

# THE CHAMBER NEWS

## CONGRATULATIONS FUTURE LEADERS



Vice President Susie Pollard, Centsible Heating & Air Conditioning, and Board Member Kathleen Reed, First Midwest Bank, presented \$1000 scholarship checks to Griffith Students Riley Hendron and Thomas Biancardi.



President Fred Leep, Pleasant View Dairy, presented \$1000 scholarship checks to Highland students Emily Smith and James Hamilton at the Dollars for Scholars Awards Night.

## CHAMBER 2016 MEMBERSHIP DECALS

We appreciate your continued support of the Highland Griffith Chamber. Your new decal is in the mail or being delivered. Thanks for waiting for the new logo to be designed.

**Shop Local and Promote Good Business**

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

**FARMERS INSURANCE**  
9515 Indianapolis Blvd., Highland  
Representative: Jessica Nunez, 301-5342  
jnunez1@farmersagent.com  
www.farmersagent.com/jnunez1

**MUSIC VENDORS INC.**  
6347 Indianapolis Blvd., Hammond  
Representative: Mike Petrovich  
petromike@hotmail.com  
Category: jukebox vendor  
Recommended by: Robin, Pokro Brewery

**SHAKLEE DISTRIBUTOR - K.A. Mashura**  
Munster, 836-5079  
Representative: Kaaren Mashura  
kaarenann@att.net  
www.tri-health.myshaklee.com

**WINGSTOP**  
10435 Indianapolis Blvd., Highland  
Representative: Sameer Prathak  
rlala87@gmail.com, 924-9464  
www.wingstop.com

## CHAMBER GOLF OUTING

Golfers can still sign up and Door Prizes are always appreciated to promote your business.



Thanks to many Chamber Members who have already sponsored a hole, donated a door prize or registered a foursome.

Cost is only \$100 for lunch, cart, golf, dinner, drink tickets, door prizes and \$25 cash prizes on every hole.

**Friday, July 22, Wicker Park**  
**Registration/Lunch 11:00**  
**Shotgun Start at Noon**

## THANK YOU 2016 *Tour de HighlandGriffith* SPONSORS



## THANK YOU SIGN SPONSORS

Brown Insurance Group  
United Federal Credit Union



**Special thanks along the route to:**  
the Griffith VEST and Highland VIPS,  
Volunteer Judy Vaughn, Highland  
Public Works, Mike Pipta and Morgan  
Wright, Highland Fire Department



**Water Stop** provided by Shawn Graham,  
Edward Jones Investments

**DJ** provided by Paul Segal and 219 Productions

## THANK YOU

**Tour de HighlandGriffith Committee:** Chair Fred Leep, Pleasant View Dairy; Michelle Anderson, First Financial Bank; Shawn Graham, Edward Jones; Joe Koranek, Centier Bank; Bill Leep, Pleasant View Dairy; Colin Peterson and Jeff Siple, Highland Public Works; Cindy Rivera, North Township Trustee Frank Mrvan; Pat Vassar, Highland Police Dept; Tammy Williams and Mary Luptak.

Volunteers: Highland students Lainey and Haley Anderson



**Thanks to our Member booths:**  
Ridge Cyclery and for the bike raffle, Hall Chiropractic staff Bobby Hall and Tasheka Sharks for providing chair massages, Webb Hyundai and Texas Corral providing a great cookout lunch.

Chamber members and tenants enjoyed refreshments, tours and networking at the Highland Office Center Open House & Ribbon Cutting at 2646 Highway Avenue.

Pictured are **Highland Office Center** Developers Bill and Kathy Hasse and Project Coordinator Patty Stovall, Project Coordinator

Contact Patty at 501-6905 for tenant space available or for more information.





### Hartsfield Village Rehabilitation Center Open House

Great networking, refreshments and tours were enjoyed by chamber members. Ribbon Cutting pictured (left-right)

**Hartsfield Village:** Laura Carpenter, Community Outreach Coordinator, Susan Finn, Administrator, Leslie Darrow, Executive Director, and Ro Loughmiller, Director of Business Development.

Contact Ro, 218-8404, 10000 Columbia Avenue or Laura, 934-0750, 503 Otis Bowen Drive for more information about Hartsfield Village.

### CHAMBER MEMBER HAPPENINGS

**NorthShore Health Centers, Back to School Health Fair** - July 1st - August 31st - Offering School Physicals, School Sports Physicals and Immunizations. First 500 physicals receive a tablet cover and earbuds. For more info call 219-763-8112 or 888-313-8557.

**Frank J. Mrvan, North Township Trustee, 2016 Wicker Park Summer Concert Series** - Thursdays, Rain or Shine, Ages 21 & Over, Cash only, Doors Open at 6:30 pm, Showtime 7:30—10:30 pm, Admission per Concert \$7, July 7 Wedding Banned; July 14th Dick Diamond & The Dusters; July 21st Bonfire; July 28th Trippin Billies For more info: 932-2530 ext 331 or ext 324.

**Humane Society Calumet Area, Critter Camp for Kids** - July 11 - 15 or Aug 1 - 5; 9 am to 12 pm. Provides a fun, safe, hands-on environment for kids 8 to 12 to learn about animal care. Fee is \$100 For more info contact Alyssa Leeson 219-922-3811 ext 208 or aleeson@hscalumet.org.

**Highland Soccer, 2016 Jeff DeVries Memorial 3v3 Soccer Tournament** - Saturday, July 9th, 8 am to 7 pm, Sharp Athletic Complex, For ages 6 to 19. On-line registration ONLY at [www.highlandsoccer.org](http://www.highlandsoccer.org).

