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July 17th, 2020



Dear Chamber Members,

The Greater Warrensburg Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors have made a decision to reschedule the upcoming Annual Golf Tournament originally scheduled for July 24th, 2020. The new date has been planned for October 2nd, 2020 at the same location – Mules National Golf Course.

Chamber Chair Dustin Fritsch expressed his disappointment in having to postpone.

“It was a difficult decision, but one that had to be made in the interest of public health of our chamber and community members.”

The Chamber Board is excited for the new date and looking forward to a tournament in the beautiful Fall weather.

For more information, please contact the Chamber Office at 660-747-3168.

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Save the Date
**20th Annual Chamber
Golf Tournament**
Friday, Oct 2nd
Mules National Golf Club
7:30 AM Registration/Coffee
9:00 AM Tee Time
4-Person Scramble

>>> Upcoming Events <<<

**** All events in Warrensburg unless otherwise stated**
****Please practice social distancing and wear face coverings at our events**

Ribbon Cutting
EXOS Physical Therapy
Wednesday, July 22nd, 3 PM
312 E Young Ave

Chamber University—Digital Marketing Series
Content Creation & Facebook for Business
Open to the Public
Wednesday, July 29th, 11:45 AM
Virtual

Next Chamber FLASH Newsletter
Friday, August 7th

Young Professionals Winery Social
Thursday, August 13th, 5:15 PM
Arcadian Moon Winery

Love What's Local Dog Days of Summer Sale
Friday, August 14 & Saturday, August 15

Paint the Town Red
Deadline: 8 AM, Monday, September 14

Johnson County FREE COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING EVENT

Pre-register online or call 877-435-8411.



Tuesday, July 21
Noon to 8 PM

UCM Multipurpose Bldg.
Parking Lot
500 S. Washington
Warrensburg Mo.

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Find the FLASH publication online at www.warrensburg.org/FLASH



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Upcoming Chamber Events

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You are invited to a
Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
in celebration of new Warrensburg business
EXOS Physical Therapy & Sports Medicine

Wednesday, July 22nd
3:00 PM
312 E Young Avenue, Suite C
Warrensburg, MO

EXOS

WARRENSBURG YOUNG PROFESSIONALS



WINERY SOCIAL

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13TH
5:15 PM
ARCADIAN MOON WINERY

Click for the video recording:

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**Johnson County, MO
Face Coverings Order
What you need to know**

presented by representatives of the
Johnson County COVID-19 Task Force

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Love What's Local
**DOG DAYS OF
SUMMER SALE**
August 14 & 15
Participating Warrensburg Businesses

BUSINESSES - WANT TO PARTICIPATE?
Contact the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce at
660-747-3168 OR Warrensburg Main Street at 660-429-3988
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www.warrensburg.org

Event Info &
Participating Businesses:

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Paint the Town Red
Show your University of Central Missouri Spirit!



Save the Date!
Deadline to have
windows painted:
8 AM on Monday,
September 14th

Awesome Blossoms
2nd Place
Paint the Town Red 2019



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CHAMBER UNIVERSITY

DIGITAL MARKETING SERIES

Content Creation & Facebook for Business

This is the launch of the Chamber's newest benefit for members - a digital marketing series. This first webinar will cover content creation (Posts and Ads) and Facebook for Business - and good news, this one is open to **everyone!** You don't have to be a chamber member to attend, just someone who is interested in learning more about getting the most out of Facebook Marketing! You will walk away from this session with knowledge on accessing various FREE marketing tools and a list of ways to help market your specific business.

