

November 2016 Calendar of Events

November 1,8,15,22,29-Richmond Kiwanis meeting @ noon @ 19th Hole

November 1,8,15,22,29-American Legion hosts Bingo-open @ 4pm games @ 6pm

November 1– Ray County Library Adult Book Club @ 6:30pm

November 2,9,16,23,30 -Oak Pointe provides FREE blood pressure checks 1-3pm

November 2,9,16,23,30 – Grace Church hosts Drop Zone after school program till 5:30pm

November 3– RHS Blood Drive 8:30-2:30

November 3– RDD hosts 1st Thursdays 6-9pm Downtown Richmond

November 4,11,18,25-Richmond Rotary @ noon @ 19th Hole

November 4,5,6- RHS Theatre Dept “The Addams Family” @ Farris @ 7:30pm/6th @ 2:30pm

November 5– RPD hosts “Etra Life” 24 hour gaming

November 5– Masonic Lodge #57 B & G 7am-11am @ Lodge building on Clark St.

November 6– Gabriella’s Garden Soup & Chili Luncheon @ Methodist Church 11am-2pm

NOVEMBER 6 @ 2AM-DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

November 6,13,20,27- Grace Church Youth Ministry 6:30-8pm

November 7,14,21,28– GED/HSE tutoring @ Ray County Library 12p-2p

November 7,14,21,28– Ray County Library Story time @ 10am and 1pm

November 8– RDD hosts Non-Partisan Election Watch Party @ Hometown Pizza @ 7pm

November 8– Ray County Library hosts “Kids Cook” @ 3:30pm grades 1-5

NOVEMBER 10 @ 7:30 AM-CENTRAL MISSOURI COMMUNITY CREDIT UNION AND RICHMOND AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CO-HOST BEFORE HOURS-FREE BREAKFAST PROVIDED-CHRISTMAS KICK OFF

November 10-Elements Destination Dining presents Wine Dinner 6:30-8:30pm

November 10– Ray County Library presents “Acrylic Paint” @ 3:30pm grades 1-12

November 10– Ray County Library presents “Orphan Train” for Adults @ 6:30pm

November 11– Ray County Library & RCOC Closed for Veteran’s Day

November 11,12,13– HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE IN RICHMOND

November 11,12,13- First Baptist Church Christmas Open House 8am-5pm

November 11,12,13– Town Square Mercantile-Hometown Christmas Gathering 9a-8p, 9a-5p, 1p-4p

November 12– Orscheln Farm & Home Blade Sharpening 10a-2p \$3 per blade

November 15– Ray County Library “If You Give A Moose A Muffin” ages 0-5 @ 3:30p

November 16– Ray County Library Adult Book Club @ 9:30a & 10:30a

November 16– RDD meeting @ noon @ Hometown Pizza

November 17– RCOC Board Meeting @ noon @ 19th Hole

November 17– Ray County Library Teen Advisory Counsel @ 3pm

November 18- Ray County Memorial Hospital Gift Shop 20% OFF SALE

November 19– Farris Theatre “California Guitar Trio” @ 8pm

November 22– 4th Tuesday Grief Support Group @ 7pm @ UCPC

November 24,25– Ray County Library and Richmond Chamber closed

November 28– RCOC BLOOD DRIVE 10A-2P @ LIBRARY

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

November 10th, 2016– Before Hours @ Chamber office

November 11th, 2016– Office closed for Veteran’s Day

November 24 & 25th-Office Closed for Thanksgiving holiday

November 28th, 2016-RCOC Community Blood Drive @ City Hall

December 1st, 2016– Christmas Extravaganza

December 23rd, 2016-Close at noon for Christmas holiday

December 26th, 2016– Office closed for Christmas holiday

January 2nd, 2016-Office closed for New Years Holiday



Pictured above– A Group of Chamber members taking a tour of the Henkel facilities

Henkel, The Richmond Shrine Club and Nadler’s Catering Co-hosted a Chamber After Hours on Wednesday, October 12th. There were over 100 people in attendance for the event.



