

April 2004



Business After Hours Business Spotlight



This year, the Chamber is adding a business card drawing at the Business After Hours events. If your card is picked, you will be invited to submit an article to this Newsletter profiling your business. This is an excellent opportunity to get your message out to more than 600 people who receive this publication.

Airplay Productions – Corey Sanford

Airplay Productions started as a DJ service in 1989 by Corey Sanford. The company ultimately expanded into a family business and branched into video production offering a large variety of services ranging from television commercials to professional event and wedding videography. Airplay Productions offers services such as . . .

- Television Commercials and Infomercials
- Product and Training DVD/Videos
- DVD Authoring
- Multimedia Product CD's
- Streaming Internet Video
- Archiving VHS, 8mm footage to DVD
- Video/DVD Duplication
- Elegant Wedding Videography
- Photo to Video Transfers/Photo Montage
- Multimedia Projector/Sound System Rentals
- Mobile Disc Jockey Services

Airplay Video Productions has the distinction of producing award winning television commercials for local and national clients. Unlike other agencies that sell advertising and produce commercials, Airplay focuses solely on video production. Their primary focus is on providing their customers the absolute best video production for whatever their need.

For more information on how Airplay Productions can help your organization, give Corey Sanford a call at 660-665-9848 or visit their website at www.airplayvideo.com.

APRIL BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

Thursday April 15

Patterson's—1700 N. Baltimore

*Sponsored by Terry & Linda Spurlock, owners of
Patterson's & Aileron's*

April 2004 Calendar of Events



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| Apr. 3 | Piccadilly Trade & Craft Show 9 a.m.- 4 p.m. Thompson Campus Center Two One Act Operas 7:00 p.m. Arnie's El Kadir Shrine Club Turkey Days 9:00 a.m. Shrine Club Adair County Historical Society Spring Dinner 3:30 p.m. Patterson's Women of Today Craft Show 9:00-4:00 p.m. Kirksville Middle School John Ware Classic 10:00 a.m. Truman's Pershing Arena |
| Apr. 5 | Lyceum Series-Pirates of Penzance 7:30 p.m. Truman's Baldwin Hall |
| Apr. 6 | Governmental Affairs Meeting 7:30 a.m. Chamber Office |
| Apr. 9 | Good Friday - Chamber Office CLOSED |
| Apr. 10 | Parks & Rec. Easter Egg Hunt 10 a.m. Truman's Quad |
| Apr. 10 | Open House & Ribbon Cutting Air Evac —606 W. Potter Ave. 10 a.m.—Ribbon Cutting 10 a.m.—1 p.m. Open House |
| Apr. 11 | Easter Sunday |
| Apr. 12-20 | Regional High School Art Exhibit 10a.m.-4:00p.m. Wal-Mart Super Center |
| Apr. 12 | Executive Committee Meeting Noon Chamber Office |
| Apr. 15 | Business After Hours 5:00-7:00 p.m. Patterson's |
| Apr. 17 | SAA Osteopathic 5K and 10K Run/Walk 8:00 a.m. Thompson Campus Center |
| Apr. 18-24 | National Volunteer Week |
| Apr. 19 | Board of Directors Meeting 11:30-1:00 p.m. Thousand Hills |
| Apr. 22 | "Recruiting & Retaining Valuable Employees" Workshop 1:30 p.m. Comfort Inn, Macon, MO |
| Apr. 22 | Earth Day Take printer cartridges to Kirksville Primary School |
| Apr. 24 | Veteran's Appreciation Day 12 Noon National Guard Armory Relay for Life of Adair County Downtown Kirksville |
| Apr. 25 | Sports-Med 2 mi. Run/8 mi. Bike/2 mi. Run Thompson Campus Center |

Chamber Newsletter Inserts Available

Chamber members—don't forget about the opportunity to get your business' or organization's information out to approximately 650 representatives of Chamber member businesses through this monthly newsletter. For \$50, you can provide the Chamber with 650 copies of a flier and we will insert that flier into the newsletters. Dates are filling up quickly for the rest of the year. Call Rita at the Chamber office to schedule your business' insert in the coming months, 660-665-3766 or email kvacoc@cableone.net.

Chamber Spring Expo Another Success

The Chamber of Commerce sponsored another very successful Spring Business Expo last month. A big thank you goes out to all of the Chamber volunteers that assisted with the event and to all of the exhibitors as well as the merchants that posted the Expo date on their marquees. Thanks also to the exhibitors for all of the great door prizes that were given away throughout the event, and to the grand door prize sponsors—**Tri-County Electric Coop, Westlake ACE Hardware, and Amtrak.**

More than 55 businesses and organizations exhibited to more than 1,300 attendees throughout the day.

Watch the Chamber's monthly newsletter for dates and details for the Chamber's 2005 Spring Business Expo!

