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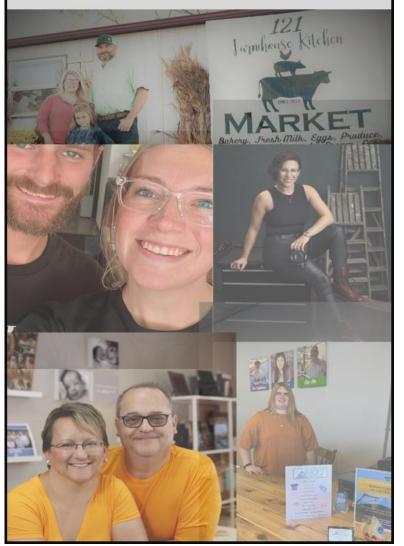
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NOVEMBER 18TH, 2022

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When you support a small business an actual person does a little happy dance!

November 26



>>> Upcoming Events <<

Ribbon Cutting: RISE Racks November 18, 10 AM RISE Racks

1125 N Simpson, Ste K, Warrensburg, MO

Shop Small Saturday

November 26, All Day Participating Retailers

2022 Annual Holiday Parade

December 2, 6 PM Holden Street Parade Route

Father Christmas on the Amtrak

December 3, 9:57 AM Warrensburg Train Depot 100 S Holden St

Ribbon Cutting: Moonlit Petrichor

December 16, 12:45 PM Moonlit Petrichor 111 E Culton St

MLK Luncheon January 11, 11:45 AM

Click here for more Chamber events

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Chamber Events & Info.





Friday, December 2nd

Holiday Parade

Parade start at 6:00 PM Located on Holden Street and Courthouse Lawn

Saturday, December 3rd

Father Christmas on the Train

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Father Christmas arriving at the Warrensburg Train
Depot (9:57)

Center Stage Academy of the Performing Arts scenes of *The Nutcracker*

Dickens' Christmas

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Located in Downtown Warrensburg

Business Birthdays

Est. 2001 Collision Leaders, Casey Lund

Est. 2008 Johnson County Central Dispatch

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Est. 2015 Jimmy John's Gourmet Sandwiches

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Est. 2021 Edward Jones, Jeff Tilley

Est. 2021 Lash & Dash Essentials with Red Aspen











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Whiteman Spirit Alliance

Cookie Drive

Spread holiday cheer to our Airmen by joining the Warrensburg Military Affairs Committee in baking cookies for the Cookie Drive!

Drop off your solid in texture homemade cookies (no gooey frosting) to the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce office by 5 PM on December 15th. Warrensburg Chamber Executive Director and Military Affairs Committee member, Suzanne Taylor, will deliver the cookies to Whiteman Air Force Base to be assembled into packages for the Airmen in the dormtories.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL US AT (660) 747-3168







Our Marketing and Communications Coordinator, Rebekah Mauschbaugh (me) celebrates her Birthday today, November













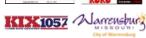












Shout Outs!



Erich (LammTech)

Congrats on 13 years at LammTech, Erich! -Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce

UCM

On November 11th, UCM approved a proposal allowing in-state tuition for military and veteran dependents! Way to go! Check out the full Press Release on page 20. -Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce



SPIRIT OF ENTERPRISE

Dan Houx

Congratulations to Rep. Dan Houx, a 2022 Spirit of Enterprise honoree! -Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce











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Community Information



Warrensburg Tiger

November 1-15 Schedule

- Nov 17-19: High School Musical Production
- Nov 18: Blood Drive @ WHS Freshman Career Day
- Nov 21-25: Thanksgiving Break
- Nov 28: Winter Meet the Tigers @WHS Main Gym



Attention Missouri students!

Help educate drivers on the importance of why they need to STOP when the school bus stop arm is up. Accepted works include:



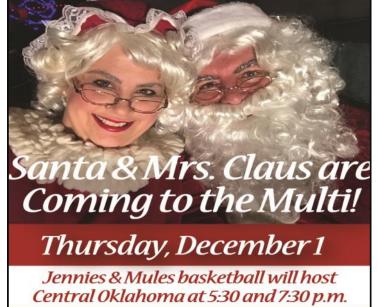
The contest is open to all K-12 students in Missouri. An individual student may produce the contest entry or students may work in teams.

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ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 11:59 PM ON DECEMBER 9, 2022. First, second and third place winners will be awarded prize money!

Visit www.mosba.org/ces/ for guidelines, and more information.