Pictured left– Chamber members networking over Nadler’s appetizers at the Shrine Club



Pictured right- Chamber members gathering at the Shrine Club to celebrate the companies that hosted the event. Thank you to Henkel, The Richmond Shrine Club and Nadler’s Catering!

The Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce will have extended hours from Saturday November 12th to Thursday December 1st for the Christmas Extravaganza



Monday through Thursday 9am-6pm

Fridays 9am to 7pm

Saturdays 9am-6pm

Sundays 1pm-4pm



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City of Richmond
Bank Midwest, N.A.
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Thurman Funeral Home
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Wal-Mart Super Center
Central Missouri Community Credit Union
Derstler Lumber Company
KFC/Taco Bell of Richmond
Hometown Pizza
C & C Discount Pharmacy
NorthStar Wellness
Richmond Chiropractic
Sam's Club
Kountry Kuts
Shirkey Golf Course
KMZU/KRLI
Phillips Computer Repair
Linda's Floral
Richmond Bowl
Scenic Ridge
Matt's Autobody & Restoration
Ray County Land Title

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The Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce 48th Annual Banquet and Silent Auction

~Thank you to the following
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Ray County Library
Shape's Dance & Acro

Richmond Super 8

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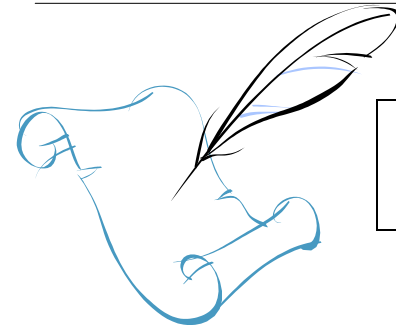
Town Square Mercantile



Pictured top left going clockwise
Scott Farmer received the Life-time Achievement Award., Out-going Board members receiving their appreciation plaque, Mayor Mike Wright receiving an award for the City of Richmond, Dave Powell received the Above & Beyond Award, Tonya Willim receiving the Star Award,

Farmers Home Insurance receiving the Business of the Year Award and Thurza Falls accepting the Beautification Award for the Richmond Beautification Award

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From the President's Pen



Dear Chamber Members:

Well, the holidays are around the corner and closing fast! The mad rush will soon consume much of our time and energy. Our thoughts will turn to family and friends, turkey and giving thanks, shopping and holiday cheer and finally, ringing in a new year! So, before the hustle and bustle begins, I would like to use this precious space in our newsletter to express my gratitude to you, our members. Your support for our on-going efforts, your membership renewals and your continued confidence in The Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce reaffirm what we do, every day. It is because of you we are here and we're proud to be your partner. But, I ask you. Won't you too, take this opportunity and ignite the spirit of the upcoming season and express your gratitude to those who have supported your business this year, those who have lifted you up and even those who have knocked you down, for they all make us stronger. Be the light. Be the change. Be the difference maker. For, I do believe, **"You are the Heart of the Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce"**.

Thank you to all those that attended the 48th Annual Richmond Chamber of Commerce Banquet held in the Veteran's Building on Thursday, October 20 and for supporting your community and making your Chamber of Commerce important to you. If you were not able to attend this year, we missed seeing you and hope you are able to attend next year to join in the celebration! Congratulations to all those who received special award recognition and to those who went home with an auction item. Our special events coming are Thursday, November 10, at 7:30am, the Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce will be hosting a Before Hours celebration to kick off the holiday season. Come join us for breakfast, take a look at the trees, wreaths & baskets that are available for you by way of raffle. Christmas Extravaganza and Lighted Parade is scheduled for December 1, 2016, with a special appearance by Santa in his newly designed Santa House.

Once again, I want to express how VERY THANKFUL I am for the support of our Chamber Members, Board Members and our Executive Director Natalie Lamar and her staff Patricia Rios and Darlene McMillan. I wish you all a wonderful and safe Thanksgiving celebration with family and friends!

Tonya Willim
President 2016-2017
Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce