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Who is Citizen of the Year?



Come to the Annual Awards Dinner to find out!

Nappanee Chamber Of Commerce



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March 2020

HAVE YOU MADE YOUR RESERVATION FOR THE ANNUAL DINNER ON MARCH 30TH?

Nappanee Chamber of Commerce Annual Appreciation & Awards Dinner Monday, March 30, 2020 Sammlung Platz 758 North Tomahawk Trail Nappanee

NAPPANIE There's Nothing Like It

5:15 pm Registration begins
5:30 pm Social Time 6:00 pm Dinner

Table Sponsorship includes Seating for 8, Table Sign, Preferential Seating, Company Name and Logo in Program: \$250.00

Individual Tickets: \$25.00 Seating is Limited

Please RSVP by Friday, March 20, 2020

Fill out and return this form by fax (574.773.4691), or by email (Darla@nappaneechamber.com), or by mail (302 W. Market Street, Nappanee, IN 46550)

All cancellations must be received by Wednesday, March 25th for a full refund.

Payments can be made by cash, check or credit card.

Name(s)				
Company Name				
Phone Fax or e-mail address				
Please reserve places for dinner @ \$25.00 per person for a total of \$ or Please reserve a corporate table for 8 @ \$250.00				
For your convenience, we offer payment by VISA or MasterCard Account # Exp. Date				
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The Chamber would like to welcome a new member!

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you know of a product made in Elkhart County that is nething special, a little different, or just plain cool? minate the product and the company that makes it at delnElkhartCounty.com.

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INTERRA'S HOMETOWN GIVING HOLIDAY PROJECT RAISES MORE THAN \$45,000

Interra Credit Union, its staff and members raised more than \$45,000 to a variety of agencies across a six-county area during the 26th annual Hometown Giving holiday service project. A record-setting year, it represents a \$1,000-plus increase over 2018.

In addition, hundreds of boxes of Angel Tree wish list items have been distributed as additional support to the agencies and organizations that help those in need. The Hometown Giving project included a corporate donation of \$25,000, staff fundraisers added more than \$12,000 and members donated nearly \$4,000 through the Merry Match initiative. Interra's staff also helped raise funds for the Goshen Salvation Army and the Plymouth Salvation Army, donating approximately 50 hours of volunteer time to ring bells.

Interra sponsored and staff members volunteered to host parties at Boys and Girls clubs and Bashor Children's Home, work at Soup of Success, hosted a blood drive and purchased and delivered gifts through adopt-a-family programs.



Interra Credit Union CEO, Amy Sink, and David Birky, Chief Strategy Officer, are flanked by members of the credit union's Hometown Giving service project committee. The big check represents the more than \$45,000 donated to agencies throughout the credit union's footprint.

The recipients of the money raised and the wish list items collected included Agape House, ADEC, ARC Opportunities, Bashor Children's Home, Boys and Girls Clubs of Bremen, Goshen, Elkhart, Middlebury Nappanee and Plymouth; Bremen Bags, Cancer Resources of Elkhart County, CAPS, Cardinal Services, Center for Healing and Hope, Church Community Services/Soup of Success, Clothes and Food Basket, Elderhaus, Elijah Haven, Elkhart County Council on Aging, Fairfield Food Pantry, Family Christian Development Center, Five Little Stones, Lakeland Youth Center, Lighthouse Ministries, New Start Ministries (shelter), RETA, Ryan's Place, Salvation Army, St. Joe Valley Blue Star Mothers, Sleep in Heavenly Peace, Spa Women's Ministry, Syracuse Food Pantry, The Post, The Villages (foster family support), Wakarusa Elementary School and The Window.

Interra, headquartered in Goshen, Indiana, has assets of more than \$1.2 billion. The credit union serves more than 82,000 members at 15 offices in Elkhart, Kosciusko, LaGrange, Marshall and Noble counties in Indiana and via a suite of robust electronic services at interracu.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Mar 13	Coppes Commons Night Out & Soup for a Cause		
Mar 14	Visit Nappanee-Shamrock Hunt (downtown)		
Mar 30	Chamber Annual Appreciation & Awards Dinner		
April 10	Chamber & City Offices Closed - Good Friday		
April 11	Visit Nappanee-Easter Egg Hunt (downtown)		
April 24-26Wakarusa Maple Syrup Festival			
May 6	Hoosier Hospitality ServSafe Class at The Nappanee Center		
May 9	Visit Nappanee-Taste of Nappanee at Coppes Commons		
May 25	Chamber & City Offices Closed - Memorial Day		
May 30	Quilt Garden Tour Opens		
June 9	Nappanee/Wakarusa Joint Chamber Golf Outing		
June 12	Visit Nappanee Friday Fest		
June 13	Hot Air Balloon Festival & Summer Diesel Pull ~ Power		
	from the Past Showgrounds		
July 3	Chamber & City Offices Closed		
July 4	4th of July Celebration (Fireworks, parade)		
July 9-11	Embrace the Pace Days		
July 10	Visit Nappanee Friday Fest		
July 11	Fireman's Fish Fry		
Aug 3	Hoosier Hospitality ServSafe Class at The Nappanee Center		
Aug 14	Visit Nappanee Friday Fest		
Sep 7	Chamber & City Offices Closed - Labor Day		
Sep 12	Apple Festival Tractor Pull		
Sep 17-20	Nappanee Apple Festival		
Oct 9	Visit Nappanee Friday Fest		
Oct 10	Night at the Museum 6-8 pm at The Nappanee Center		
Nov 7	Visit Nappanee Veteran's Luncheon		
Nov 11	Chamber & City Offices Closed - Veteran's Day		
Nov 26-27	Chamber & City Offices Closed - Thanksgiving		
Dec 3	Hoosier Hospitality ServSafe Class at The Nappanee Center		
Dec 11	Countryside Nite Out		
Dec 5	"Miracles at Main & Market Streets" Parade, Cookies & Hot		
 	Chocolate, Santa arrives		
Dec 24	Chamber & City Offices Close at Noon - Christmas Eve		
Dec 25	Chamber & City Offices Closed - Christmas Day Chamber & City Offices Close at Nove Many Const. Free		
Dec 31	Chamber & City Offices Close at Noon - New Year's Eve		