Wednesday, July 29th

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM

Zoom Webinar

Register at www.warrensburg.org/events



Presenters:

Eleanore Schmutz - Marketing Manager,
Western Missouri Medical Center

Annie McCoy - Assistant Professor
of Marketing, University of
Central Missouri



Chamber University: Digital Marketing Series

Session 1 - Open to the Public

Sessions 2 & 3 - Chamber Members Only

[Register Here!](http://www.warrensburg.org/events)

Our presenters:

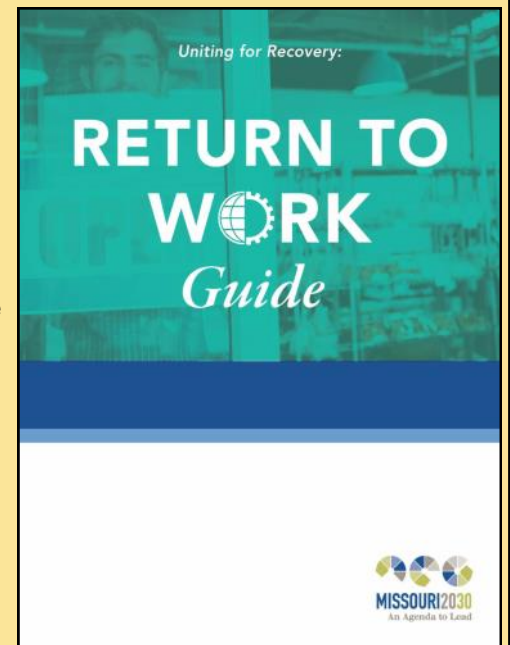
Eleanore Schmutz— Ellie Schmutz has been practicing design and marketing for nearly ten years and currently oversees and executes marketing and public relations for the 26 clinic health system. She is pursuing her Masters in Strategic Marketing with an undergraduate degree in graphic design and has worked in the health, travel, and small business building industries. [View her LinkedIn Profile.](#)

Annie McCoy— Annie McCoy is an Assistant Professor of Marketing at the University of Central Missouri. She teaches advertising, digital marketing and brand management. She has spent several years in the marketing department of Worlds of Fun where she focused on design and digital communication. One of her favorite past times is editing and designing on Adobe platforms.

COVID-19 Related Content



Missouri businesses have played a critical role in the effort to stop the spread of COVID-19. As local and statewide restrictions were put into place, many employers drastically altered their operations with some closing their doors completely. As the response continues, many employers across the state are working to develop strategies to enable them to reopen when the threat subsides. Based on the best practices, the Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry is providing the following guidelines and suggestions to assist businesses in their efforts to create safe workplaces for their employees and customers. Find the Guide [HERE](#).



Johnson County Community Health Services large decals for your floor or wall are available at our office - stop by and pick yours up!

Is your organization looking for some signage regarding COVID-19? Check out this page for FREE printable resources [HERE](#).

BACK TO BUSINESS GUIDE

AMERICA'S **SBDC** MISSOURI

As the Missouri SBDC, we know the many challenges that small business owners, like you, are facing due to the impact of COVID-19. We have seen you rise up to these challenges and be resilient because you care for your business, your families, your employees, and your community.

We created this workbook as a way to provide helpful information as you reopen your business. There are posters you can print to hang in your business, as well as checklists to guide you along the way.

Find the Guide [HERE](#).

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 Coordinator
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Mandatory Face Coverings Effective July 6 for Johnson County

WARRENSBURG, Mo. (July 1, 2020) – Johnson County has had a recent surge in confirmed positive COVID-19 cases. This has prompted Johnson County Community Health Services (JCCHS) to implement a face covering mandate. This order goes into effect beginning at midnight on Monday, July 6, 2020.

The countywide order will continue for 21 days, expiring midnight on Tuesday, July 28. This timeline can be rescinded or extended as necessary.

The order requires individuals to wear a face covering in any indoor public location including but not limited to retail stores, grocery stores, offices, places of worship and restaurants/bars. Businesses can supply face coverings if they have the ability to provide them, but can require individuals to bring their own.

In addition, face coverings are required in outdoor public gathering places when social distancing is not an option.

As of June 30, 2020, Johnson County experienced a 32.8 percent increase of confirmed cases over a ten day period.

"The health, safety and wellness for our communities are our biggest priorities. The recent spike in numbers has caused us to implement additional safety precautions to help slow the spread of COVID-19," said Mary Thaut, JCCHS administrator.

[READ MORE](#) [Official County Order HERE](#)

COVID-19 FAQs

Q: CAN PETS TRANSMIT THE COVID-19 VIRUS THE WAY OTHER CONTAMINATED OBJECTS OR SURFACES MIGHT?

