP for Academic Affairs



WARRENSBURG, MO (May 16, 2019) – An experienced and collaborative leader and strategic thinker from Russellville, Arkansas, Phillip B. Bridgmon, Ph.D., has been selected to serve as provost and vice president for Academic Affairs at the University of Central Missouri. Bridgmon's appointment was announced today by UCM President Roger Best, and is the result of a nationwide search that was conducted throughout the spring 2019 semester. The new academic leader begins his duties July 15.

"Dr. Bridgmon has a thorough understanding of and incredible insight into strategies necessary to overcome challenges and capitalize on opportunities for higher education and UCM specifically," Best said. "His collaborative approach and focus on shared governance are qualities I value and that are consistent with UCM's culture, and I have great confidence in his capacity to help us fulfill our shared vision. We look forward to Dr. Bridgmon and his family joining UCM and the Warrensburg community."

The provost and vice president for Academic Affairs is a president's cabinet-level position responsible for personnel, shared vision, support and development of a high-quality learning environment that encompasses the entire academic experience. In addition to overseeing faculty and staff who coordinate, deliver and teach academic courses, the provost is charged with fostering creative alliances among campus and community members to develop educational programs and initiatives, assisting the four academic deans and school chairs in promoting faculty and program development, and providing leadership for strategic enrollment planning.

"UCM is a well-respected university and being able to join such a distinguished academic community is truly humbling. During my campus visit, UCM's deep commitments to fostering opportunity for students, serving the region, and considering how best to advance the mission and vision were confirmed. These commitments, along with encouraging and supporting my colleagues in their work, are also my leadership priorities," Bridgmon said.

"My family and I look forward to moving to Warrensburg this summer and joining in service to our new community and colleagues."

Bridgmon's background in higher education over the past 18 years includes serving as college professor, graduate program coordinator, department chair, dean, and as an associate and interim vice president for Academic Affairs. His current position as interim vice president for Academic Affairs at Arkansas Tech University began in spring of 2018. He has served as ATU's associate vice president for Academic Affairs and as accreditation liaison officer to the Higher Learning Commission since 2017. He also has served as an accreditation peer reviewer for the Higher Learning Commission and Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

In his role as interim vice president at ATU, Bridgmon is an education leader at the third largest institution in the state of Arkansas. The university has multiple campuses and achieved a record enrollment of approximately 12,000 students last fall. Bridgmon's duties include providing oversight for a budget of about \$50 million while working with numerous direct reports that include deans of seven academic colleges as well as the directors of the Pendegraft Library and Technology Center, Honors Program, Information Systems, Assessment, Registrar, and associate vice presidents for University Initiatives and

Student Success. He also serves as the liaison to the Arkansas Department of Higher Education.

Bridgmon's previous leadership appointments include serving as dean of the College of Liberal Arts at Northeastern State (Oklahoma) University, 2012-2017 and liaison to the Cherokee Nation for Cherokee Language Education and Culture Programs; founding chairperson for what is today the Department of Politics, Justice, and Law at the University of North Alabama, 2007-2012; and graduate program coordinator, 2004-2007 and 2009-2011.

The new provost has many years of teaching experience in a college classroom. While working for the University of North Alabama from 2004-2012, he climbed the academic ranks from assistant professor to professor, having taught both criminal justice and political science courses. He also joined Northeastern State University as a tenured professor, and has served as a tenured professor of political science at ATU since he began work on that campus. Early in his career he served as a visiting instructor at Grand Valley State University and as an assistant professor at James Madison University.

Bridgmon earned a bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of North Alabama, and a master's degree in criminal justice and a Ph.D. in political science from the University of Alabama.

He has co-authored three books on political science-related topics, and has contributed numerous articles and research papers to professional journals and made presentations on his research at conferences across the United States. His commitment to professional development has included summer fellowships at the University of Michigan, Harvard, and Vanderbilt University.





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UCM Camps this Summer

As the spring semester draws to a close and the UCM Class of 2019 graduates, the Warrensburg Convention and Visitors Center has provided the below list of camps and events that UCM will host this summer, bringing a variety of visitors to Warrensburg.

International Student Convention-ACE

May 25-30, est. 1,800 attendance

Central Summer Academy June 1-July 3, est. 20 attendance

UCM Women's Basketball (TEAM) June 2-4, est. attendance 180

FFA Public Speaking Camp June 4-6, attendance 80

UCM Football (TEAM) June 7-9, est. attendance 700

Missouri Leadership June 7-9, est. attendance 300

Boys State June 15-22, est. attendance 1,000

Softball Futures Camp June 17-19, est. attendance 40

UCM Men's Basketball (TEAM) June 19-21, est. attendance 600

Girls State June 23-29, est. attendance 860

Piano Camp June 23-28, est. attendance 20

Junior Mule Experience June 24-27, est. attendance 85

UCM Volleyball Skills July 4-5, est. attendance 80

EFY Brigham Young Camp July 8-13, est attendance 294

Family Camp July 10-13, est. attendance 600

UCM Volleyball-Overnight July 11-12, est. attendance 100

MOVE Youth Camp July 15-20, est. attendance 580

Lion's Club Football Camp July 16-20, est. attendance 60

Walsworth July 17-19, est. attendance 150

UCA Camp July 17-19, est. attendance 225

UCM Soccer-Elite Resident Camp July 19-21, est. attendance 95

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UDA Camp July 19-22, est. attendance 125



Call for Annual Awards Nominations

Chamber of Commerce

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The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce is seeking nominees for five upcoming awards that celebrate outstanding Chamber businesses, Chamber members, and volunteers making a difference in our community.

