## The Business Voice



Shelby County

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#### June 2024

The Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry's Annual Golf Outing was held on Friday, June 21, at the Harlan Golf & Country Club. We had 16 teams, 63 people (includes both players and volunteers), 20 tee/green sponsors, 15 sidewalk sponsors, and 13 prize donations. Mother Nature showed no mercy with the heat and humidity as golfers checked in at registration, but everyone was thankful for the clouds and breeze that came later in the day for the 4-person scramble – 9-hole tournament. The tournament began with a putting contest, for those who participated. Immediately following the putting contest, teams headed off to their assigned tee boxes.

Congratulations to the winners: Golf Outing: First Place: Myrtue Medical Center; Second Place: SCSB; Third Place: The Agency Insurance; Fourth Place: Panama Transfer; Fifth Place: Osborn Auction, LLC and Highest Score: Monogram Prepared Meats. Putting Contest: First Place Stephanie Stork (Mr. & Mrs. Smith Antiques); Second Place: Brent Scheve (The Agency Insurance). Longest Putt: Kyle Lindberg (City of Harlan). Par Poker Challenge Winners: Brian Arkfeld (Panama Transfer); Sharon Gubbels (Myrtue Medical Center); Ron French (Shelby County Community Outreach); Brecken Scheve (The Agency Insurance); and Wayne Brosam (The Agency Insurance).

A special thanks to Farmers Trust & Savings Bank, our putting contest sponsor, for the continued support you give us every year for this event.

Thanks to Harlan Social Energy & Nutrition for having representation out on the golf course.

We also want to thank our sponsors and all the businesses who donated prizes. We could not do this event without your support.

Tee/Green Sponsors: City of Harlan, CiShirts/Courtside Marketing, Dr. Jay's Family Eye Care, FMCTC, Hamilton Financial Services, Harlan Industrial Foundation, Harlan Municipal Utilities, Harlan Social Energy & Nutrition, Harlan Veterinary Associates, Iowa Western Community College, Keast Auto Center, LightBox Systems, Midstates Bank, Molded Products, Myrtue Medical Center, Osborn Auction, LLC, R & S Waste Disposal, LLC, SCSB, Shelby County, Town & Country Credit Union.

Sidewalk Sponsors: City of Harlan, Conductix – Wampfler, Elm Crest Senior Living, Four Seasons Travel, Hansen House Senior Living, Harlan Industrial Foundation, Harlan Municipal Utilities, Monogram Prepared Meats, Myrtue Medical Center, Osborn Auction, LLC, Professional Vision Care, Rae Banks Enterprises/DBA Scooter's Coffee, SCSB, Shelby Book Photography, and Shelby County.

Golf Prizes/Donations: CDS, Harlan Municipal Utilities, Harlan Theatre, Keast Auto Center, Milk & Honey, Monogram Prepared Meats, Myrtue Medical Center, Nishnabotna Valley REC, Rosa Blanda Farm, SCSB, Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Studio 712, and The Agency Insurance.

# **2024 Golf Outing Photos**



Golf Outing - Second Place Team SCSB



Golf Outing - First Place Team Myrtue Medical Center





Golf Outing - Third Place

Team The Agency Insurance

Golf Outing - Fourth Place Team Panama Transfer



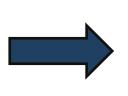


## **2024 Golf Outing Photos**



Golf Outing - Fifth Place Team Osborn Auction, LLC

Golf Outing - Highest Score Team Monogram Prepared Meats







Putting Contest - Sponsored by Farmers Trust & Savings Bank. From left to right: Todd Langenfeld, FTSB Chairman of the Board; Randy Bruck, FTSB VP; Brent Scheve, Team The Agency Insurance - \$50 winner; Stephanie Stork, Team Mr. & Mrs. Smith Antiques - \$100 winner; Nolan Blum, FTSB Loan Officer; and Max Langenfeld, FTSB Loan Officer.



Tuesday, July 16, 2024 11:30 am - 1 pm

# Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry Annual Membership Meeting

# C.G. Therkildsen Center 706 Victoria Street, Harlan

Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry Annual All Members Meeting. C.G. Therkildsen Center, 706 Victoria Street, Harlan. This is a great opportunity to network with the Chamber Board, Chamber staff, and each other.