A: Because your pet's hair is porous and also fibrous, it is very unlikely that you would contract COVID-19 by petting or playing with your pet. However, because animals can spread other diseases to people and people can also spread diseases to animals, it's always a good idea to wash your hands before and after interacting with animals; ensure your pet is kept well groomed; and regularly clean your pet's food and water bowls, bedding material, and toys.



#COVID19



Missouri Department
of Economic Development

Missouri Department of Economic Development announces up to \$30 million in grant funds for small businesses

July 14, 2020
 Jefferson City

The Missouri Department of Economic Development (DED) announced a new Small Business Grant Program that could provide up to \$30 million for Missouri small businesses. It was designed to provide relief to small businesses and family-owned farms for reimbursement of costs of business interruption caused by required closures due to the COVID-19 public health emergency.

"This virus isn't going away, and we have to protect both the lives and the livelihoods of Missouri workers, families and children," Department of Economic Development Director Rob Dixon said. "Thanks to today's action by the Governor we are not only reinvesting in our economy, but building up the success and safety of our state over the long term."

This program also factors in \$7.5 million for family-owned farms and family farm corporations. Those participating in the production of agricultural crops, livestock or livestock products, poultry or poultry products, dairy products, or horticulture products are eligible for this grant.

"We know that every segment of agriculture has felt the tremendous impact of COVID-19 and will for many years," Director of Agriculture Chris Chinn said. "We have continuously worked with Governor Parson and my colleagues across state government -- including DED and the General Assembly -- to provide support for the unmet needs of Missouri's family-owned farms and ranches."

Organizations eligible for this grant employ 50 or fewer employees, including the owner(s). Grant amounts are initially limited to \$50,000, and organizations applying must incur or have incurred costs due to COVID-19 between March 1, 2020 and November 15, 2020. Applications will consider industry, timely use of funds, and availability of funds.

DED will begin accepting applications for this grant on July 15, 2020. The department is focused on assisting the hardest hit industries including retail trade, accommodation, food service, and health care, in addition to family-owned farms. However, this grant is not limited to these industries.

For more information about this program and more, visit showmestrong.mo.gov.



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Community Info

ATTENTION WARRENSBURG!



Favorite Restaurant? Favorite Barber?
Favorite Boutique? Favorite Teacher?

YOUR VOTE COUNTS!

Online voting ends at 4:00pm on 8/3/2020
You can vote once per day per category

Best of the Burg businesses will be mentioned in our 2020 Daily Star-Journal Best of the Burg Awards Special Edition on 9/11/2020 and in the Star Advertiser on 9/16/2020.

WEST-CENTRAL INDEPENDENT LIVING SOLUTIONS

EMPOWERMENT SCHOLARSHIP

FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Who: HS Seniors with a disability in Benton, Henry, Johnson, Lafayette, Pettis, & Saline counties
What: \$500 towards continued education
How: Completed application packet
More details: W-ILS.org/transition-services
Deadline: July 15, 2020
Winner Announced: August 1, 2020

Johnson County Emergency Management selected to pilot online Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Program



"Our pilot program will be the first of its kind in the State of Missouri. We're beyond excited to share its success with SEMA and hope to be able to create the foundation for this type of training capability statewide!"

-Chief Deputy Director Cassidy Poteet



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The 2020 Census will provide data to small businesses that is essential to help them grow and succeed. This data can help businesses better understand how to serve their customers, where to open new locations, and where to find a skilled workforce. Respond to the 2020 Census online, by phone, or by mail for a complete and accurate census.

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UCM's Free Online Course Topic Include Small Business Marketing, Personal Finance, Job Search Success, Webpage Creation

The University of Central Missouri recently added a number of business-focused classes to its list of free online courses. All UCM free online courses are listed at this webpage and are free to UCM students as well as any interested person.

Students may sign up for any of the following free courses through June 30: Customer Service, Supervision and Management, Personal Finance, Steps to a Successful Job Search, Creating Webpages, Individual Excellence, Small Business Marketing on a Shoestring, Effective Communication and Marketing Your Business on the Internet. After enrolling, you have three months to finish these valuable learning opportunities.

