

E-Newsletter

Monday, January 18, 2016

Dear Chamber Member,
We've reached that halfway point of January and Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. That means some state and local services may not be available as well as some financial institutions closed.

The Chamber will be moving to the Boone City Hall tomorrow. Plans are to move desks, file cabinets and other necessary equipment, operating as close to normal by the end of the day on the 20th. The days following will involve some interior demo to get 903 Story Street ready for its remodeling. **Of course, we'd love to have you volunteer!** If you own a claw hammer or a prybar (or are just into heavy lifting) send me an email or call the Chamber and let us know if you can help out! Remember, make a note to conduct your Chamber-oriented business at the Boone City Hall, west side of the first floor, starting on January 21st. The Chamber Phones will remain the same.

On the Calendar: The Boone Home and Garden Show, scheduled for February 26th and 27th, still has a few vendor booths and tables left. Contact Emily for more info at events@booneiowa.us. The 107th Chamber Annual Meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 8th at 11:30am, Fareway Conference Center. You can reserve your tickets [here](#). And our **2016 Chamber Business Directory** is coming together; a powerful tool that will be mailed to every business in Boone County this March. Follow this [link](#) for more information about advertising options.

Stay warm this week!

Sincerely,



Kurt R. Phillips, Executive Director
Boone Area Chamber of Commerce

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UPCOMING EVENTS

January 19—Leadership Program
Opening Night

January 19 & 20—Chamber Moving
to the City Hall

Feb. 20 — Chamber Forum

Feb. 26 & 27—Home & Garden Show

Upcoming Events:



Upcoming events at the Ericson Public Library: Jan. 18—Genealogy Workshop @ 6 pm; Jan. 19—WE'RE #1 @ 6:30 pm; Jan. 20—Crazy Creations @ 3pm; Jan. 25—Theodore Roosevelt: Rough Rider President @ 6:30 pm. Find more event listings click [here](#).



Upcoming Events at the Iowa Arboretum: Soup Supper on Friday, January 29 from 4 pm to 7 pm. **Speaker: Early Bird "Counts" (5:30 pm)** Warm up at the Arboretum with a hot bowl of soup, bread and fixings. Finish with a delicious slice of pie or cake. At **6 pm** enjoy an update on local bird counts and learn about trends in bird populations from **Mark Widrechner**. **\$7 per person**



Hurry, spaces are filling quickly! The **2016 Home Show** will be held Friday, February 26th & Saturday the 27th. Vendor/booth sign-up forms are available online. Click here for more information.



Childbirth Education Classes will be held January 21 from 6 to 9 p.m., Boone County Hospital 4th Floor Conference Room. Covered topics are childbirth preparation, infant care & breastfeeding. Snacks provided. Call the Family Birth Center at 433-8400 to register.



Upcoming Show at the Boone Community Theatre: Mark Twain's—The Diaries of Adam and Eve. A light-hearted look at the world's first love story through the eyes of America's greatest humorist, Mark Twain, whose Garden of Eden bursts with wit, laughter and the lyric poignance of the first love and the first loss. Click here for show dates.



Start the New Year fundraising with Kona Ice! They have a healthier, vitamin-fortified Kona that is Smart Snack approved! Click here for more information.



Boone Lions Club Community Pancake Days will be Friday, Jan. 29th from 4:30-7 pm and Sat., Jan. 30 from 7 am-Noon at the Community Building at the Boone County Fairgrounds. \$6 per person. Pancakes, Sausage and drinks. Tickets available from any Lions Club Member or at the door.

Members have been receiving calls from a Hometown Productions regarding advertising on a map. The map is not an endorsed product of the Chamber of Commerce.