SHOW-ME I'm Worth Stopping For Contest Contact: Amy Roderick, Director #ShowMeBusSafety MSBA's Center for Education Safety | 573-638-7501 x 420 | roderick@mosba.org | ces@mosba.org



Fans are invited to donate a new unwrapped toy or make a monetary donation to Toys for Tots. Anyone who makes at least a \$10 donation will receive a free value basket meal coupon from Culver's of Warrensburg.

Santa will be there from halftime of the Jennies game to halftime of the Mules game.

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Dear Supporter,

The 2022 Marine Corp Toys For Tots (TFT) Campaign has started! Our efforts will benefit children in need in several counties in the Missouri area during the Holiday

We request from you, through this letter, to be a part of our charity by donating New Toys, Gift Cards, Services, Campaign supporting products, and or Tax Deductible monetary amounts, that you deem convenient for this purpose. We assure you that the amounts will not be misused and will reach the needy. 100% of all toys or monies donated will stay local.

Services and Goods will be used to support the growth and success of the 2022 Toys for Tots Campaign and benefit needy children in our area.

Please Donate On-Line or make checks payable to "Toys For Tots" Contact local Coordinator if you wish to offer Services or Goods as needed.



Your donation will:



- 1. Help to fulfill Christmas holiday dreams of the regions neediest children.
- 2. Help less fortunate children become productive, responsible citizens.
- Aligning with one our nation's flagship Christmas charitable causes.
 Support a positive, uplifting cause during a joyous season.
- 5. Creates goodwill with customers.

ous Requested Donations include, but not limited to:

- Media & IT Support
- Office & Warehouse Materials
- Gift Cards
- TFT Delivery vehicle TFT Warehouse & Storage

We truly appreciate the consistent support Toys for Tots has received from past and future sponsors and supporters. It is comforting to know that we can rely on your benevolence for our program.

Thank you for your Time, Efforts, and Support.

Respectfully Submitted

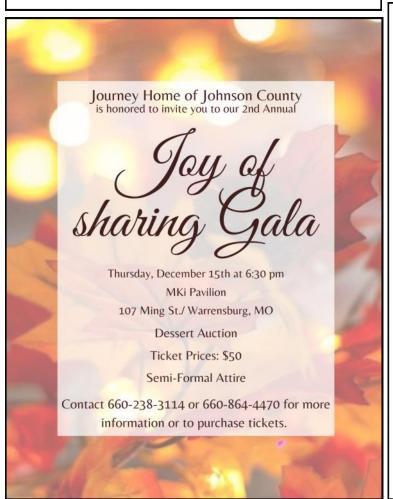
Jerome Coleman USMC

Toys For Tots Region 4 Coordinator-Warrensburg, MO cell# (773) 683-4744 - 750 Arnold Ave WAFB, MO 65305 Unit 6022 warrensburg.mo@toysfortots.org



Semper Fi!









Christmas Store 2022

Dear Friends,

In December our surrounding community will come together to host The Christmas Store 2022. This will be the 49th year we have worked to help provide a Christmas meal for those struggling with food insecurity.

While the need for The Christmas Store has unfortunately increased, the ability for smaller churches and many individuals to volunteer has diminished. Therefore, we will once again rely on financial contributions to enable this worthwhile mission to continue. Our plan is to distribute vouchers to those in need to purchase food for a Christmas meal. Last year we signed up 362 families. This year we anticipate over 400. To meet this need, we expect to spend approximately \$50,000.

One way you can support our efforts is by sharing this information with your friends, neighbors, churches and civic groups and by writing a check to The Christmas Store. Please note that The Christmas Store has found a new home under the tax-deductible umbrella of The Food Center of Johnson County. As such, all correspondence and donations should be sent to:

*****The Christmas Store*****

P.O. Box 872

Warrensburg, MO 64093

Or donate online at: foodcenterjoco.com

If you need more information, call 660-624-9015.

Thanks to you, Christmas will be extra special for these families.

Sincerely,

Christmas Store Co-chairs Marlyne Maple, Sacred Heart Church Sue Cottrill, Bethlehem Lutheran Church



























Welcome, New Members!



Event Recap!





WIN hosted a coffee at WMMC Wishing Well on November 8th and was able to gift a basket of toys to children in the





Corina Villareal and Jamie List hosted a joint Mix, Mingle, & Manifest on November 8th where participants made Vision Boards and had a birthday party.

The Member Relations Committee #CashMob struck Kansha Hibachi on November 15th!



















Featured Membe

What made you want to get a membership with the chamber?

The promotional assistance and the sense of belonging.

What do you love most about Warrensburg?

I love the artistic small town feeling that Warrensburg has.

Why are you passionate about your business?

I love creating and sharing beautiful products with the community.

What makes your business unique?