2004 Kirksville Leadership Institute



Front Row L—R: Michele McClain, Cindy Woods, Heather Carson, Paulette Thompson, Senator John Cauthorn, Mary Magers, Kim McClanahan, Lesa Ketterlinus.

Back Row L— R: Kathy Roberts, Kris McKim, David Kincaid, Lisa Colton, Jim Hughes, Robin Taylor, Robin Darr, Nancy Pennington. (not pictured—Kylene Puckett)

The 2004 Kirksville Leadership Institute is off to a great start. Institute classes began in February and will continue through graduation in September. This year, students will study in the areas of State Government with a trip to Jefferson City, Education & Technology, Healthcare & Social Services, Media & Local Cultural Opportunities, Economic Development and the group will make a trip to Chillicothe for a tour of a manufacturing facility and visit with local officials. The Chairperson for Leadership this year is Lesa Ketterlinus, with assistance from Mary Magers from the 2003 Leadership class.

Welcome New Members!

Charles M. Boughton & Associates, LLC
3009 Timber Lane
Kirksville, MO
660-341-1093

Fire Safety Systems
Deane Valkenaar
PO Box 387
Kirksville, MO
660-665-6960

St. Clair Corporation
Mike Hatchett
2000 Corp. Place
Columbia, MO 65202
573-442-1183

Vintage Book Shoppe & Typing Service
Beverly Powell
204 N. Franklin
Kirksville, MO
660-665-8245

Happy Anniversary!
The Chamber wishes to thank the following businesses for reaffirming their belief in the Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce!!

A.G. Edwards
Aladdin Glass, Inc.
Beards Decorating Center
Bluebird Concrete Construction
Burnell & Frances Helton
Cable One
Cable Technologies
Country Kitchen
Edward Jones-
Mike Miletich
Edward Jones-Paul Kissick
Giovannini, Inc.
Heritage House Realty
Heartland Auto Sales
Holiday Inn Express
Hotel & Suites
Hollister Incorporated
Kirksville Medical
Imaging, Inc.
Kirksville Dental Group
KFMZ, KZBK, KLTI,
KZZT, d/b/a
Best Broadcast

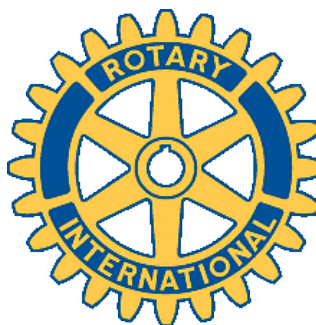
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Mottor's Tire and Auto
NEMO Community
Action Agency
New Vision Optical
O'Reilly Auto Parts
Ponderosa
Preferred Family
Healthcare
Reliable Termite &
Pest Control
Rural Advocates for
Independent Living
Shelton Insurance
Sparks Constructors
The Green Door
Thermo Seal Vinyl
Products, LLC
US Cellular
US Bank
Vance Myers
Washington Street Java
William & Norma
Winslow

KAA, City of Kirksville, and KBSA Present Airport Day

The Kirksville Airport Association, the City of Kirksville and Kirksville Baseball & Softball Association are sponsoring **Airport Day** from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. **Saturday, May 22nd** at the Kirksville Regional Airport.

On Friday, May 21st the KBSA will host their annual Opening Ceremonies from 5—7 p.m. at North Park Ball Complex and there will be a fly over and sky divers.

On Saturday at the Airport, weather permitting, a hot air balloon flight will be at 6 a.m. Young Eagle Airplane rides will be free for those ages 7-18. For those older than 18, rides will be \$10. Local pilots will also be taking people on rides. The Buzzard Gulch Club will have their remote controlled aircrafts exhibited, as well. For more information, contact Brad Bolz at 341-1234 or at brad@pattysbookstore.com. Also visit www.kirksvilleairport.com.



Annual Rotary Chicken-Q

The Annual Rotary Chicken-Q will be held on Saturday, May 8th at the Kirksville High School parking lot from 10:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$7 for 1/2 a chicken, 2 sides, a roll and drink.

Buy lunch for your staff and you get a deal—Purchase 5 meals for \$35 or 15 meals for \$100—What'a Deal!

Proceeds from the Chicken-Q will go towards the Noon Rotary Club's Centennial Project of the amphitheater at Swimming Pool Park. Tickets may be purchased from any Noon Rotarian or at the Customer Service counter at Hy-Vee Food & Drug in Kirksville.

Director's Doodles!

Our son, Eli Richard Kigar was born Feb. 24th at NRMC. Just a quick note of thanks to each of the Chamber members that sent cards and gifts, or have called us or visited us since our new family member arrived. Thanks also to those folks that are filling in while I'm on maternity leave. Each act of kindness has been appreciated. We know we are blessed!

~Alisa & Jim