Award winners will be announced at the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce Annual Social event on July 18, 2019. Businesses and individuals can apply for these awards or may be nominated. A committee of volunteer judges will determine the winners. All nominees meeting the criteria will be recognized at the event and are therefore highly encouraged to be present at the Annual Social.

To be considered for a Business of the Year Award the Chamber Members business must set standards for excellence with their business practices and community involvement. There are two categories for this award: a business within their first two years and a business that has been in operation for over two years. To be considered for the Chamber Member of the Year Award the individual must show a high level of involvement and positive influence with the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce. To be considered for the Glazebrook Community Partner of the Year Award the individual must show exemplary leadership and a strong commitment to civic duties. Any member of the community is eligible for this award, regardless of their involvement with the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce.

For more information call the Chamber of Commerce at 660-747-3168 or for eligibility, guidelines and nomination forms, visit the website at warrensburg.org, or click the links below.

Glazebrook Community Partner of the Year

Chamber Member of the Year

Start Up Business of the Year

Business of the Year (<15 Employees)

Business of the Year (15+ Employees)



Pictured: Glazebrook Community Partner of the Year 2018 Scott Holmberg







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Tip: Should you take that call?

Dear Shepa Learning - can you help me out when I get into this situation?

"I am waiting for a friend/business associate/client to show up for an appointment, and my phone rings. It's someone I have been trying to speak to and who is hard to reach. I take the call and then my appointment shows up!

How does one handle this situation gracefully? It's awkward cutting the conversation short, and it's uncomfortable with the person I'm meeting standing right next to me.

Is taking the call and explaining that I might have only a minute to talk a good way to handle it? That could appear rude to the caller ... as in "I'm such a busy person, hardly have time for you..." Or is it better to let the call go through to voice mail?"

Answer: Make a snap decision on how hard it will be to reconnect with the caller. If you **must** pick up, explain the situation and only use the call to reschedule, pick a time then and there. But remember, taking that call puts you in two awkward positions --finding a way to shut down the telephone conversation gracefully and having your appointment cool their heels while you do this.

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Hot summer networking tip.

Don't be afraid to network with friends and family.

One of Dee Trethewey's tips from her article, Top Tips On How To Network As An Introvert got us thinking about upcoming summer networking opportunities. This was the tip: "Reach Out To Your Existing Network. This could include your family or friends. Or maybe even friends of your friends." Her suggestion ties in with our tip from last week about not being afraid to talk 'business' when you are in day-today social situations such as chatting with another parent at the schoolyard.

Summer is the time for barbeques and other social get-togethers with friends and family. After the small talk about the mosquitoes or what's grilling on the 'barbie' consider having a casual conversation about something that makes up 40 or 60 hours of your respective weeks-your job!

Friends and relatives all have networks and you may be pleasantly surprised by the advice and contacts offered up by these first-degree connections. During these conversations be a Positive Networker and think about what you can do for them. Can you be a connector and introduce them to someone? Can you share information or knowledge? Here are five easy things you can do for others, including your friends and relatives.

These are the 5 common interview questions you're probably answering wrona

Some interview questions may seem like gimmes, but they're actually not. For instance, you might think "tell me about yourself" will be a cinch to answer, but there is a right and wrong way to approach it. Same with, "Where do you see yourself in 10 years?" Read more: You're probably answering these 5 common interview questions wrong



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Knowing which financial and personal paperwork to keep or toss is very important. Here's a suggested timeline for keeping/ shredding documents.

Documents which should be kept indefinitely—in a secure location:

- Birth/death certificates and Social Security cards
- Marriage Licenses and Divorce Decrees
- Pension plan documents
- Copies of wills, trusts, health care proxies/living wills and powers of attorney (attorney/executor should have copies)
- Military discharge papers
- Copies of burial deeds and plots
- Safe-deposit box inventory
- Copies of all tax returns

Suggested timeline for retaining documents:

• **Supporting documents for tax return (7 years)** - This is the recommended minimum period of time to retain. Remember, tax return copies should remain on file forever.

• Investment records and statements (7 years) - These are needed for tax filing. Keep for at least 3 years. You may want to keep for the same amount of time as the supporting documents for tax returns.

• Credit card statements (45 days-7 years) - Keep up to seven years if it may be used for taxes, as proof of purchase or for insurance.

• **Bank statements (1-3+ years)** - Keep for 3 years or longer if you apply for Medicaid, or it pertains to taxes, a business expense, home improvement, mortgage payment or major purchase.

• Medical and dental records (1-5 years) - Keep for at least one year, maybe up to five to be safe. Retain information about prescriptions, specific medical histories, health insurance information and contact information for your physician.