I feel my eclectic Victorian aesthetic sets me apart from the other local businesses. I also pride myself on the fact that 90% of the items in my shop are hand-crafted by Missouri artisans like myself.

How long have you owned your business?

Moonlit Petrichor was establishes in 2020 as a home-based business.



https://www.moonlitpetrichor.com/

111 E Culton St Warrensburg, MO 64093



In what ways has your business helped the local community?

Moonlit Petrichor helps the community by offering a new place for local artisans to display and sell their work.

How and why did you get started in this line of

I purchased a bar of soap from another local artist and fell in love. It made my skin feel great, while soothing my need to be more eco-conscious. I knew from that point that I wanted to create my own great soap. What started as a hobby, quickly became a joyous way to make money.

What is your favorite aspect of your job?

I love meeting new people and putting a smile on their face. That said, I do really enjoy being my own boss!

In what ways has your business grown and developed over the years?

I established Moonlit Petrichor right when Covid hit, so the early vendor shows were hit or miss. It has gone from those handful of vendor shows throughout 2020, to shows most weekends and a website in 2021-2022, to a full-time brick-and-mortar storefront in late 2022.

In your opinion, what is the most enjoyable part of being able to serve the Warrensburg Community?

Getting to interact with the awesome people that come in to my shop day in and day out.



























Job Postings

























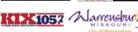




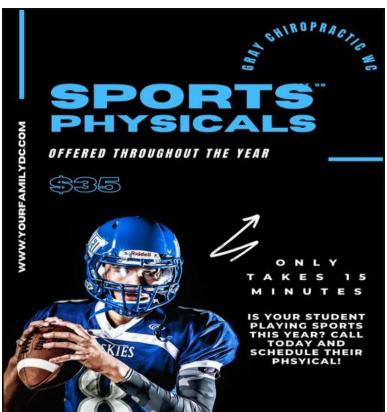






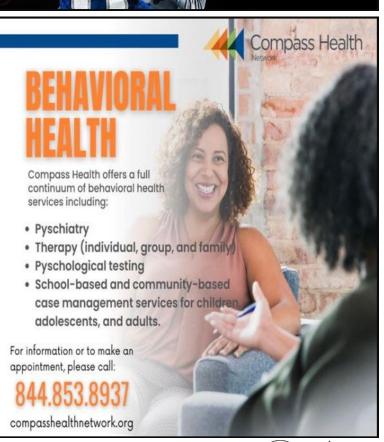


Health Related Content



View the Johnson County Community Health Services calendar by clicking here





Health Insurance Open Enrollment Enrollment November 1, 2022-January 15, 2023 FREE, IN-PERSON ENROLLMENT HELP IS AVAILABLE IN YOUR COMMUNITY























Chamber Member Events

TREE OF STARS BANNER PROGRAM



In addition to our normal Tree of Stars program, for a limited time only, we are offering an additional option.

Individuals, businesses, organizations and families may sponsor a 24x48" banner in honor or in memory of their favorite veteran OR in honor of a staff member for \$225.



Banners are two-sided and may include a photo of the veteran or staff member. Photos need to be high resolution and good quality. 8x10's work the best.

This is a GREAT way to honor a special veteran in your life or honor your child, grandchild, parent or spouse who works at the Veterans Home.

THE DEADLINE IS WEDNESDAY, NOV. 23, the day before Thanksgiving.

Please make your donation payable to the: Veterans Assistance League "Tree of Stars", and send it to: 1300 Veterans Road, Warrensburg, MO 64093. Please fill out the banner dog tag form with your message.

Note the limited amount of characters.

For more information, call Latisha Koetting, Supervisor of Volunteer Services, at (660) 429-4661

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

Personalize a message to be placed on a dog tag banner.

You have 44 characters on the big dog tag and 20 characters on the small one.

EXAMPLE:

LINE 1: YOU ARE OUR (11 CHARACTERS) LINE 2: INSPIRATION! (12 CHARACTERS)

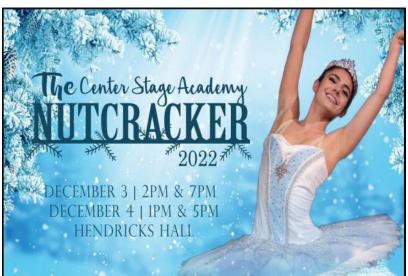
LINE 3: WE ARE (6 CHARACTERS) LINE 4: PROUD OF YOU! (13 CHARACTERS)

LINE 5: LOVE, YOUR (10 CHARACTERS)

LINE 5: CHILDREN (8 CHARACTERS)



