

November 13, 2012



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## General Membership Luncheon

Thursday, November 29, 2012

11:30am - Networking; 12:00 pm - Lunch

**Speaker:** Mike Rippey, President & CEO  
ArcelorMittal U.S.A

**Location:** Ameristar East Chicago Casino  
777 Ameristar Blvd  
East Chicago, IN 46312

**Topic:** "Steel Industry-2012"

**Cost:** \$20.00

**Reservations are required.**

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

**Please RSVP by Monday, November 26, 2012.**

**Please note that you can prepay over the phone with  
Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and  
American Express.**

**Please note you must be 21 and older to enter into  
the casino. You may have to show I.D.**

## St. Catherine Hospital Annual Wings of Healing Program

The St. Catherine Hospital Annual Wings of Healing Program allows participants to honor someone who fills your life with joy, or can honor the memory of someone who has passed from this earth, but remains in your heart. For a \$10 donation, individuals, businesses, and organizations can have an angel hung on the Wings of Healing Tree. For a \$25 donation, the donor also receives a beautiful angel ornament. Your donation provides funding for the St. Catherine Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship Program for students in our community pursuing careers in healthcare. For information, call 219-392-7009; click on this link: [http://www.comhs.org/ways\\_to\\_give/sch.asp#wings](http://www.comhs.org/ways_to_give/sch.asp#wings)

## Small Business Committee Referral Luncheon

The next meeting for the Referral Luncheon will be held on Thursday, November 15, 2012 at 12:00 noon at the Lakeshore Chamber office. The guest speaker will be Tim Anderson from CliftonLarsonAllen, LLP. Mr. Anderson is a CPA and will discuss some of the tax issues that affect businesses and will be able to answer your questions. The cost to attend is \$10 to cover the cost of lunch. Checks should be made out to First Midwest Bank. Please confirm your attendance via email or by calling the Lakeshore Chamber office at 219.931.1000.

## 5th Annual Downtown Hammond Council Holiday Kick-off Celebration

The Downtown Hammond Council presents the 5th Annual Holiday Kick-off Celebration on Saturday, November 17, 2012 from 10:00 am- 4:00 pm, Downtown Hammond on Hohman Avenue, and Sibley & Fayette Street. This event is held annually on the Saturday before Thanksgiving. Enjoy indoor and outdoor activities at our nostalgic holiday celebration. View The movie, "A Christmas Story", visit with Santa and his elves, many booth contests, food vendors, Arts Activities by South Shore Arts and much more. For more information, please visit [www.downtownhammond.org](http://www.downtownhammond.org) or contact Karen at (219) 512-4298.

## SAVE THE DATE: Lakeshore Chamber Holiday Party

# Save The Date

The Lakeshore Chamber of Commerce will be having its annual Holiday Party on December 12, 2012 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the Hammond Marina. Please RSVP by calling 219.931.1000.



**NOVEMBER 13**

**Lakeshore Ambassador Committee Planning Session Meeting**

4:45 pm; Johnel's Restaurant; 4141 Calumet Avenue, Hammond, IN 46320. Please confirm your attendance via email or call the Chamber office at (219) 931-1000.

**NOVEMBER 15**

**Lakeshore Small Business Committee Referral Luncheon**

12:00 pm; Lakeshore Chamber Office, 5246 Hohman Avenue, Hammond, IN; Speaker: Tim Anderson, CliftonLarsonAllen, LLP. Cost: \$10. Please make all checks payable to First Midwest Bank. Please rsvp by calling the Chamber Office at (219) 931-1000 or e-mail [lcc@lakeshorechamber.com](mailto:lcc@lakeshorechamber.com)

**NOVEMBER 17**

**BMO Harris Bank Presents Customer Appreciation Day**

BMO Harris Bank is having a customer and community appreciation event at all of their branches on November 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>. Come Enjoy Games, Food, Drawing for \$10,000, \$5,000, \$2500. For more information, please visit [www.harrisbank.com](http://www.harrisbank.com)

**NOVEMBER 17**

**Crossroads Regional Chamber Presents "Carnaval Mascarada"**

6:00 pm– 11:30 pm; Radisson Star Plaza, Merrillville, IN. Join Crossroads Chamber for their exciting "Carnaval Mascarada" For more information, please call (219) 736-6223 or visit [www.crossroadschamber.org](http://www.crossroadschamber.org)

**NOVEMBER 17**

**5th Annual Holiday Kick-off Celebration: "A Tribute to A Christmas Story"**

10:00 am-4:00 pm; Hohman & Sibley, Downtown Hammond IN. For more information please visit [www.downtownhammond.org](http://www.downtownhammond.org) or call Karen at (219) 512-4298

**NOVEMBER 22-23**

**OFFICE CLOSED**

The Lakeshore Chamber Office will be closed in observance of the holiday.

**NOVEMBER 29**

**Lakeshore Chamber General Membership Luncheon**

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**DECEMBER 1**

**City Of Hammond Presents Hammond Holiday Parade**

10:00 am; The parade begins at 10: 00 am at Gavit High School and ends at 169th Street. Join us for the fun and have a great kick off to the Holiday Season

**DECEMBER 12**

**Lakeshore Chamber of Commerce Holiday Party**

5:00 pm– 8:00 pm; Hammond Marina, 701 Casino Dr. Hammond, IN 46320 Please call the Lakeshore Chamber office to RSVP at (219) 931-1000.



**SAVE THE DATE:**  
**2013 LAKESHORE CHAMBER ANNUAL DINNER**  
**Horseshoe Casino "The Venue" February 09, 2013**



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