The meeting will begin with a catered lunch and networking time. This will be followed by the introduction of the FY25 Board of Directors. Then the Chamber staff will present a FY24 review and present the goals and activities planned for FY25. Finally, the meeting will be opened to the floor for input and comments. The meeting will adjourn at 1 pm or before.

To help us with the headcount for lunch, please RSVP to the Chamber office by calling 712-755-2114 or <u>email Carol</u> with the number of individuals from your business that will be attending by Monday, July 8. Please feel free to bring a business owner/manger guest who is not currently a Chamber member to introduce them to the benefits of membership brings.

SCCCI Mission Statement: To create a climate of opportunity for business growth, economic development, and a high standard of living throughout Shelby County.

## **Ribbon Cuttings**



Celebrating the new Elk Horn City Pool House, hosted by the City of Elk Horn

Wednesday, June 19

Photo Courtesy of the Elk Horn City Clerk's Office



Celebrating a new location. Hamilton Financial Services, 1407 Garfield Avenue, Harlan

Friday, June 28

Photo Courtesy of the Harlan Newspapers

# Celebrate Your Business - Host An Ambassador Visit, Groundbreaking Ceremony, Open House, Or Ribbon Cutting

The Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry is always ready to help its members celebrate their success with an ambassador visit, groundbreaking ceremony, open house, or ribbon cutting. Whether you are a new or existing member the Chamber and its members will join you marking your momentous occasions. It gives the owner or manager a chance to say a few words to those gathered and the opportunity to talk about what their business does.

Whatever you choose, your event will be posted on our online event's calendar, in our weekly Did You Know email, that goes out every Friday, listed in our monthly Business Voice newsletter, and posted on the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry and Shelby County Information and Ideas Facebook pages.

Then there's the great photo opportunity. A photo will be taken and emailed to you to share on your social media. The photo will also appear in the Harlan Newspapers, the Chamber's monthly newsletter, and on Facebook.

Helpful tips: Invite friends, family, and customers. Provide snacks and refreshments for your attendees. Most important is "showcasing" your business as this is your day. Last but not least - Have Fun!

To schedule your ambassador visit, groundbreaking ceremony, open house, or ribbon cutting with the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry, call us at 712-755-2114 or email <u>Carol</u> or <u>Debbie</u>.

# Upcoming Ambassador Visit & Ribbon Cutting

Come celebrate the month of July with the Chamber staff. Make sure to save these dates and bring along a co-worker.

**Ambassador Visit: Friday, July 12, 9 am.** Shelby County Fairgrounds Farm Bureau Ag Pavilion, 314 4th Street, Harlan.

Ribbon Cutting: Friday, July 26, 10 am. Christian's Rise Donuts, 614 Market Street, Harlan.



#### **Club Level Members**

## Platinum Plus Club Members

City of Harlan Harlan Municipal Utilities Shelby County Harlan Industrial Foundation Myrtue Medical Center SCSB

#### Platinum Club Members

Conductix-Wampfler Monogram Prepared Meats, LLC

#### **Gold Club Members**

The Agency Insurance Essentia Protein Solutions FMCTC Farmers Trust & Savings Bank Midstates Bank

### Silver Club Members

Elm Crest Senior Living Community Panama Transfer Markham Family Dental Associates, Inc.

### **Bronze Club Members**

CDS Global Cyclone Lanes Fareway Stores, Inc. Farm Service Cooperative Harlan Community School District Harlan Golf & Country Club The Harlan Newspapers Hy-Vee Keast Auto Center KNOD Radio Station Molded Products Nishnabotna Valley REC Pauley Jones Funeral Home Pitts Family & Sports Chiropractic Center, PC Rae Banks Enterprises, LLC - DBA Scooters Coffee Smitty Bee Honey, Inc. Subway Town & Country Credit Union Visual Edge IT Midwest Counsel



#### Send Us Your Events

The Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry is gathering event information for 2024. We post Shelby County and surrounding area events on our <u>website calendar</u> for free. This information is also used in our weekly "Did You Know" emails and on our Facebook page. We can help to be sure locals and tourists can find you. Contact the Chamber office at 712-755-2114 or <u>email us</u>.