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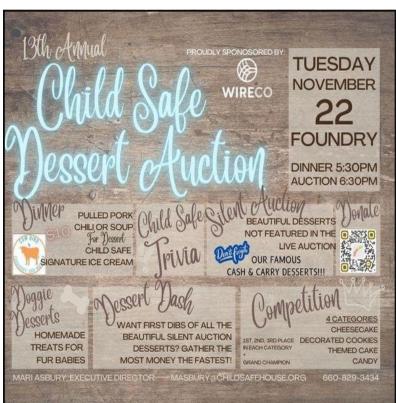








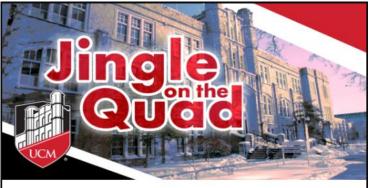












GET INTO THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT!

JINGLE ON THE QUAD LIGHTING CEREMONY 4:30-6:30 P.M. THURSDAY, DEC. 1, 2022

Help us kick off the season with this new UCM tradition! The lighting ceremony will begin with a presentation on the steps of the Administration Building, where results from Giving Tuesday will be announced, and one lucky winner will flip the switch to light up all five of the UCM Quad buildings for the holiday season!

The event will also feature free cookies and a hot chocolate bar, along with appearances by





























Business Articles



TIP: Why you shouldn't leave your personal life at the door.

"Despite claiming "people are our greatest asset," too many executives still expect employees to leave their personal lives at the door when they come to work. Yet Gallup data shows that having a best friend at work is strongly linked to business outcomes."

While the article shares lots of reasons why it's important to create a culture at work that allows friendships to bloom, Gallup's findings also show that "having a best friend at work has an even greater impact on important outcomes — like workers' likelihood to recommend their workplace, intent to leave, and overall satisfaction."

Read More

TIP: Are your emails unintentionally passive-aggressive?

Last week we shared Adam Grant's idea on how to reduce the time spent on email. This week we are looking at how the words we choose can be misinterpreted by the reader.

WordFinder by Your Dictionary set out to discover the most passive-aggressive terms people use in work emails. There are **eighteen (!!)** on the list and the **top ten** include "Please advise", "Friendly reminder", "As per my last email", "Circling back", and "Per our last conversation".

We confess we have used some of these and found it surprising that a phrase that seemed polite, can backfire because "people read it with a different tone" than you expected.

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7 soft skills recruiters value during uncertain hiring times

Technical and functional skills are important, but hiring managers are also seeking candidates with soft skills that are especially relevant in a workplace transformed by the pandemic.

Why you're still not happy after scoring a big win The post-achievement blues are more common than you think. Here's what's happening.





















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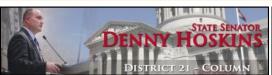


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Carson First at UCM to Receive NIJ Grant: Will Pursue Study Contributing to Better Understanding of Left-Wing and Environmental Terrorism in U.S.

WARRENSBURG, MO (Nov. 8, 2022) – The principal investigator of a research project designed to develop data sources that could potentially inform law enforcement policy and counterterrorism efforts, Jennifer Carson, Ph.D., professor of criminology and criminal justice at the University of Central Missouri, has been awarded a \$506,497 grant from the National Institute of Justice (NIJ). This three-year financial award includes collaboration with faculty members at three other institutions in the United States and abroad.

Carson, who also serves as director of UCM's Honors College, learned in September that the grant proposal submitted to the NIJ, with assistance from Sarah Craig, director of Sponsored Programs and Research Integrity at UCM, has been funded through the NIJ Fiscal Year 2022 Research and Evaluation on Domestic Radicalization and Violent Extremism program. The grant to UCM was one of only two awards nationally that received funding under this initiative, and it is the first grant the NIJ has ever awarded to UCM.

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UCM Announces In-State Tuition Rate for Military and Veteran Dependents

WARRENSBURG, MO (Nov. 11, 2022) – While the University of Central Missouri has a longstanding commitment to making higher education more affordable for individuals who currently serve in the military as well as veterans, UCM is not forgetting the families of those who dedicate their lives to this country. When it met on campus recently, UCM's Board of Governors approved a recommendation to expand the university's in-state tuition rates to dependents of service members and veterans.

Bill Hawley, vice president for finance and operations at the university, presented the dependent tuition proposal to the board, noting that it aligns with best practices and also is in compliance with Veterans Affairs (VA) requirements related to students who are using transfer of entitlement under Post-9/11 GI Bill® and the Survivors and Dependents Educational Assistance Program. Following board approval, it is now effective for fall 2023.

This measure benefits dependents of active duty, guard, and reserve members of the military regardless of the state where the military member is serving. It also applies to dependents of veterans who do not have VA educational entitlement, and to dependents who have exhausted their VA educational entitlement, according to Hawley.

