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Chamber Corner

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It's hard to believe that we already have a week of June behind us; time sure does fly when you are having fun, especially in the summer time! Looked to be another packed house at the Conservation Club breakfast last Saturday, I am sure the club appreciates your support. Our Board Member Bryan Houle did pretty good selling raffle tickets out there as well, thanks for donating your Saturday morning Bryan. The Camaro will be making its way to the Back to the Bricks in Cadillac this weekend, stop by and say hello to our Board President Bob Flint and get your tickets on Sunday! We are really hoping to build a great GFITN volunteer force, we have T-Shirts (limited amount available) that will be given to you to help our festival goers recognize that you are one of our wonderful volunteers & also ambassadors to the best little city ever. I am asking for an hour or 2 of your time over those 6 days to help support your community and have a little fun with us. With just under a month to go, this is the official call out to our Businesses selling our Raffle Tickets, I am preying on your competitive side, how many tickets can your business sell? Want to win an award to present in your business all year long? Little friendly competition never hurt anyone; right? I will be watching to see who starts stepping it up to win it! Our volunteer sellers deserve a little recognition too, that being said, think *you* can sell the most tickets? Salespeople by day – here's your challenge, sell the most tickets as a volunteer and you also will be able to brag all year about your community support and how you sold the most GFITN raffle tickets, plus, be presented with a plaque. Most anyone can help us sell tickets, we just ask that you are responsible and well, don't steal from us. You can email us, call the office, or you can sign up online at www.volunteersignup.org/HPRWT.

Here's your Weekend & some upcoming events: Friday after work in town has a new destination. The Town Pump is hosting their all summer long "Friday Office Party" from 5p-8p. You can enjoy drink specials, popcorn, & Friday Coney's are available all summer long. So, grab some work friends or old friends & meet them after work tonight.

The Eagles have been really great about letting me know their happenings, reminder that you can play Free Pool on Sundays (serving Coney's Sundays) & on Wednesdays, Burgers every Monday night. Steak Fry tonight from 5:30-7:30p. Next Steak Bingo will be on Saturday, June 16th from 2p-4p & that night catch club favorite Frog & the Beeftones!

The Annual Bike Rodeo is tomorrow at the United Methodist Church from 10a-1p. Lots of great prizes will be given away, free helmets, free onsite bicycle tire & seat adjustments, free hot dogs & chips. For more information, you can call (231) 839-2123.

There is a Foster Care Fun Run in Cadillac tomorrow at the Carl T Johnson Center; cost is \$10 per family. Registration starts at 8:30 that morning through 9:15 with the race starting at 9:30. Lunch is provided & this is also the free fishing weekend. Dress up as your favorite super hero & help support Missaukee/Wexford MDHHS & DNR. For more info, you can contact either Joe Latoski at (231) 429-9056 or Brandy Pluger at (231) 342-1427.

Historical Society meeting on Monday, June 11th at 5:30p at the Ardis Missaukee District Library.

The American Legion Auxiliary is celebrating Dads on next Friday, June 15th they will be raffling off a barrow of booze! Tickets are a 3 for \$5 donation. There will be pulled pork sandwiches, slaw, beans, & chips that are free for Dads (yes Bucky, let's go to this, I'm buying, ha ha!) & Non-Dads like me pay \$5 to eat. The drawing will be at 7p & Gabe Couch will be performing live from 5p-8p.

The Missaukee Trailblazers is hosting their 2nd Annual ORV Fun Run on Saturday, June 16th. This is a family friendly event.

Registration starts at 8a out at their Grooming Barn that is located just off Phelps Road north of Lake City on M66.

The Recycle Center hours are Saturday (9a-1p), Tuesdays (1p-5p) & on Wednesdays (9a-5p) & they are located just north of town on Sanborn Road. You can visit the Missaukee Conservation District's website at www.missaukee.cd.org to see a list of their accepted items.

The Missaukee Golf Course is hosting an array of scrambles throughout the month of June for different organizations, like their Facebook page to keep up to date with Club happenings.

Members, would you like your event mentioned in the Corner? I would be happy to share it for you. Contact me at (231) 839-4969 or email info@lakecitymich.com. I would be happy to share your message.

Please patronize our local businesses this week & support our local organizations, they can't do it without us folks!