

## June 2016 Calendar of Events

**June 1st,8th,15th,22nd,29th**-Oak Pointe provides FREE blood pressure checks 1-3pm  
**June 2nd**- Ray County Library Summer Reading Program Kick Off 10am-2pm  
**June 2nd,9th,16th,23rd,30th**- Teen Book talk @ Ray county Library 3-4pm  
**June 3rd**- Relay For Life @ High School 6pm to midnight  
**June 3rd,10th,17th,24th**-Richmond Rotary meeting @ noon @ 19th Hole/ 3rd @ Jeffrey Kyles  
**June 3rd,10th,17th,24th**-Community Yoga Northstar Wellness @ 6pm  
**June 3rd & 4th @ 7:30pm, June 5th @ 2pm**-Shrek the Musical @ Farris  
**June 4th,11th,18th,25th**-Farmers Market Downtown Richmond 7am-noon  
**June 5th,12th,19th,26th**-Grace Church Youth Ministry 6:30-8pm  
**June 6th,13th,20th,27th**-Ray County Library Family Story Time 10am and 1pm  
**June 6th,13th,20th,27th**-Ray County Library GED/HSE Tutoring 12-2pm  
**June 6th,7th,8th**-Annual Pet Clinic @ Wiggly Field 6-8pm  
**June 7th,14th,21st,28th**-Richmond Kiwanis meeting @ noon @ 19th Hole  
**June 7th,14th,21st,28th**-American Legion hosts Bingo-open @ 4pm games @ 6pm  
**June 7th,14th,21st,28th**-Kid Book Talk @ Ray County Library 3-4pm  
**June 7th**- Adult Book Club @ Ray County Library 6:30pm  
**June 7th,9th,16th**- Farris \$4 Movie's-Karate Kid @ 10am  
**June 8th**- Learning Hour @ City Hall @ noon-Mark Werthmann - Economic Development  
**June 8th**-Outlaw Days meeting @ noon @ Hometown Pizza  
**June 10th**- Ribbon Cutting @ 8:30am @ Town Square Mercantile-109 N Thornton  
**June 11th**- Orscheln Blade Sharpening 10am-2pm \$3 per blade  
**June 15th**- RDD meeting @ noon @ Hometown  
**June 16th**-Chamber Board meeting @ 11:30am @ Jeffrey Kyle's  
**June 18th**- Victory in the Park-Maurice Roberts Park 1-6pm  
**June 20th**- Ray County Memorial Hospital 20% off sale  
**June 21st, 23rd, 30th**- Farris \$4 Movies @ 10am-Peanuts Movie  
**June 22nd**-Adult Book Club @ Ray County Library @ 9:30am  
**June 25th**- Ideal Industries Project Sunshine  
**June 26th**- FREE Movie in The District @ approx 8:30pm-Minions  
**June 28th**-4th Tuesday Grief Support Group @ 7pm @ UCPC

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Please help the us to show our appreciation for the hard work that Ms. Gladys Collins has done for the Chamber. She has accepted a position with Ray County at the Senior Center and June 24th will be her last day. Thank you Ms. Gladys for everything you have done over the last 2 years. The office won't be quite the same without you!

If you or someone you know would like to volunteer at the Chamber office, please stop by the office after June 13th and visit with Natalie Lamar.

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*Community Bank  
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Natalie Lamar  
*Executive Director*

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## Please Welcome Our Newest Chamber Members!

Richmond Christian

Union Church

Pastor Chris Bryant

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Town Square Mercantile

Bob & Janet Duncan

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May 5th,6th & 7th

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## ANNUAL HAWAIIAN LUAU AND HOG ROAST AFTER HOURS SPONSORED BY SHIRKEY HEALTH SERVICES AND THE MEDICAL CENTER



Each year, Shirkey Health Services sponsors the Annual Hawaiian Luau and Hog Roast at Shirkey's Golf Course. This year, The Medical Center partnered with them to support the event. There is always a nice spread of food and wild Hawaiian shirts. Thank you to Shirkeys Health Services and The Medical Center for hosting this tasty event each year!  
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Pictured left– Royals mascot SLUGGER pictured with the KFC Chicken before the parade on Saturday. Slugger was sponsored by Richmond Shell and Richmond BP

Pictured left bottom– Iron Man roamed the crowds on Saturday at the festival.. Sponsored by Shirkey Hospice



Pictured right– winner of the Tennis Ball Drop Gene Edson. All proceeds from this event go to help fund the fireworks display

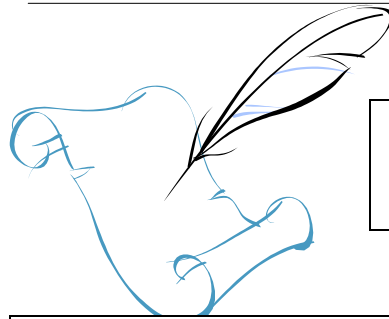


Pictured below– Grand Marshall Frazer Letzig and wife Pat riding in the parade. Thank you for everything you have done for our community!



Pictured left– There were over 200 vendors this year at the festival. The committee worked very hard to hold a new and exciting event. There were a lot of great additions to the festivities as well as some of our old favorites. Thank you to the committee members for putting together an amazing weekend for our community!

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## *From the President's Pen*



### Chamber Friends

By now I am guessing everyone is well into their summertime activities. Family vacation, baseball, camps, swimming and the sounds of children playing and laughing fill the air! Oh yes – and the familiar sound of the ice cream truck – Camp Town Races, etc. etc. Hard to believe we are already half way through June.

Your Chamber Board is preparing to receive nominations for the upcoming election as planning for next year has already begun. Open nominations begin July 1 – so your board asks that you have an open mind as inquiry to nominations are presented. We also ask that you join your board in saying thank you to Gladys Collins for her service to the Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce. Gladys will be leaving the Chamber shortly to continue her retirement living and we wish her the best of fun and health in spending her time enjoying grandchildren and other activities. We will always appreciate and remember your time here working in the Chamber Office Gladys. Thank you and may the wind always be at your back!

Continued business activity in our downtown area is exciting! Friday, June 10, the Chamber celebrated with Bob & Janet Duncan on the ribbon cutting of their new retail store Town Square Mercantile. Duncan's daughter Addie joined the celebration as guests shopped, enjoyed doughnut holes, coffee and fellowshipped with the shop owners and friends. What a way to end the week! We look forward to Melinda Macey being ready to open and want to congratulate both of these new downtown merchants on their renovations and entrepreneurial endeavors. Oh yes, I almost forgot there is a new Nail Salon open next to Pointer's Jewelers. I will make a point to stop in, introduce myself and say hello, welcome. There is still space available for those expansions, relocations or out of the box redevelopment ideas.

Independence Day is right around the corner and on Friday, July 1, your Chamber will once again be hosting the American Celebration. Right behind the Mushroom Festival this is Ray County's largest celebration time. Your board of director's along with the City of Richmond have put together swimming, games, food, bounce houses, bouncy balls, lots of crazy Rob – Man activities all capped with an amazing fireworks show. This year we have a new fireworks display put together by J & M Displays. The show promises to cap off a great evening of fun, fellowship and camaraderie. We truly hope to see you there to kick off 4<sup>th</sup> of July extended weekend 2016!

Yours in Service.  
Brad Hogan  
President 2015-16  
Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce