

# CHAMBER CHATTER

Your quarterly source for Chamber news, events, and member highlights.



Connecting businesses. Supporting growth. Strengthening our community.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



**Monica Grimes**  
United Bank

Welcome to the first edition of our Chamber Quarterly Newsletter! This newsletter is designed to keep our members informed, connected, and engaged. Each quarter, we'll share upcoming events, introduce new businesses, highlight member successes, and provide opportunities to support and promote one another.

Our Chamber is strongest when our members work together. We encourage you to stay involved, attend events, and take advantage of the many opportunities to connect and grow within our business community.

Thank you for your membership and continued support. We look forward to serving you and celebrating the success of our local businesses.

## FARM TO TABLE WAS A SUCCESS!



Article photos by Emerson Walters

April is always a special month for the Chamber as we host our signature community fundraiser, the annual Farm to Table event. Thanks to the incredible support of our community, this year's event was a tremendous success!

Funds raised through Farm to Table help the Chamber bring more events, programs, and opportunities to our community throughout the year. We are grateful to everyone who played a role in making the evening memorable.

A special thank you goes to our planning committee, sponsors, volunteers, and especially the local farmers whose hard work and dedication make this event possible. The food was outstanding, and the community response was even better. Tickets sold out weeks in advance, and the event was enjoyed by a full house of supporters.

Thank you for helping us celebrate local agriculture, local businesses, and our community spirit. We look forward to seeing everyone again next year!

**Save the Date: April 3, 2027**



**Ribbon  
Cutting for  
The Terrace  
at Ivey  
Acres in  
May!**



## LEADERSHIP NEXT

Congratulations to the students who participated in this year's Leadership Next program! Their final Shark Tank presentations showcased creativity, confidence, and leadership.

Throughout the program, students gained valuable insight into local businesses and the importance of community involvement. Thank you to our mentors, business leaders, educators, and families who made this experience possible. We are proud of these young leaders and excited to see what they accomplish next!



## UPCOMING CHAMBER & COMMUNITY EVENTS

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JULY

### PARK SOFT OPENING & RIBBON CUTTING

9:30 AM  
10 AM

TOUR  
RIBBON CUTTING

24

OCTOBER

### MONSTER DASH & CHILI BASH

TBD

THE MARKETPLACE

3

JULY

### 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

TOWN OF JAY - HOST

13

NOVEMBER

### UNITED WAY DAY OF CARING

8 AM -12 PM CHAMBER PROJECT TBD

7

AUGUST

### BACK TO SCHOOL MOVIE NIGHT (HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON)

6:30 PM BRAY-HENDRICKS PARK

### CHAMBER MEETINGS

12 PM  
8:30 AM  
12 PM  
8:30 AM  
12 PM  
8:30 AM

JULY 14  
AUGUST 11  
SEPTEMBER 8  
OCTOBER 13  
NOVEMBER 10  
DECEMBER 8



**MY FATHER'S ARROWS**  
(April Meeting)



**HARRINGTON CONSTRUCTION**  
(May Meeting)



**LEVIN RINKE/DALLAS SKORNIA**  
(June Meeting)

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## STAY CONNECTED

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