In addition, individuals may enroll in any of the university's three free courses focusing on creativity and innovation. Sign-up deadline is Aug. 31. Courses are Creativity in Teams and Organizations, Introduction to Critical Thinking and Personal Creativity. Adult learners completing all three courses have the opportunity of enrolling in a fourth course -- Innovation in Teams and Organizations, available for \$79. The creativity and innovation courses are also available at the webpage which is provided below.

For more information:

Go to: <https://www.ucmo.edu/future-students/workforce-and-professional-education/face-to-face-workforce-programs/>

Contact Jeff Murphy at jmurphy@ucmo.edu or call 4640

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GET INVOLVED & MAKE CONNECTIONS

MEMBER RELATIONS COMMITTEE

- Contact & welcome new chamber members
- Make introductions at ribbon cuttings
- Visit businesses during Small Business Week
- Help with chamber membership renewals
- Other membership tasks



IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN JOINING,
CONTACT RMOSLEY@WARRENSBURG.ORG

Shout Out



"Not only did Central Bank of Warrensburg celebrate our 36th anniversary yesterday, but we are excited to announce the Bank's Board of Directors appointed Marshall Abney as the new Bank President. Marshall previously served as Senior Vice President and Lending Manager. In addition to this, the Board approved Richard Lloyd as Vice Chairman of the Board. Steve Abney will continue to serve as Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board.

Please join us in congratulating them on their accomplishments!" - Central Bank of Warrensburg



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CONTACT

Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce
(660) 747-3168

Chamber Gift Certificates Donated to Essential Workers and Volunteers



Photo: Warrensburg Senior Center Director Melissa Gower receives donated gift certificates from Chamber Executive Director Suzanne Taylor and Chamber Board Member Kathy Baldrige. Recipients included Senior Center Meals on Wheels drivers and volunteers, along with other food service and center volunteers.

Warrensburg, MO (July 8, 2020) – The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce in collaboration with Murdock Banner Financial Group donated Chamber gift certificates to essential workers and volunteers throughout the community as a Thank You for their hard work during the COVID-19 Pandemic. These gift certificates were fundraised from Murdock Banner Financial Group's Annual Shred Fest on Saturday, June 20th, where donations of free-will were accepted in exchange for secure document shredding.

The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce gift certificate program benefits business members and the Warrensburg community. This program directs customers to local businesses' doors and helps keep consumer dollars right here in Warrensburg.

To see a full list of Gift Certificate participants, visit www.warrensburg.org/gift-certificates/. For more information, call the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce at 747-3168 or email chamber@warrensburg.org.

Anniversaries



Happy 20 Years in
Business to Nightwatch
Security & Telephone!

Happy 15 Years in
Business to
Warrensburg Ford!



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New Members

CANCUN MEXICAN RESTAURANT

Cancun Mexican Cuisine

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<https://www.doordash.com/store/cancun-mexican-restaurant-warrensburg-617369/en-US>

708 N Charles, Warrensburg

"Warrensburg's most fun and lively Mexican restaurant! Nightly drink specials, beautiful atmosphere, room for large parties and great food!"

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Chamber Member Events


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ETHICS SEMINAR

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 HOW TO RECOGNIZE


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EXPERT PANEL:
 BILL ANGLE, ATTORNEY AT LAW
 DR. MARCIE SHEA, PSYCHIATRIST
 LORI MYERS, BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL

August 5, 2020 11 AM - 1 PM | HEROES RESTAURANT BANQUET ROOM
 \$20/EACH | LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED

WMMC.com/ethicsseminar

Reserve your spot today! Call Jennie Snapp at (660)262-7464 or jsnapp@wmmc.com

WARRENSBURG FARMERS' MARKET

FIRST RESPONDER'S DAY





Saturday, July 18th • 8 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.




4TH ANNUAL BACK TO SCHOOL EVENT



FRESH 4 SUCCESS
 AUGUST 16, 17, & 24
 8am - 4pm

Sponsors, Volunteers, & Donations Needed

Haircut by **APPOINTMENT ONLY**
 (Booking Link Available August 3rd)

Masks are **REQUIRED**

FREE HAIRCUTS!!!
 For All School Age Kids.