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News & Knowledge

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Kinship Connection to Meet in Warrensburg

WARRENSBURG, Mo. (November 11,

2022) - Care Connection has partnered with ParentLink of University of Missouri to present a regular support group for grandparents and other relatives raising children in Johnson County. The next meeting will be from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 15, and continue the third Tuesday of every month at the Trails Regional Library, 432 N. Holden St.

All participants will receive a gift pack at each meeting, and the program will offer kinship caregiver credit for licensure through the state of Missouri.

Each session will provide practical information that adults 55 and older can use in their daily role as a grandparent or relative raising a child. Topics include challenges and stressors, wellbeing of children, and ways to help oneself and family.

ParentLink has curriculum that covers parenting subjects such as grief, valuing cultural differences, trauma, the impact of substance abuse, providing stability, and self-esteem.

Participation in the group is free. To learn more, call Tammy Wilkey at 660-438-3300, ext. 3, or Lisa Lewis at 800-748-7826.

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Generous \$5M Gift Supports Global Vision Endowment Exemplifying UCM's Role in Providing 'Education for Service'

WARRENSBURG, MO (Nov. 10, 2022) -The Global Vision Endowment, a program that has helped engage more than 100 University of Central Missouri students in service to individuals living in impoverished areas around the globe, is receiving a significant financial uplift thanks to a generous \$5 million estate gift from an anonymous donor. The gift to support UCM students was recently announced by Michael Sawyer, dean of the university's College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences (CAHSS), in cooperation with the institution's Alumni Foundation. It comes as the college is planning a service trip to Tanzania in May 2023, working with the internationally known organization Global Volunteers. This will be the third such visit students and faculty have made to Tanzania since the program's inception in 2008. The earnings from the endowment will be used for travel fees, lodging and meals for students and faculty advisors who participate in this outreach opportunity.

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Learning Opportunities



Community Health Worker (CHW) Online Course

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Tara Weber, MSN,

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This 16-week course will provide students education on the role of the community health worker. Students will leave the course with a better understanding of certain medical conditions and become more aware of environmental situations that are barriers to clients' health. A CHW conducts outreach services for healthcare organizations to implement programs within the community that promotes individual

- Assist patients with completing applications and registration forms.
- Conduct eligibility determination, enrollment and follow-up with uninsured patients. Help patients connect with transportation resources.
- Be knowledgeable about community resources appropriate to needs of
- patients/families
- Work closely with medical providers to help ensure that patients have comprehensive

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*As part of this course, students must complete 60 hours of outreach and service hours. Some exceptions may apply

Course books will be provided to enrolled students.

Students who do not complete this course may be ineligible to be readmitted in the future.

This program is 169% funded by the Community Health Worker \$27,160 groun from the Missouri Department of Health and Senier Services. The product was created by the greatee and does not necessarily reflect the efficial position of the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services. The Department Health and Senior Services nodes no guarantees, warranties or assurances of any kind, experts or implied, with repects to und information, including any information on linked sizes and including, but not limited its accuracy of the information or its completeness, timeliness, norfulness, adoption; continued withhillips or more while the service of the completeness of the completeness.



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Who should register?

- Any student interested in the field of Community Health Work
- Credentialed Medical Assistants
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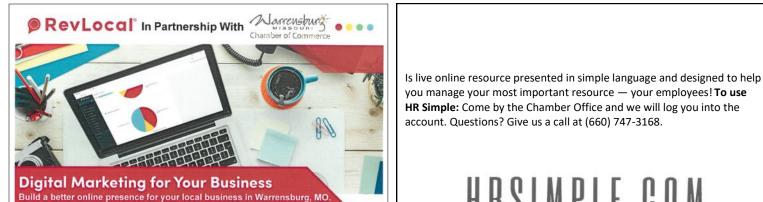












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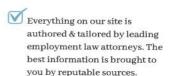
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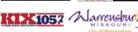










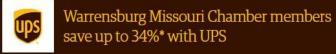




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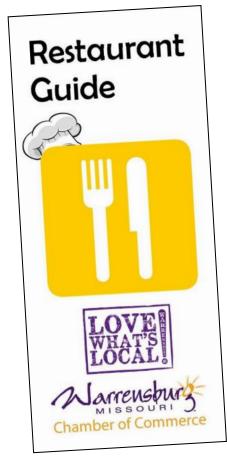








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The **Restaurant Guide** contains a list of restaurants, coffee shops, wineries, etc. in Warrensburg, as well as our Chamber members in Knob Noster. Our Chamber members are listed in bold in this publication.

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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