# September 2019 Calendar of Events

September 2: City of Richmond, Ray County Courthouse, Ray County Library, Richmond Schools and Richmond Chamber Closed for the holiday September 2: Shirkey Golf Course hosts the Labor Day Scramble September 3,10,17,24: UMC Men's Bible Study @ Our Place @ 6pm September 3,5,10,12,17,19,24,26: United Methodist Church Food Pantry 1-3pm: call for appt September 3,10,17,24: Richmond Kiwanis meeting @ noon @ 19th Hole September 3: MU Extension Office hosts "Making Jam & Jellies from 2-4pm September 3,10,17,24: Ray County Library Kid Time @ 4pm September 3,10,17,24: American Legion hosts Bingo-open @ 4pm games @ 6pm September 3,17: Grace Church Food Pantry and clothing closet 5-7pm September 3: RCCAA Meeting @ Senior Center @7pm September 4,11,18,25: Ray County Library hosts Teen Time @ 2:30-4:30pm September 4.11.18.25: United Methodist Church Youth Group @ 6 & 7 September 5: Ray County Memorial Hospital Community Blood Drive 11-3:30pm September 5: Ray County Library hosts Scrapbooking @ 4:45 September 5: Ray County Coalition Meeting @ Ray County Library September 5 : First Thursdays Downtown Richmond 6-8pm September 6,13,20,27: Richmond Rotary @ noon—call your favorite Rotarian for location September 6,13,20,27: Shirkey Golf Course Happy Hour 4-7p September 7: CMCCU hosts a 5K Run/Walk to benefit Senior Citizens @ 8am @ public pool September 7: Richmond Masonic Lodge B & G Breakfast 7-10am September 9: Bridge of Hope Mom's Group @ 4pm @ their location September 9,16,23,30: Ray County Library hosts GED/HSE Tutoring from noon to 2pm September 9,16,23,30: Ray County Library Family Story Time @ 10am & 1pm September 9,16,23,30: MU Extension Office hosts Diabetes Management @ Senior Center @ 1 September 10: MU Extension Office hosts Freezing Produce 2-4pm September 10: Ray County Humane Society meeting @ 6:30pm September 12-14: Town Square Mercantile Fall Gathering September 12,26: Ray County Library hosts Knit & Crochet Group @ 4:45pm September 12: United Methodist Church Community Blood Drive 1-6pm September 12: Friends of the FFA meeting @ RHS @ 6:30pm September 13,14: RCCAA Fall Photo Festival September 13: Bridge of Hope Golf Tournament @ Shirkey Golf Course September 13: Richmond Masonic Lodge Fish Fry 10:30-6 or fish runs out September 13,14: Ray County Historical Society Paranormal Round Up @ Big River Ranch September 14: Orscheln Farm and Home hosts Blade Sharpening 9a-1p \$3 per blade September 14: Shirkey Golf Course Par 3 Tournament September 18: Ray County Bicentennial Committee Meeting @ noon @ Hometown Pizza September 18: Shirkey Golf Course hosts a One Man Tournament September 18: MU Extension Office hosts Take Control of Your Health in Orrick September 19: Ray County Library hosts Health As A Whole @ 10am September 20: Ray County Hospital Gift Shop 20% off sale September 21: RHS FFA hosts Fall Shopping Frenzy 9-3 @ Fair Grounds September 21: Ray County Library Board meeting @ 9:30 September 21: SoundWorx Entertainment presents WLWrestling @ 7 @ Senior Center September 21: Shirkey Golf Course hosts Family Scramble September 23: Bridge of Hope Board Meeting @ Chamber Office @ 6:30pm September 25: Ray County Library Adult Book Club @ noon September 26: Ray County Library Medicare 101 @ 10/Genealogy Night @ 5:30 September 26: Chamber Board meeting @ 11:30am @ Shirkey's Golf Course September 27: Salvation Army hosts Harvesters @ 1pm September 28: Ray County Historical Society hosts Historic Bus Tour @ 10am

Chamber Officers President Felicia Farabee PTF Firearms & Training

The Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the outgoing Board Class for their dedication and volunteerism!

Secretary-Treasurer Natalie Lamar Executive Director

**Chamber Board** Class of 2020 Felicia Farabee Courtney Sisson James Ford Ellen Vandiver

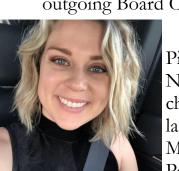
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Pictured Right-Renea Williams, Hometown Pizza, filled a vacant seat on the Board and has served as the financial director for the last year. She also served on the Promotion and Tourism Committee as well as the Executive Committee.







# Thank you Board Members!

Pictured Left-Atalie Williams, Reece & Nichols: Williams & Associates has been in charge of the Mushroom Festival parade for the last 3 years. She has also been Chairman for Member Education Committee and the Promotion and Tourism Committee.