FREE SHOES & SCHOOL SUPPLIES
 For Kids in Need

All-Starz: 139 W Pine Street
 3rd Annual Carlyle Basketball Tournament is cancelled.
 Donations of New UNOPENED shoes and supplies are still needed.

Watch for our SIGN UP link for our first Fresh4Success send off parade.

816-345-5735 / 660-362-1276

f: @allstarzbarbershop2014 i: @allstarzbarbershop
 a: @all-starz1 e: www.allstarzllc.com



HAPPY Birthday

We are turning 4! We will be celebrating all day! Celebrations will include free pizza & wing samples for customer appreciation, giveaways & a live band in the evening! If you haven't heard Little Dixie Revival, you are in for a treat. [Follow the event](#) as we will provide more details and a schedule as we get closer.



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URGENT NEED FOR BLOOD

Western Missouri Medical Center

Monday, July 27

8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Donor Bus

Burkhardt Road and East Gay

Appointments are **REQUIRED** to donate;
walk-ins will not be accepted at this time.

For information regarding CBC's response to COVID-19, visit [savealifenow.org/coronavirus](https://www.savealifenow.org/coronavirus).

 **Community Blood Center**
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Book your appointment today at [savealifenow.org/group](https://www.savealifenow.org/group).
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For additional details contact Carly Kellogg
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Big Brothers Big Sisters

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Harry Potter

TRIVIA
NIGHT

Date: 07/23/2020 at 6:30pm

Location: Zoom- virtual

Gather your friends, family, coworkers, girlfriends, boyfriends, neighbors, brothers, sisters.... anyone can join your team! Step up with us as we Defend the Potential of youth in our community! Gather your team of six and test your knowledge on Harry Potter, Friends, Marvel/DC Universe and general knowledge. Play inside, play outside, play with friends in another state, be your own team of one, the options just go on and on with this special event.

Team of up to six people - \$100

Single player added to a team by BBBS - \$20

Click here to register for the event, sponsor a team and donate in support of this event:

https://4agc.com/commerce_pages/5136f1c3-108d-441c-8477-e3188c644fcd?fbclid=IwAR1ZGbv0G8URr_sIUFRwYL87B4HP5g6X4s0mOrwRxJQYL8Dflg00TDe9k84

Prizes will be awarded to the winning team.

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WEBINAR



Join us for our July Webinar: Security for the Remote Home User

Join LammTech CEO Robert Lamm as he discusses what to consider in order to be a secure remote worker. We'll talk about everything from Shared Devices to File Sharing, as well as Internet Connectivity and making sure you're still properly backing up your data. This is one you won't want to miss!

July 28th from 10:00 am - 11:00 am CST

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Johnson County United Way Fundraiser

Saturday, August 22nd, 9:30 AM—11:30 AM

There will be a Hurts Donut sale during the Youth United Chalk Walk. Go online and place your order! Orders must be in by August 7th. Cash payment at time of pickup.

Youth United Chalk Walk

Saturday, August 22nd, 9:30 AM—1 PM

Hawthorne Plaza Shopping Center

Get out of the house and have some fun! Bring the family artist(s) and draw a design in one of the chalk boxes in the parking lot of Hawthorne Plaza.

<https://jocouw.org/upcoming-events/>



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RISE COMMUNITY SERVICES

COLOR ME KIND FUNDRAISING GALA

To benefit RISE Autism Program
Thursday October 1, 2020 from 6-9 PM
Johnson County Fairgrounds
Dress: Colorful & Casual

FIRST FRIDAY

art walk

AUGUST 7

WANT TO PARTICIPATE?

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October
3rd, 2020

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Warrensburg, MO

Five Wishes Advance Care Planning Event



1 p.m. July 22, 2020
Online or by Telephone
using Zoom

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You will have an opportunity to learn about the "Five Wishes" advance health care directive and "I Have Put My House in Order," a fill-in-the-blank booklet that provides essential information about one's home, family, estate planning, funeral plans, finances, and life insurance. Copies are free by request.



