



General Membership Luncheon

Thursday, May 24, 2012

11:30am - Networking

12:00 pm - Lunch

Topic: "Law & Order"

**Speakers: U.S. Attorney David Capp,
U.S. Marshall Myron Sutton,
Hammond Chief of Police Brian Miller, and
East Chicago Chief of Police, Mark Becker**

**I.B.E.W. Local Union No. 697
7200 Mississippi Street
Merrillville, IN 46410**

Cost: \$17.00

Reservations are required.

**Please call the Lakeshore Chamber Office at
219-931-1000.**

Please RSVP by Monday, May 21, 2012.

**We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and
American Express.**

2012 Influential Women of Northwest Indiana

Please support the region's most successful female professionals at the 2012 Influential Women of Northwest Indiana Event on May 31, 2012, Radisson Star Plaza, Merrillville, IN, from 5:00 pm– 8:00 pm. For more information, please call (219) 226-0300

Horseshoe Casino Hammond Prepares Meals for Ronald McDonald House

The Ronald McDonald Housing program provides a "home-away-from-home" for families to stay close to their hospitalized children at little or no cost. Horseshoe Casino Hammond's HERO team, including the Horseshoe's Executive Chef Tom Spoor, prepared dinner & lunch for the families staying at the Ronald McDonald House near Children's Memorial Hospital on April 12 and April 17. The Horseshoe Casino Staff has also taken initiative to help the Ronald McDonald House by collecting pop can tabs, which in return raised over \$40,000. Great Job Horseshoe Casino!

Parents as Teachers of Lake County presents: "Young at Heart" Annual Donor Event

Parents as Teachers of Lake County will hold its Annual Donor Event on Thursday, June 7th, 2012 from 5:00pm – 9:00pm at Meyer's Castle. For reservations or more information, please call (219) 228-2579 or e-mail cassiea@patlakecounty.org. Purchase tickets and more at www.patlakecounty.org/events

Purdue University Calumet Presents Summer Enrichment Camp

The Charlotte R. Riley Child Center, 2250 173rd Street, Hammond, IN presents Summer Pre-K Camp, from July 9-August 3, 2012, on Monday through Friday from 8:30 am-11:30 am, ages 4-5. The Charlotte R. Riley Child Center also presents the 2nd Annual PUC Riley Summer Enrichment Camp during June 11-August 3, 2012, which includes 8 weeks of nonstop fun activities. For more information on how to register your child, please call (219) 989-2343.

Ameristar Volunteers Beautify Washington Park for Earth Day

Ameristar East Chicago celebrated Earth Day by cleaning up and landscaping Washington Park in East Chicago for the fourth consecutive year. Volunteers partnered with the City of East Chicago Parks Department to help beautify the park in time for the warm weather. Ameristar East Chicago would like to thank all of their volunteers and the East Chicago Green Committee for participating in this year's park clean-up.

Indiana Gaming Commission Seeks Input

The Indiana Gaming Commission is seeking input on providing goods and services to the casino industry. If you are interested in being a part of the study please attend the outreach meeting on May 24, 2012, 10:00 am– 12:00 pm, Majestic Star Casino I & II, Lakeshore Ballroom, One Buffington Harbor Drive, Gary, IN 46406



MAY 23

SBA Hosts Business Ownership for Veterans

9:00 am– 12:00 pm; Radisson Hotel at Star Plaza, 800 E. 81st Avenue, Merrillville, IN 46410. Please RSVP by May 18th. Seating is limited. For more info, please call Peter Smith, (317) 226-7272 or e-mail peter.smith@sba.gov

MAY 28

OFFICE CLOSED

The Lakeshore Chamber Office will be closed in observance of Memorial Day.

MAY 31

HDW Commercial Interiors Business After Hours

4:30 pm– 7:00 pm; 7657 Harvest Drive, Schererville, IN 46375. Come enjoy appetizers and beverages. For more information, please call 219.864.4690

MAY 31

Hammond RDA Project George Lake Pedestrian Bridge Ribbon Ceremony

10:00 am; intersection of Indianapolis Blvd and New York Avenue.
Mayor Thomas M. McDermott, Jr. invite you to the ribbon cutting ceremony officially opening the George Lake Pedestrian Bridge. Honored speakers will include Mayor Thomas M. McDermott, Jr.; City of Whiting Mayor Joseph Stahura; Chairman of the Hammond Port Authority, Dennis Hardesty; Hammond City 1st District Councilman, Mark Kalwinski. Executive Director of the RDA, William Hanna; Chairman of the RDA Board of Directors, Leigh Morris; SEH of Indiana President, Kerry Keith; and Bill Hasse of Hasse Construction. For more info please call (219) 659-7978

JUNE 1

HAST Towle Theater Group Performance

Two shows, 6:00 pm & 8:00 pm. HAST Towle Theater Group will present two performances of "Will and Whimsy, Dramatically Illustrated Sonnets of Shakespeare" . Appetizers, raffles, student art exhibits, and much more!
To reserve seats, please call the Towle Theater at (219) 937-8780. Cost \$7.
To donate items for the Raffle Table, please contact Dorothy at (219) 775-0689

JUNE 6

Hammond Innovation Center Presents Pulling the Levers of Social Media

11:30 am-1:00 pm; Hammond Innovation Center, 5209 Hohman Avenue, Hammond, IN 46320 . Fee: \$20. Includes a boxed lunch. For more information and to register, please call (219) 750-1200 or e-mail register@hicnwi.org

Upcoming Lakeshore Chamber Committee Meetings

2012 Lakeshore Chamber Golf Outing

Ambassador Committee

May 23, 2012 12:00 pm



JOIN US?!?!?
Search: Lakeshore Chamber Ambassadors

Lost Marsh Golf Course
July 11, 2012

Arrival & Registration– 11:00 am

Lunch– 11:30 am

Shotgun –12:30 pm

Cookout, cocktails, & Awards– 5:30-8:00 pm

SAVE THE DATE:

Lakeshore Golf Classic July 11th
at Lost Marsh Golf Course

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