## **SCCCI Membership Renewals**

# The Chamber wishes to thank the following members who renewed their membership in May & June 2024

Patriot's Choice Contracting \* Ouren Real Estate \* Pizza Hut Professional Vision Care \* Shannon Meister – DBA Family Heritage Time For Tots, Inc. \* Western Iowa Medical

All Chamber Membership Renewals Are Sent Electronically Through Our Website 30 - 60 Days Prior To Their Due Date. You Can Also Renew Your Membership Online Via Our Website.

#### 2023-2024 Board of Directors

**President** <u>Jeff Sundholm</u> Myrtue Medical Center

Vice President Jahde Osborn Courtside Marketing

**Treasurer** <u>Gervas Mgonja</u> Town & Country Credit Union

Past President Steve Ineson Four Seasons Travel

Board Member Janet Buman SCSB

Board Member Steve Kenkel Shelby County Board of Supervisors

Board Member Amanda Miller St. Croix Hospice

Board Member Darin Turner Hy-Vee

#### **Chamber Team**

Todd Valline Executive Director

Carol McHugh Administrative Assistant

<u>Debbie Stendrup</u> Membership/Events Coordinator

#### **Event Info**

	July 2024									
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat				
	Mondays, Elk Horn Public Library Libby App Q & A Lied Irwin Public Library	Summer Kids' Movies SPARK! Museum of	3 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies St. Boniface Annual Picnic, Westpahlia	4 Indepence Day Chamber Office Closed St. Boniface Annual Picnic, Westpahlia	5	6 Elk Horn Public Library Inaugural Put Putt Golf Tournamen Elk Horn City Park				
7 Fourth of July Show & Shine, Bucksnort Harlan	8 Movie Matinees on Mondays, Elk Horn Public Library	9 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies Library & Lunch Harlan Community Library	10 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies 4-H Best of IA Contest Immanual Lutheran Church, Harlan 5 O'Clock Somewhere Book Club, Harlan Community Library		12 Ambassador Visit Shelby County Fairgrounds Farm Bureau Ag Pavilion Harlan Communiity Theatre Presents Our Town, Vets Building, Thru July 14	13 Harlan Communit Library, Free Books a the Fair Yoga in the Prairie Museum of Danish America, Elk Horn Music Event, Elvis in the Building, Love You Mor, Elk Horn				
Panama	15 Movie Matinees on Mondays, Elk Horn Public Library Harlan Community Library Family Event Hollywood Comes To Harlan, Therkildsen Center, Harlan	Free Summer Kids' Movies Chamber All Members Meeting, Therkildsen	17 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies Classic Movie Morning, Harlan Community Library	18 Storytime in the Prairie, Museum of Danish America, Elk Horn Roar into Harlan Downtown Square Adult Prograrm Harlan Community Library	19 Crazy Dane Days Elk Horn & Kimballton Viking Camp Museum of Danish America Elk Horn Blk Horn Movie in the Park Elk Horn City Park	20 Crazy Dane Days Elk Horn & Kimballtoi				
	22 Lied Irwin Public Library Summer Reading Program Through the 26 <sup>th</sup> Movie Matinees on Mondays, Elk Horn Public Library		24 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies Therapy Open House Salem Lutheran Homes, Elk Horn	25	26 Harlan Community Library Silent Book Club, Milk & Honey Harlan Harlan Community Library Trivia Night The Lounge, Harlan	27 Painting in the Prairie, Museum of Danish America Elk Horn				
Memorial Golf Outing			31 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies		1	1				

August 2024										
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat				
				1	2	3 Harlan Community Library Bike Rodeo Vets Auditorium Harlan Danish Plates Community Mosaic Project, Museum of Danish America Elk Horn				
4	Mondays, Elk Horn Public Library	6 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies SPARK! Museum of Danish America Elk Horn National Night Out Vets Parking Lot	7 Harlan Theatre Free Summer Kids' Movies		9 Movie in the Park Elk Horn City Park	10 Yoga in the Prairie Museum of Danish America, Elk Horn				
11 Elk Horn Public Library End of Summer Celebration	12 Movie Matinees on Mondays, Elk Horn Public Library	13	14	15 Beyond the Book Club, Elk Horn Public Library Roar into Harlan Downtown Square	16	17				
18	19 Movie Matinees on Mondays, Elk Horn Public Library	20	21	22	23	24				
25	26	27	28	29	30	31				