**July 2019 Calendar of Events** July 1: Bridge of Hope Mom's Group @ 4pm @ their location July 1,8,15,22,29: Ray County Library hosts GED/HSE Tutoring from noon to 2pm July 1,8,15,22,29: Ray County Library Family Story Time @ 10am & 1pm July 1,8,15,22,29: Shirkey Golf Course Summer Jr Challenge @ 5:30pm **JULY 1-10: CHAMBER BOARD OF DIRECTORS OPEN NOMINATIONS** July 2,9,11,16,18,23,25,30: United Methodist Church Food Pantry 1-3pm: call for appt July 2,9,16,23,30: UMC Men's Bible Study @ Our Place @ 6pm July 2,9,16,23,30: Richmond Kiwanis meeting @ noon @ 19th Hole July 2,9,16,23,30: American Legion hosts Bingo-open @ 4pm games @ 6pm July 2,16: Grace Church Food Pantry open 5-8pm July 2,9,16,23,30: Ray County Library Family Story Time @ 4pm July 2,9,16,23,30: Shirkey Golf Course Ladies After Hours Golf Clinic 6:30-8pm July 3: Ray County Memorial Hospital Community Blood Drive 11a-4p July 3,10,17,24,31: Shirkey Golf Course Summer Jr Golf Program 9-11a July 3,10,17,24,31: Ray County Library hosts Teen Time @ 2:30-4:30pm July 3,10,17,24,31: United Methodist Church Youth Group @ 6 & 7 July 4: Shirkey Golf Course hosts Red, White & Blue Scramble July 4: City of Richmond and Chamber Office are closed July 4-5: Ray County Courthouse Closed July 5,12,19,26: Richmond Rotary @ noon—call your favorite Rotarian for location July 5,12,19,26: Shirkey Golf Course Happy Hour 4-7p July 7,14,21,28: Shirkey Golf Course presents Couples Scramble @ 4pm July 9: Missouri Highway & Transportation Commission Reception @ Golf Course 5:30-7:30pm July 9: Ray County Humane Society Board Meeting @ 6:30pm @ Chamber Office July 10: Missouri Highway and Transportation Commission Meeting @ Farris @ 9:30am July 11: Ray County Library Adult Program @ 10am: Adult Scrapbooking @ 4:45pm July 11: Friends of the FFA meeting @ RHS @ 6:30pm July 11: Richmond First Thursday's 6-8pm July 11, 20,26: Richmond Recreation hosts Twilight Swim @ 7:30pm July 13-20: RAY COUNTY FAIR-SEE FACEBOOK OR NEWSPAPER FOR ITENERARY July 13: Ray County Fair King of Dirt @ 7pm-\$10 entry July 13: Orscheln Farm and Home hosts Blade Sharpening 9a-1p \$3 per blade July 16: Ray County FCE meeting @ 10am-call for more information July 16: Liberty Hospital hosts a Cancer Support Group @ 6pm JULY 17:FARMER'S APPRECIATION PICNIC @ 6:30PM @ FAIR GROUNDS July 18: Ray County Library hosts Health as a Whole @ 10am July 18: Elements Destination Dining hosts Pasta 101 July 18: Ray County Library Board Meeting @ 9:30am July 18: Ray County Library Adult Program @ 5pm; Knit & Crochet Group @ 4:45pm (18th & 25th) July 18: Chamber Board meeting @ 11:30am @ golf Course July 18: Liberty Hospital hosts Living After Loss @ 11am & 5:30pm July 18: Liberty Hospital hosts Alzheimer's Support Group @ 7pm July 19: Shirkey Golf Course hosts Soybean Tournament July 19: Ray County Hospital Gift Shop 20% off sale July 20: Ray County Fair Demolition Derby @ 7:30pm \$10 July 22: Bridge of Hope Board Meeting @ Chamber Office @ 6:30pm July 23: Liberty Hospital hosts a Stroke Support Group @ 1:30pm July 23: Tri-County mental Health presents Suicide Prevention Conference July 24: Elements Destination Dining Mid-Week Social 4-7 July 24,31: MU Extension Office hosts Chronic Disease Management July 24: Ray County Museum/Richmond Chamber host Missouri 2021 Bicentennial Event meeting-all welcome July 24: Ray County Library hosts Adult Book Club @ noon July 25: Ray County Library Genealogy Night @ 5:30pm July 26: Salvation Army hosts Harvesters @ 1pm July 27, 28: Shirkey Golf Course hosts 3 Man Triple Divot



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Pictured Left to Right are: Emily Bergsieker, Chandra Carey, Allene Gremaud and Katie Neuner.



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Pictured Above—On June 13th, Shirkey Health Services was proud to host a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony in cooperation with the Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce to welcome their newest service to our community, Shirkey Premier Therapy. Congratulations to Shirkey Health Services Board of Directors, Administrator Chris Brown and all of the employees. Thank you for providing another health service to our community.!



Pictured Above—On June 14th, Wal-Mart of Richmond hosted a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony in cooperation with the Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce. Congratulations to Wal-Mart and their employees for the launch of their newest program. Grocery Pick-up! Thank you for offering a new service to our community!

The Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce is currently accepting nominations for the newest Class of our Board of Directors. If you are interested in representing your company on the Board of Directors, please call Natalie at 816-776-6916. We will be accepting nominations from July 1st-July 10th. Please watch for your ballots in the mail no later than August 1st. They re due back to the office by August 8th. Thank you for continued support!

### MISSOURI HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORTARTION COMMISSION

The Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce Mo DOT Committee would like to invite you to attend a reception for the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission on Tuesday July 9th from 5:30-7:30pm at the 19th Hole at Shirkey Golf Course. This event is free for the public.

Wednesday July 10th at 9:30am, the Commission will hold their monthly meeting at the Farris Theatre.

Please help us to welcome them to our community!

## **!!COUNTERFEIT BILLS IN CIRCULATION!!**

Counterfeit bills are being circulated in nearby communities. Please note that there will NEVER be foreign writing printed on American money. If you see one of these bills, please retain the counterfeit currency and contact your local law enforcement immediately. Pictured below is a sample of what is being circulated. If you have any questions, please feel free to call one of our Financial Institution Chamber Members listed below

The State Bank: 816-776-7070

Central Missouri Community Credit Union: 816-776-5593

Bank Midwest: 816-470-6400

Community Bank of Missouri: 816-776-6669





### **FARMER'S APPRECIATION PICNIC**

The Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce would like to invite you to attend the Farmer's Appreciation Picnic during the Ray County Fair on Wednesday July 17th starting at 6:30pm. This FREE event is catered by Nadler's Catering and is served to you by the Board of Directors of the Richmond Chamber as well as volunteers from the community. Please make sure to stay after the meal and check out the livestock auction!

See you at the Fair!