



Thanks to Everyone who made our 13th Annual Golf Outing a Success!!
Reservations are still available for Breakfast with BP. Call the Chamber office today to register!!

June 12, 2009

Breakfast with BP

On Thursday, **June 18, 2009**, BP will be giving "The BP Statistical Review of World Energy" presentation. The Speaker will be **Mark J. Finley**, General Manager of Global Energy Markets & U.S. Economics. Breakfast will begin at **8:00am** and the presentation will begin at 8:30am. This event will be held at Dynasty Banquets, 4125 Calumet Ave. Hammond. The cost is **\$10** per person. For additional information or to register, please call the Lakeshore Chamber office at 219.931.1000.



"Hammond Urban Academy Receives Go-Ahead for New Charter School"

After two years and several applications, On June 9th, Ball State University awarded the new Hammond Urban Academy their long-awaited Charter! The newly approved "Hammond Academy for Science and Technology" will begin with the 2010-20100 School Year under the guidance and curriculum development of Purdue Calumet. This is a wonderful opportunity for the students of Hammond and NW Indiana to be on the cutting edge of a new, innovative school, under the tutelage of Purdue Calumet and Mayor McDermott is to be thanked for his tenacity in seeing this project to fruition!

Redevelopment Plan for the Calumet Avenue Commercial Corridor Redevelopment Area

The Hammond Redevelopment Commission plans to establish a new project area for the Calumet Avenue Corridor and YOUR input is needed as **Dan Botick** (Cender & Company) discusses Development Opportunities, as well as Aesthetic and Land Use Design within this highly visible corridor of Hammond. Please join us on at our monthly **General Membership Luncheon on Wednesday, June 24, 2009 at Cabela's**, 7700 Cabela Drive, Hammond, as the City prepares for the redevelopment of this valuable commercial. The cost is \$15.00 per person. To register please call 219.931.1000.



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Monday, July 20, 2009

Tickets are still available.
Contact Monique at
219.931.1000

"Computer Boot Camp" Summer Sessions

Mark your calendars, computer boot camp is coming soon! This boot camp is being sponsored by Hammond Development Corporation and the Lakeshore Chamber of Commerce. The Intro to these sessions will begin **July 7th**. Each session is being held from **August 3 - 7, 2009 8:30am - 11:30am**. The Fee is \$40 for non-chamber members and **\$35** for Lakeshore Chamber Members. Topics include: "People Connecting with People" - Facebook.com; "Are You Visible in the Global Business Market?" - LinkedIn.com; "Going from YOU to your Client" - Online Meeting; "Making the Most Out of Contacts" - Twitter.com; and "Marketing to a Global Audience with Social Networking". To register for these events or for further information please call 219.853.6399 ext. 105 or 219.931.1000.

"East Chicago Receives \$1.9 Million Dollars for Neighborhood Stabilization Program in the Harbor"

On June 12, The State of Indiana held a joint press conference with Mayor George Pabey to announce that East Chicago was one of twenty-one cities in the entire State of Indiana to receive a grant for the Neighborhood Stabilization Program. \$1.9 Million dollars will go towards "The Shores on Broadway", a new 75 unit townhome project in the Indiana Harbor. **Congratulations to Mayor Pabey and the citizens of East Chicago!**

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Calendar of Events

Additional information can be viewed on our website at www.lakeshorechamber.com

JUNE 15

Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social

Stroll down 119th St., Whiting, IN, 3:00pm - 8:00pm

JUNE 16

Lakeshore Chamber PM Networking Event

VOA Associates, Inc., 8145 Kennedy Ave. Hammond. 5:00pm - 6:00pm

JUNE 18

Small Business Referral Luncheon Committee

First Midwest Bank, 5231 Hohman Ave. Hammond, 12:00pm

JUNE 18

Wicker Memorial Park Summer Concert Featuring: ARRA

Wicker Memorial Park, 2000 Ridge Road, Munster. 7:30pm - 10:30pm

JUNE 19

Small Business Seminar

The Calumet Conference Center, 2300 173rd St. Hammond. 8:30am - 11:30am

JUNE 22

Wicker Park Circle of Friends Summer Day Camp

Wicker Memorial Park, 2000 Ridge Road, Munster. 8:00am - 5:00pm

JUNE 25

3rd Annual "Supplier Diversity" B2B Conference

Genesis Convention Center, 1 Genesis Center Plaza, Gary, 8:00am - 4:00pm

JUNE 27

Get your Team Together and Bowl for a Cause presented by: Haven House

Olympia Lanes, 4150 Calumet Ave. Hammond, 6:00pm - Until

JUNE 27

Miss Puerto Rico of Northwest Indiana Pageant

Croatian Center, 8550 Taft St. Merrillville, Ticket deadline: June 17th.

JULY 4

Hammond's Independence Day Celebration

Harrison Park, Corner of Hohman Ave. & Waltham St. All day festivities.

Upcoming Lakeshore Chamber Committee Meetings

<i>Executive Committee</i>	<i>June 16, 2009</i>	<i>12:00pm</i>	<u>7/13/09</u>
<i>Ambassador Committee</i>	<i>June 17, 2009</i>	<i>12:00pm</i>	<u>7/24/09</u>
<i>Small Business Committee</i>	<i>June 18, 2009</i>	<i>11:00am</i>	
<i>Small Business Referral</i>	<i>June 18, 2009</i>	<i>12:00pm</i>	

Save the Date

2009 Golf Scramble for Kids
Free Mexican Folkloric Dance
Workshops

*Please not a change of Location for the Small Business Committee & Referral Meetings this month!!

AM/PM Lakeshore Chamber Networking Dates

June 16, 2009 - VOA Associates, Inc., 8145 Kennedy Ave. Highland, IN - 5:00pm

July 14, 2009 - National City Bank, 4715 Indianapolis Blvd., East Chicago, IN - 7:30am

