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Chamber Corner

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I hope everyone enjoyed their Easter holiday, April has arrived and we are only 3 months from this year's GFITN celebration! We have secured almost all of the night time free entertainment for your listening enjoyment featuring local & homegrown artists. I am still working on a carnival, because of the construction of that beautiful new school, we are having trouble finding a new location that hosts the amenities needed to facilitate the carnival, I will keep you updated as we progress. Also, we still have some sponsor opportunities available; if you would like to be a part of this historical event, get a hold of us at the office. And of course, volunteers are still needed, if you have a passion for Lake City like we do, please join us!

It's Steak Bingo tomorrow at The Eagles! Remember, you win delicious steaks! It runs the 1st & 3rd Saturday of every month from 2p-4p, & it's only 7 bucks to get in on the action. Sundays & Wednesdays you can play pool for free, Sundays you can get Coney Dogs there as well. Mondays are their famous burger night! Steak Fry is coming up on next Friday (the 13th).

The Missaukee Conservation Club breakfast is tomorrow morning; remember, it happens the 1st Saturday of every month. They have literally everything there for your breakfast, including eggs made to order, as well as some pretty nice fella's out there working. You can take the whole family for a very reasonable cost & in doing so; help support this important local Club. They will be hosting a Gun Show next weekend, Saturday the 14th. \$3 Admission for adults, kids 12 & under are free!

Soup Suppers are still being made with love on Tuesdays at The United Methodist Church running through the end of April; from 4 to 6p. Everything is homemade; a free will donation is greatly appreciated.

Get your world famously delicious Coney Dogs tomorrow at the Town Pump! This historic Lake City landmark has been serving this secret family recipe (for real, try & get it from Jim, I dare you) for as long as I can remember. Starts around 11a & they have them every Saturday until they are gone.

Have you checked out the Taphouse's new menu items? Make them a destination this weekend, there is always something going on including live music, karaoke, Sunday Bloody Mary Bar's & more! Like & follow their FB page to stay up to date.

Our Recycle Center is open every Saturday (9a-1p) & on Wednesdays (9a-5p) on Sanborn Road. You can visit the Missaukee Conservation District's website at www.missaukeecd.org to see a list of their accepted items. Reminder, they are taking seedling orders through April 13, 2018 so get your order in today! We have forms here at the office

Do you love Missaukee County history? Want to be a part of preserving it? Our historical society is seeking new members! The next meeting will be held this Monday, April 9th at The Library starting at about 530p. This year's Historical Calendar has ads available for sale; you can contact Jill Thomas at 839-5400.

It's a common story to hear amongst our non-profits & organization; "we cannot get new people to join or get involved". So, here is my shout out to you all who take the time to read my little weekly article (thanks for that!). People, my fellow community member's, the time is now to get active, help out where you can, you all have something to offer! Look to the generations before us who worked hard so that we could all enjoy what we have presently. It does take a lot of work, but, together we can accomplish anything. Be a part of history, be a part of the change.

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