**Down Syndrome Association of NWI, FUNdraiser** - Saturday, July 30th, 6 pm to 12 am, Lighthouse Restaurant, Cedar Lake. \$75 per person. Includes: Dinner, Photo Booth, DJ, Dancing and Open Bar with Beer and Wine. ONLY 200 Tickets available. For more info contact: [dsa@dsaofnwi.org](mailto:dsa@dsaofnwi.org).

### JULY CHAMBER CALENDAR

- 4 Happy Independence Day - office closed
- 5 Board of Directors Meeting, 8:30 am, 923-3666  
Lincoln Center, 2450 Lincoln Street, Highland
- 12 Membership Meeting, Central Park, Griffith  
Please RSVP to the Chamber office
- 21 Coffee Hour, Grindhouse Café, 8 am  
146 N. Broad, Griffith, 923-3666
- 22 CHAMBER GOLF OUTING, 11:00  
Wicker Park Golf Course, Contact 923-3666

### JULY TOWN EVENTS

**Griffith** - Broad Street Blues Fest, July 2 & 3  
Independence Day Run, July 4, 9:00 am  
Parade, July 4, 10:00 am

**Griffith Central Market - Fridays 3-9 pm,**  
Central Park Music, hand crafted wares, food  
and local brewed ales.

**Highland** - July 4th Festival July 1 - 4  
All American Mile Run, July 2, 6:30 pm  
Parade, July 2, 6:30 pm

**Highland Street Market - Saturdays 9 am - 1 pm**  
Main Square Park. Contact 838-0114

### CHAMBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- July 22 - Chamber Golf Outing
- August 9 - New Member Presentations
- September - Chamber Night Golf
- October - Griffith Pub Crawl
- October 11 - New Member Presentations
- November 11 - Veterans Day Ceremony
- December 13 - Acknowledging Members

### CHAMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

**TUESDAY, JULY 12**  
Central Park on Broad Street, Griffith  
Catered by Texas Corral, Cost \$15  
Chamber Business Spotlights

Please RSVP to the Chamber, 923-3666  
[info@highlandchamber.com](mailto:info@highlandchamber.com) by July 8

## 2016 HIGHLAND/GRIFFITH BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President: Fred Leep, Pleasant View Dairy  
Vice President: Susie Pollard, Centsible Heating & Cooling  
Treasurer: Patricia Makarounas, Regional Federal Credit Union  
Secretary: Shawn Graham, Edward Jones Investments  
Past President: Carrie Upchurch, Teachers Credit Union

Michelle Anderson, First Financial Bank  
Kimberly Blaesing, Tiger Plumbing  
Amy Conn, Crestview Apartments  
Margie Dian, First Financial Bank  
LaRae Dykstra, Metro Recycling  
Joe Koranek, Centier Bank  
Bob Johnson, Liberty Floors & Windows

Gabe Mauch, Grindhouse Cafe  
Gary Miller, Prompt Ambulance Service  
Rich Miller, Spitz & Miller Insurance  
Kathleen Reed, First Midwest Bank  
Cindy Rivera, North Township Trustee Frank Mrvan  
Joe Starkey, Oak Partners  
Sue Woodall, Chicago Title Insurance

The Highland/Griffith Chamber of Commerce offers many advertisement opportunities:

**NEWSLETTER:** Ads are \$30/month, and must purchase 3 months or more. Our Newsletter is emailed to over 350 Chamber Members each month.

**FEATURE FRIDAY FLYERS:** Send out a flyer for your business, upcoming event or advertised special for \$50, and receive a Facebook post from the Chamber promoting your flyer. FFF are emailed to over 350 Chamber Members.

**WELCOME BAGS FOR NEW RESIDENTS:** \$25 for 125 items (coupons, flyers, magnets, pens) to introduce your business to new residents when they sign up for water at Town Hall.

**CHAMBER MEMBER HAPPENINGS:** Weekly email to Chamber Members announcing non-profit events or free seminars from Chamber Members.

Kuiper Funeral Home  
9039 Kleinman, 923-7800



David Peterson  
Leonard Gregorczyk  
Shelia Kirby

**Give your SEP or SIMPLE a checkup.**



**Shawn H Graham**  
Financial Advisor  
1939 W Glen Park Ave  
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Friday, July 22, 2016  
NOON SHOTGUN START, Wicker Park  
\$100 to Golf \$150 for Hole Sponsorships



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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
*Promoting Good Business*

**PROUD MEMBER 2016**  
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# 2016 GOLF OUTING

## Friday, July 22, 2016

11 am - Registration & Lunch Noon Shotgun Start

### WICKER PARK GOLF COURSE

Indianapolis Blvd & Ridge Road, Highland, IN 46322

#### COST IS \$100 PER PERSON

This price includes lunch, golf, cart, dinner, drink tickets and golf balls  
AND \$25 cash prize on every hole, **Door Prizes and Cash payoffs** for 1st and 2nd place teams.  
Driving Range and Chair Massages available before golfing

#### HOLE SPONSORSHIPS

*available for \$150*

*(Includes Sign and Program Recognition,  
and provides \$25 cash prize)*

#### DOOR PRIZES

*or a \$25 donation to purchase a door  
prize are welcomed and acknowledged  
in the Program and Newsletter  
Call 923-3666*

#### RESERVATION FORM

BUSINESS \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

FOURSOME 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Hole Sponsorship \_\_\_\_\_ x \$150 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Golfers \_\_\_\_\_ x \$100 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number for dinner only \_\_\_\_\_ x \$30 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL \$** \_\_\_\_\_

DOOR PRIZE \_\_\_\_\_

DONATED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Method of Payment \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK (payable to HighlandGriffith Chamber) OR \_\_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_\_ MASTERCARD

Credit card no. \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**HIGHLANDGRIFFITH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 8536 Kennedy Ave., Highland, IN 46322**

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