Pictured Left-Jennifer Gant, Ray County Memorial Hospital has served as the Chairman of the American Celebration and Farmer's Appreciation Dinner. She also served on the Luncheon/After Hours committee.

Board members met with City representatives at the August Board meeting.

**Gold Investors** Bank Midwest, N.A. **City of Richmond** Community Bank of Missouri Henkel, Corp. Richmond I.D.C. Shirkey Nursing & Rehab The State Bank US Bank Apex One Home Inspection

Silver Investors **Anytime Fitness** KCP&L КММО Missouri Farm & Home Mutual Insurance Company Ray County Memorial Hospital Swafford Ford Sales Westbrook & Co., P.C.

**Bronze Investors** Edward Jones Investments **Missouri Secured Title Ray Carroll Grain Co-Operative Richmond Family Clinic** Thurman Funeral Home U.S. Granules Wal-Mart Super Center Central Missouri **Community Credit Union** Derstler Lumber Co. KFC/Taco Bell Hometown Pizza C & C Discount Pharmacy NorthStar Wellness **Richmond Chiropractic** Kountry Kuts Shirkey Golf Course Phillip's Computer Repair Linda's Floral **Ray County Land Title** Stilfield-Hufft Insurance Group **Prather Insurance Associates** 

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Missouri Farm and Home Mutual Insurance Co. recently presented a check in the amount of \$500 to the Humane Society of Ray County, to help with the purchase of fans and other much needed supplies. Pictured are: Jimmy Carter, President & CEO, Missouri Farm & Home; Brenda Turner, Vice President, Humane Society of Ray County; and Jackie Farmer, Missouri Farm & Home. The Humane Society of Ray County is a 501(c) 3 nonprofit organization, and it relies on the help of loving volunteers and donations to care for lost and

abandoned pets. The two puppies pictured, Justice and Remington, are available for adoption, along with many other dogs and cats.

Pictured Right—Chamber President Felicia Farabee presented a check to RPD Chief of Police Chad "Burnine, a donation from the proceeds of the 39th Annual Richmond Mushroom Festival. Without the police department we would not be able to host such a large family friendly event in our community! They play an instrumental role in ALL of our events. Thank " you Chief Burnine and the rest of the Richmond Police "Department for all of your hard work! Each year, the police department uses the Mushroom Festival donation to purchase items used to keep the community safe during our events. Previously they have used the donation to purchase barricades and other safety equipment.



THANK YOU RPD FOR KEEPING US SAFE!!!!!



## https://walmart.org/how-we-give/local-community-grants

Each year, the Richmond Wal-Mart has grant money set aside to make donations to our local non-profit organizations. They have not received any grant requests from the Richmond area this year. If your organization is a 501(c)3, please feel free to apply for a community grant from Wal-Mart. If you need assistance applying for the grant, please contact Natalie Lamar at the Richmond Chamber office. She will gladly help you navigate the process and procure funds for your non-profit organization.!

How old do I have to be to join 4-H? 4-H welcomes all young people ages 5 to 18 For Youth 5 to 7, there is a special program called Clover Kids.

#### How do I join 4-H?

You can contact the University of Missouri Extension Center and they will put you in touch with a club in your area.

#### Central 4-H Club

Club Leaders: Jamie McGinnis Amanda Wollard Club Meets: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of month, 7:00 pm Hardin United Methodist Church 100 E. Main Street, Hardin MO

#### Clever Clovers 4-H Club

Club Leaders: Kim Zimmerman, Jodi Stewart Club meets: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of month, 6:30 pm Elkhorn Elementary School Cafeteria 34684 Hwy 10, Excelsior Springs MO

#### Dale-Patton 4-H Club

Club Leader: Marjorie Jenkins, Mary Martens Club Meets: 3rd Sunday of month, 6:30 pm Home of LeeRov Martens 11930 Hwy 13, Richmond MO

### Guys & Gals 4-H Club

Club Leader: Gwen Gilbow, Theresa Feil-Erskine Club Meets: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of month, 7:00 pm Ray County Fairgrounds, 4-H/FFA Bldg 1015 W. Royle Street, Richmond MO

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| Club I   | Ile 4-H Club<br>_eaders: Shari Renfro<br>Erin Dana<br>Meets:1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday of month, 7:00 pm<br>Millville United Methodist Church<br>Basement Level<br>43146 Hwy K, Richmond MO |
| Club I   | <b>Tyme 4-H Club</b><br>_eaders: Jill Jones<br>Meets: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of month, 7∶00 pm<br>United Christian & Presbyterian Church<br>4 <sup>th</sup> & Ingles, Lawson MO           |
| Club I   | nond Showmen 4-H Club<br>₋eader: Jill Pyle<br>Meets: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of month, 2:00 pm<br>Aqua Science Company<br>Industrial Drive, Richmond MO                                  |
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