• Utility and phone bills (1 month-1 year) - Shred them after you have paid them, unless they contain tax-deductible expenses—keep them for a year if they can be used for business deductions.

• **Insurance policies (until closed)** - Keep as long as the policies remain in force.

• Mortgages and other home documents (ownership + 6 years) - Mortgages, deeds and home improvement documents should be kept on file for the length of ownership, plus six years *after* selling the home.

• Appliance manuals and warranties (if owned) - Keep on file for the length of ownership.



• Vehicle titles and loan documents (if owned) - Keep on file for the length of ownership.

• Pay stubs (until end of year) - There is not a requirement for keeping pay stubs. Keep up to three months if you are applying for a loan. You may want to keep them for a year so you can compare against your W-2.

Be sure to shred any information that has your personal details on it. We hope you found this list helpful and informative.

Hope to see you at Shred Fest!



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Adobe Removing Older Software And Products Is Upsetting Users

Adobe is facing harsh criticism after they began sending letters out to portions of their user base. The letters inform users of Creative Cloud that older versions of the products they're using have been discontinued and licenses to use those products have been revoked. Users are to stop using them immediately and upgrade to newer versions or they "may be at risk of potential claims of infringement by third-parties."

CLICK HERE to see Adobe's discontinued versions

Unfortunately, this letter and its contents raise serious issues for developers around the world. Once a project has been initiated using a specific version of a product, Developers are highly reluctant to upgrade to a newer version in mid-project, for fear of introducing bugs. In addition to that, there are several older, legacy projects in the wild that are employing older equipment. So, upgrading to the latest version of a given program may not be possible due to hardware compatibility issues.

In days gone by, Adobe took a much different, softer approach, allowing development teams to continue using a discontinued program for a number of years. So far at least, Adobe is sticking to their guns. They intend for everyone to stop using the older versions of their products and insist that they pay to upgrade, or else.

Adobe declined to comment specifically on the matter. However, insiders suspect that the company's hard line about the issue stems from a lawsuit filed by Dolby for unpaid license fees related to the use of their technology in a variety of software Adobe makes. Be that as it may, it has the feel of a massive shakedown and it has even the company's supporters furious.

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The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce's mission is to create opportunities that drive commerce and promote business. One way we help do that is to direct newcomers or visitors to Warrensburg to our local businesses! These publications are handed out at community events, given away in our Welcome Bags that go out to Whiteman Air Force Base and various other locations, housed in our office and posted on our website.

The **Restaurant Guide** contains a list of restaurants, coffee shops, wineries, etc. in Warrensburg, as well as our Chamber members in Knob Noster. Our Chamber members are listed in bold in this publication.

Our **Relocation Information** brochure lists essential businesses and organizations to contact upon arrival to Warrensburg. This brochure only contains our Chamber members' information.

If you know someone who has recently moved to the area, or if you know someone interested in moving to Warrensburg, please refer them to our website at www.warrensburg.org to find these resources!



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A new approach to medical plans for small employers

The Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MCCI) and the Missouri Chamber Federation (MCF) have teamed up with The Health Plan (THP) in Missouri to create a health program that can lead to more rate stability and is a smart solution that offers potential savings for groups with 50 or fewer eligible employees.

This self-funded medical offering called the MCF Benefit Plan is a multiple employer welfare arrangement (MEWA). MEWAs enable smaller employers to join together to share in the overall claims risk. By being part of a larger, self-funded pool, employers have financial protection backed by The Heath Plan.

In addition to financial protection, this innovative alternative offers:

- · Competitive medically underwritten rates Fixed, predictable monthly payments
- · A variety of plan designs, including 10 PPO and three HSA options
- Access to the HealthLink OAIII network and Freedom Network Select
 Coverage for claims run-out / terminal liability coverage

ur business searching for a cost-saving health coverage option? The Viarrensb hole of Commerce is excited to offer a new plan exclusively for our chamber of comm bers. Our new program enables a mailer employers to join together-offering potents gs and the ability to share the overal claims risk. For more information, contact our them remotes exempter shared background and the same statement of the same statement of







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Small Business & Technology Development Centers

The Small Business Administration, the SBTDCs around the country to provide free and low-cost assistance to small businesses. They assist businesses with marketing, strategic planning, one-on-one business consultation, financial analysis planning, and a series of

hands on development programs for entrepreneurs. The Chamber works to bring these services to your attention. For assistance with finances contact Kelly Asbury with The Learning Force at 660-596-7350 or kasbury1@sfccmo.edu for assistance with starting a new business.

JOB LISTINGS

The Chamber is excited to announce a new benefit: a platform to list your job openings. If you would like to post current job openings, simply email the following information either in a word document or in the body of an email to staylor@warresnburg.org: Description of duties, open date, category i.e. clerical, banking, insurance etc., full or part time, title, salary range, education, how to apply and contact information. We can also share your job openings to our Facebook page—just note it on the email with the job opening information.

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For log-in information: Call the Chamber office at 660-747-3168 and we will give you instructions. Don't forget you can also sign up to receive updates.

Click on the picture to get the most current update!



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We are so excited to announce that the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce now offers text reminders.

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