DSMP Diabetes Self- Management Program

WHEN:

Beginning, Wednesday
August 5, 2020 for six
weeks

TIME & LOCATION:
9:30am-12:00pm for six
weeks

Virtual Via Zoom

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED:

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Unable to Meet Historical Standard of Celebration, UCM Cancels Commencement Exercises Scheduled For Aug. 1

WARRENSBURG, MO (July 16, 2020) – After weighing the desire to provide the same kind of quality commencement experience that other University of Central Missouri graduates have enjoyed against current, increasing limitations posed by COVID-19, UCM today announced it is canceling commencement exercises planned for Saturday, Aug. 1. Campus leaders will continue evaluating ways to appropriately honor spring and summer 2020 graduates and their families, and will keep the campus community informed of any such plans. Individuals who were eligible to walk during the August ceremony also have the option to participate in the December 2020 or May 2021 ceremonies.

“Commencement is a proud tradition we have celebrated for 149 years, so it is incredibly disappointing we will not be able to conduct a ceremony in August, particularly understanding what it means for our students and their families,” said UCM President Roger Best. “While much planning has taken place, we have determined that the manner in which we were having to move forward with commencement against the backdrop of this very fluid and unpredictable environment did not allow us to fully honor our graduates as we have done throughout the university’s history.” [READ MORE](#)

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Dedication to UCM Social Media Contributes to Schleicher’s Selection for Foster-Inglish PR Award

WARRENSBURG, MO (July 10, 2020) – Described by his supervisor as someone who is intuitive, strives for excellence, and is a problem solver, Sam Schleicher has been named the 2020 recipient of the Foster-Inglish Award for Outstanding Achievement and Service in Public Relations at the University of Central Missouri.

The award was created in 2000 to honor outstanding work in the university’s Office of Public Relations, which today is named Integrated Marketing and Communications (IMC) to reflect the multi-faceted communications responsibilities shared by staff members. The award was made possible by John Inglish, university director emeritus of public relations, who established an endowment through the UCM Foundation the year he retired to honor his longtime friend and mentor, Carl Foster, who retired as director emeritus of public relations in 1986 after 19 years of service to the university. Inglish, a longtime Warrensburg resident, devoted more than 27 years to UCM’s public relations office before he retired in 2000. [READ MORE](#)

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Dear Reader,

The coronavirus pandemic has caused widespread disruption to the lives of everyone in our communities. Difficulties related to the pandemic have required all of us to rethink how we do business and conduct our lives from day to day. The [Daily Star-Journal](#) has not been immune to these struggles, and we too have had to rethink the way we do business going forward. In the spirit of our commitment to deliver trustworthy news and information to the Warrensburg community, we have two very important business changes to share with you:

In the coming days, the [Daily Star-Journal](#) will be eliminating the Tuesday print edition. This change becomes effective the week of July 13th when the Tuesday and Friday editions will be combined to create a single weekly edition published on Friday, July 17th. The *Star-Journal* will publish weekly, each Friday, thereafter with the *Star-Advertiser* continuing to publish on Wednesdays.

As many of you may know, the [Daily Star-Journal](#) building at 135 E. Market St. has been sold. [READ MORE](#)

July 15, 2020

Central Missouri Speedway Returns to Action Saturday with Heartland Waste Night!



(Warrensburg, Missouri) Central Missouri Speedway (CMS) is set to resume action on Saturday after taking last weekend off. Classes set to compete on Heartland Waste Race Night include A-Mods, Street Stocks, B-Mods, Mod-Lites, and Pure Stocks.

Drivers will compete in weekly championship racing throughout the program, including preliminary heat races and main events during the timeliest and most efficiently ran race program in the Midwest. Weekly “to win” money for classes includes B-Mods for \$500 to win, Street Stocks \$400, Mod-Lites \$300, and Pure Stocks \$270. [READ MORE](#)



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Business Articles



A stunning reminder of the power of networks.

TIP: Sadly, it's all about networks.

Here at Shepa Learning we are *evangelists for the power of face-to-face networking*, but we are seeing the effects when bad things happen to our good networks.

