

**August 2005**



*Business After Hours*  
*Business Spotlight*



The Chamber has a business card drawing at the Business After Hours events each month. If your card is drawn, 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 650 people who receive this publication.

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*Gardner-Collier Jewelry*  
*111 West Washington St.*  
*(660) 665-3052*

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Gardner-Collier Jewelry Store located on the south side of the square is a family owned business established in 1937 by Ray P. Gardner. The current owners are Bryan and Bruce Collier.

Gardner-Collier is one of the finest jewelry stores in Missouri and showcases a very large selection of beautiful jewelry and gifts, many of which are one of a kind. The store is well known for their custom jewelry and on-the-spot repair and appraisal service. They offer a lovely Bridal Registry featuring brand names such as Waterford Crystal, Oneida Flatware, Seth Thomas and Howard Miller Clocks. Gardner-Collier is proud to be an Official Rolex Jeweler.

Gardner Collier offers great customer service, including a Certified Gemologist and two in store repair specialists with 20 years experience in diamond and stone setting.



**Chamber Golf Tournament**  
**Business After Hours**  
**Friday, August 12th**  
**Kirksville Country Club**  
Sponsored by ProDental and CableOne  
5—7 p.m. at the Club House

## August 2005 Calendar of Events



- Aug. 2** **Governmental Affairs Comm. Mtg.**  
7:30 a.m. Chamber Office.
- Aug. 4** **Growing Your Business in  
Northeast Missouri Forum**  
8 a.m.-4 p.m. Missouri Career Center
- Aug. 5** **Summer on the Square**  
Tim Cason & Friends, 7 p.m.
- Aug. 6** **KRXL Kirksville Fun Run  
Classic Car Show** 10 a.m.
- Aug. 8** **Chamber Exec. Committee Mtg.**  
12 noon Chamber Office
- Aug. 9** **Kirksville Leadership Institute**  
8 a.m. Barnett Hall Rm 202
- Aug. 9** **Memory Lane Matinee**  
Downtown Cinema 8, 10 a.m.
- Aug. 9** **KREDI Board Meeting**  
4 p.m. Ameren Conf. Room
- Aug. 10** **Economic and Community  
Development Committee Mtg.**  
4 p.m. TCRC
- Aug. 12** **Chamber Golf Tournament  
Kirksville Country Club**  
11 a.m. registration  
11:30 a.m. shotgun start
- Aug. 12** **Business After Hours**  
5-7 p.m. Kirksville Country Club
- Aug. 12** **Summer on the Square**  
Mike Tripp 7 p.m.
- Aug. 15** **Chamber Board Meeting**  
Ponderosa 11:30-1 p.m.
- Aug. 16** **Downtown Improvement Comm.**  
5:30 Adair County Annex Bldg.
- Aug. 19** **Summer on the Square**  
Beth Hoerner (story teller) 7 p.m.
- Aug. 22** **Truman Week at Truman State**
- Aug. 23** **Classes Begin at A. T. Still**
- Aug. 26** **Summer on the Square**  
Bad Habit Band 7 p.m.
- Aug. 29** **Classes Begin at Truman State**
- Aug. 31** **Truman Activities Fair**  
12-4 p.m. Campus Quadrangle

### Kiwanis Farmers Market

Saturdays (Aug 6, 13, 20 and 27) at 7 a.m. on the square in Downtown Kirksville

October 8—Red Barn Arts & Crafts Festival

## Welcome New Members!

**Community Link**  
4742 Holts Prairie Road  
Pinckneyville, IL 62274  
800-455-5600

**GNC**  
2118 S. Baltimore  
Kirksville, MO 63501  
660-627-1686

**Great Rivers Council  
Boy Scouts of America**  
1203 Fay Street  
Columbia, MO 65201  
573-875-8596

**The Home Depot**  
3015 N. Baltimore  
Kirksville, MO 63501  
660-627-2777

**Hospice of Northeast Missouri**  
201 S. Baltimore  
Kirksville, MO 63501  
660-627-9711

**Premier Home Health Care**  
403 W. Hickory  
Kirksville, MO 63501  
660-665-3715

## TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY

### Student Activities Fair

Truman State University will hold a Student Activities Fair for their students on Wednesday, August 31 from 12 –4 p.m. on the Quadrangle. If you are interested in showcasing your business to students, please call 785-4016. Space is limited and you need to provide your own table.



### Chamber Silent Auction September 22, 2005

El Kadir Shrine Club  
5- 7 p.m.  
Business After Hours  
Sponsored by



**KTVO TV 3 and El Kadir Shrine Club**

## Happy Anniversary!

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

Adair County Veterinary Clinic  
Adair-Schuyler County Farm Bureau  
Anita James-Century 21 Whitney Agency  
Bill & Karen Morrow  
Community Opportunities, Inc.  
Curves  
Hawkins Insurance Group  
Hunters Banner Tire  
Hy-Vee Food & Drug Store  
Jackson & Reuschel, Attorneys At Law  
James & Jean Elliott  
Maurices  
NEMO Senior Citizens  
Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone  
Pancake City  
Sodexo  
TimberRidge Community Church  
World Finance Corporation

## CONGRATULATIONS TO

### *Cottage Grove Bed & Breakfast*

Congratulations to Mac and Jill McCord owners of Cottage Grove Bed and Breakfast. Their establishment was ranked as 9th in all of North America among a list of the best Bed and Breakfast Inns located near colleges and universities. Harrington's Bed and Breakfast Inn Journal published the rankings in their recent national publication.

*Do you have good news to share about your business? Pass it along to us at the Chamber and we'll tell our members.*

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Northeast Missouri State Bank  
Collins Rents and Events  
Northeast Missouri Health Council  
Bank Midwest  
Envoy  
Ameren UE  
Alliant Bank  
Kirksville Daily Express & Kirksville Crier  
Grossnickle Insurance  
Bill and Myra Baiotto  
Hollister, Inc.  
Jim Robertson Chevrolet  
Knights of Columbus  
Kraft Foods  
KTVO Channel 3  
KIRX/KTUF/KRXL Radio Park  
Lovegreen Ford  
Harold and Becky Osborn  
Ortech  
Davis Playle Hudson Rimer Funeral Home  
Todd and Jean Dudgeon  
Wire Rope Corporation  
Adair County YMCA  
Wal-Mart Super Center  
King Appliance & Furniture*

## THANK YOU!

To the people of Kirksville and to all the Chamber members that made the first *All American Red, White, and Blue Festival* in Kirksville hugely successful. The planning committee is already making plans for an even bigger event next year! Email us **YOUR** suggestions [projmgr@cableone.net](mailto:projmgr@cableone.net)