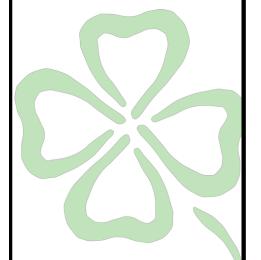
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Training with



To sign up, please contact Gloria Moser at Gmoser@mapletronics.com or 574.534.2830 x 153

2020 Classes at Nappanee Chamber			
CLASS TITLE	DATES	TIME	
QuickBooks Level 2	March 24 & 26	5:30-9 pm	
Outlook	April 21 June 10	3-5 pm	
Excel Level 1	March 3 & 5 April 21 & 23	5:30-9 pm	
Excel Level 2	March 31 & April 2 May 19 & 21	5:30-9 pm	
Word Level 2	May 5 & 7	5:30-9 pm	
Teams	April 16	3-5 pm	



Hoosier Hospitality Consulting will offer ServSafe® Food Protection Manager Classes at The Nappanee Center 302 W. Market Street

May 6th, August 3rd, December 3rd 2020

Enrolling in a ServSafe class is easy! Check out the class dates above, and then visit our website (www.hoosierhospitalityconsulting.com) to enroll, or call Erin in our office at 317-447-4761, or email her at erin@hoosierhospitalityconsulting.com





Registered ServSafe Proctor & Certified ServSafe Instructor

Indiana law requires that all licensed food service establishments have at least ONE Certified Safe Food Handler responsible for each physical location.

Excellence in Business Award Winners 2019



Burkholder Country Store has been in business for 18 years. If you've never been there—you need to go! They are a local variety store serving Elkhart, Kosciusko, Marshall and the surrounding counties. They carry fabric, footwear, children's toys, home decor, gifts, collectibles,

kitchenware, Amish clothing, cards, stationery and more. For all of your fabric and clothing needs, stop by Burkholder Country Store in Nappanee. They are currently adding over 3,300 square feet of warehouse space. Voted one of the best fabric stores by The Goshen News.

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choices to make the most of life

What Can You Do In Four Hours? You Can Make a Difference!

Center for Hospice Care needs volunteers in St. Joseph, LaPorte, Elkhart, LaGrange, Starke, Marshall, Kosciusko, Fulton and Porter Counties. The next Volunteer Training is in April. No previous health care experience is necessary. Volunteers are needed for:

- Patient Home Visitor
- Extended Care Facility Visitor
- · Inpatient Unit
- Licensed Hair Stylists and Barbers
- Licensed Massage Therapists

- Veteran Volunteers
- Therapy Certified Pet Visitors
- Hospitality Volunteers
- Pet Peace of Mind Volunteers
- Spanish Speaking Volunteers

Training is comprehensive and will prepare volunteers for various opportunities. There are three levels of training totaling 15 hours and the level of training you need depends on what volunteer opportunity you are interested in. Center for Hospice Care offers online training options as well. You may discuss the options with the Volunteer Recruitment and Training Coordinator.

Next Training dates are:

Monday, April 20, 2020, 9:00am-12:00pm
Thursday, April 23, 2020, 9:00am-12:00pm
Monday, April 27, 2020, 9:00am-12:00pm
Wednesday, April 29, 2020, 9:00am-3:00pm
Mishawaka Campus, 501 Comfort Place

Registration required. Application and interview required before registration, so inquire in advance to ensure place in training. Please contact Kristiana Donahue, Volunteer Recruitment and Training Coordinator, (574) 286 -1198 or donahuek@cfhcare.org.

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Nappanee Area Chamber of Commerce is to help make Nappanee an industry leading city with innovative businesses, a great community in which to live with abundant resources, and a wonderful tourist destination where visitors can "Embrace the Pace".

Our Vision Statement

The vision of the Nappanee Area Chamber of Commerce is to create an environment for people to start or relocate businesses, to work, to worship, and to live in our community and to ignite passion to serve our community with heart.

Mark your calendar now for 2020 Friday Fests!











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