This is not really a *Positive Networking®* tip as much as it's a stunning reminder of the power of networks.

If you haven't seen this [New York Times interactive presentation](#) of how the coronavirus spread in the USA it is one of the most potent visualizations of what happens when a virus attaches to our networks.

We are looking forward to the uncoupling of the two, but in the meantime stay safe and wear a mask to let others know you respect them and are committed to being part of the solution.

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7 job search rules you should break now

These pieces of conventional wisdom could actually be holding you back

The travel industry will survive COVID-19, but with big changes

Execs at Hyatt, Airbnb, Kayak, and more predict what the travel industry must do to survive the coronavirus pandemic.

These 10 essential browser tweaks fix the web's biggest annoyances

Say "so long" to perpetual cookie pop-ups, impossible-to-read pages, and other internet irritations.

How many years have we been 'telecommuting'?



TIP: This stat may surprise you.

The term "telecommuting" was first popularized in the early 1970s. The work world took fifty years to get to this point, and now it's here in a very big way. What digital skills do you need to sharpen?

In a Forbes article, "[Want To Be A Remote Worker? Get These Digital Skills](#)" Michelle V. Rafter asked a group of experts for the must-have digital skills for remote work. These skills fall into four categories:

1. **File-sharing platforms** such as Google Drive, Dropbox, Box
2. **Videoconferencing applications** such as Zoom, BlueJeans, Skype, WebEx
3. **Enterprise communications platforms** such as Slack or Microsoft Teams
4. **Collaboration apps** such as Basecamp, Asana and Trello (plus Slack and Teams)

We would add: **Be on top of the latest updates.** For example: [Slack Connect](#)

Become proficient in using these digital skills because we won't be getting 50 years to get up to speed.

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How to promote yourself without sounding obnoxious

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Love What's Local is a collaborative campaign between Warrensburg Main Street, Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce and the City of Warrensburg to educate and encourage Warrensburg residents to purchase local goods and use local services. Loving What's Local helps create and maintain local jobs, support locally owned businesses and community nonprofits, encourage unique businesses that add community character, reduce environmental impact of out-shopping, and provide sales tax dollars to be spent locally. Love What's Local organizes annual events (listed below) to promote its mission.

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Restaurant Week

Restaurant Week is a promotion designed to encourage community members to Love What's Local by trying a new restaurant or menu item, or visiting an old favorite. Restaurant Week is not about getting a super deal on your meal, but provides a structured opportunity to let guests be more comfortable trying new things. A \$10 Lunch and \$25 Dinner is offered by participating restaurants.



Dog Days of Summer Sale

The Dog Days of Summer Sale is a two day event held in August. Businesses may have merchandise outside their store, or offer a sale inside their store. Participating businesses will have a Love What's Local flag in front of their business and will also be listed on the Love What's Local Facebook page.

Clean the Burg

This two day event is to encourage community volunteerism and to beautify our town. Residents, families, community groups, businesses, churches and teenagers who need to perform service hours can come up with a projects and implement them during the event. Those who participate are encouraged to share their photos on social media with the hashtag #CleanTheBurg.



Holiday Open Houses

Holiday Open Houses is a two day event where businesses display their holiday merchandise and offer deals and/or treats to customers. Offerings are listed in a guide that is posted on the Warrensburg Chamber website, the Warrensburg Main Street website and on the Love What's Local Facebook Page.



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UPDATE YOUR BUSINESS HOURS



Add the hours your business is open (i.e. the regular customer-facing hours of operation for a typical week). For days when you have unusual hours, like holidays or special events, **set special hours**. Learn more about hours guidelines:

To set hours, follow these steps:

- Sign in to Google My Business. If you have multiple locations, open the location you'd like to manage.
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- Next to "Add hours" or your current business hours, click Hours.
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- When you've finished entering all of your special hours, click **Apply**. Your special hours will appear to customers on Google only for the designated days.



- Log in to your Facebook account and go to your Business Page.
- Click About on the left side of your Business Page.
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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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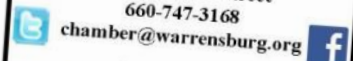
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