



December 2018

Mount Carroll Chamber of Commerce

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John Pokropinski-Website

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Community Christmas Tree

Take an evening cruise through the downtown to see the beautiful Christmas tree donated by West Point Tree Farm. It looks great from a distance, but you'll want to get up close because the unique, handmade ornaments are a must see!



Events

The next Chamber sponsored event is currently scheduled for April 26th. Email mcchambersecretary@gmail.com if you wish to be involved in any of these events or have suggestions for new events to add to our calendar.

2019 Calendar of Events:

Rummage thru Mt. Carroll.....	April 26th & 27th
Farmers Market.....	Saturdays May-October
Mayfest Car Show.....	May 26th
Cruise Nights.....	June-September
Brick Street Saturday.....	September
PumpkinFest.....	October 26th
Halloween Parade.....	October 31st
Community Tree Lighting.....	December
Tour of Homes.....	December
Christmas Walk.....	December

Dates and Events are subject to change.



The Mt. Carroll Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the Community Christmas Tree Committee, West Point Tree Farm, Extreme Tree, City Crew and everyone involved with helping make the Community Tree a stunning focal point for the downtown. They would also like to thank the homeowners, volunteers, and committee for the very popular Christmas Walk, Tour of Homes, and Holiday Market.

Mission Statement

The Mount Carroll Chamber of Commerce is a community organization in partnership with business, tourism and government to further promote economic growth and quality of life in Mount Carroll.

Membership Renewals

Existing Chamber Members

Chamber Bucks are being redeemed at businesses around town. Remember they can only be used at your place of business if you have paid the 2018-2019 Membership Fee. Please drop off any redeemed bucks at TBK Bank for Sibyl Doty and she will reimburse you.

New Chamber Members

Please enlighten, encourage, and recruit anyone and everyone to support this organization. You don't have to own or operate a business to join.

General Membership Meeting

We had 40 people attend our festive meeting on December 4th! Carol Frey is looking for fresh ideas for programs or locations for the upcoming meetings. Please contact her at carolandozfrey@gmail.com with any suggestions.



Farmers Market

Farmers Market runs on Saturdays from May to October. If you or someone you know is interested in being a vendor next year please contact Stephanie Samuels at yumcake@angelfoodltd.com. Be sure to follow Mount Carroll Farmers Market on Facebook to stay informed throughout the year.

Website

The Chamber website and Facebook page are an easy and effective way to promote your business! John Pokropinski, Website Administrator, will be happy to help you update your business information on our website and add your event to the Community Calendar. Send your requests to admin@mtcarrollil.org.

2018-2019 Chamber Members

Ag-Tech
Diane & Pat Bausman
Bausman Mowing
Bess Realty, Inc.
Business Employment Skills Team
Bonnie May Kennels
Bridgewater Inn
Carroll County Mirror-Democrat
Carroll County Senior Center & Transit
Center Hill Orchard
Charles Electronics
Charlies II
City of Mount Carroll
Clark Carroll Insurance Agency
College Street Creations
Consolidated Grain & Barge
Jerry & Sandy Cornelius
Dairy Queen
Sibyl Doty
Doty's Collision Center

Linda Eads
Jeff Elliott
First Evangelical Lutheran Church
Ron & Marsha Foltz
FHN Family Healthcare Center-Mt. Carroll
Rich & Carol Frey
Good Samaritan Society-Mt. Carroll
Henry's Double K
Anthony & Jody Herrell
Herrell Electric
Highland Community College
Cathy Hutchcraft
John & Jean Hutchison
Mary Ann Hutchison
Ideas N' Designs
Carol Ingram
Patricia Ingram
It Takes All Kinds
Jo Carroll Energy
Deb Johnson

Kenzley Title Group, Inc.
Kunes Country Auto
Sharon & Lee Larsen
Law-Jones Funeral Home
Massbach Ridge Winery
Molly's Bakery
Molly's Kitchen & Bar
Jim & Sherry Morel
Moring Disposal, Inc.
Mt. Carroll Banking Center
Mt. Carroll Cafe
Mt. Carroll Home Center
Mt. Carroll Insurance Agency
Mt. Carroll Mobil
Mt. Carroll Pharmacy
Mt. Carroll Rotary Club
Norma Noonan
Palmer House Bed & Breakfast
Pleasant Valley Construction
Diane Powell

Prairie Path Guest House & Sampler
Dr. David Purlee
Red Gate Embroidery
Riverview Antiques
Savanna-Thomson State Bank
David & Amy Schneider
Schneider House Furniture
Sievert's Steak-N-Stuff, Inc.
Laura & Peter Smith
Tom & Pam Sorg
Sterling Rock Falls Family YMCA
John & Thelma Swiech
Lara Tallman
TBK Bank
Timber Lake Playhouse
Tina's Ice Cream Shoppe
Alex Veith
West Point Tree Farm
Nancy Woodside