

Congratulations to our Varsity Football team on their Regional Champ victory last Friday! Tomorrow they take on New Lothrop in Clare with the game starting at 1p. We wish them the best of luck and hope they bring home a big victory! I also want to say congratulations to our Volleyball team on their season this year, great jobs ladies! Thanks to our Marching Band for your constant support and presence supporting your team every week, you guys are all amazing!

Last weekend, myself, Bobby Flint (President), Andrea Martin (Vice), & Taylor (intern) attended the Michigan Festivals & Event Association conference at Boyne Mountain. There were some really great workshops and potential ideas to help us better serve our community through the events we put on throughout the year and we are excited to implement them!

Speaking of next year's events, we are still looking for GFITN19 Theme ideas. Please feel free to comment on our FB post or send an email if you have an idea to share (info@lakecitymich.com). To be our best we can possibly be, we need to come together as a community. Volunteers are needed as well, if you have a few hours to spare during the event, we can sure use you!

If you had a photo taken during our Halloween celebration, they are ready to be picked up here at the Chamber office.

Welcome back as a member Gary Geiger Construction! Gary is a homegrown contractor and you can see his amazing work all over our county. We look forward to the upcoming year's partnership and hope it's a busy & prosperous year for their business! Opening Day of Firearm hunting season started yesterday, it's that special time of year where orange is totally in fashion and our little city sees a spike in our population as the pursuit for that perfect buck becomes a reality for our hunters.

There is a Hunter's Supper tonight at The Eagles. From 530p to 730p, you can enjoy a pork loin sandwich, mashed potatoes, corn, roll, & a dessert all for only \$8! You can also get your tickets for the Hunter's Bucket! Tomorrow is Steak O! It's BINGO, but you win steaks! This super fun event happens every 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month from 2p-4p. Sunday is free pool with Coney specials, Wednesdays free pool & a wing special. Monday is Burger Night from 5:30 to 7:30p. \$2 Burgers! Just east of Lake City on M55 at 4154 W. Houghton Lake Road. All proceeds raised go directly back into supporting this organization that hosts and supports so many community events, please show them our support.

The Senior Center is hosting a Bake Sale on tomorrow from 10a-3p. You can purchase some delicious homemade baked goods as well as their handmade & full of love items. Get some of your holiday shopping done whilst helping out our center keep their doors open and available to our valued senior population! The Holiday Craft Show is also taking place tomorrow at Lake City Schools, this annual show has a lot of great items available for purchase. Santa & Mrs. Claus will be onsite along with live music, face painting, & free haircuts for kids to name a few. From 9a-3p. The School is located at 251 Russell Street.

The LC Taphouse is hosting a Paint Sip Smile class on Sunday from 3p-5p. You do need to register for this event (paintsipsmile.com), cost is \$35 which includes your supplies & a first pour. You are asked to arrive 10-15 minutes early for check in and seat selection. Grab friends and have a little fun while creating your own unique art piece, all levels of experience are welcome!

Geers Farms will be hosting a Holiday Open House on November 24th, please visit their FB page or website for further details.

The 2nd Annual Lighting by the Lake final preparations are being made. The event will take place on December 1st with a start at the Library at 3p. There are a lot of fun activities planned throughout our downtown and this is a free family fun event! Be sure the follow the FB page for updates and happenings all leading up to a community lighting of our Christmas tree in the downtown City Park.

The Holiday Business After 5 will be held on Monday, December 3rd at Countryside Grill from 5p-7p. Cost is \$5 for members and \$7 for non-member as the public is welcome to join area business owners for some socializing, networking, & connecting! Special thanks to our event partners: AdvisaCare,

Countryside Grill, EXIT Realty Land & Lakes, Forest Area Credit Union, & Main Street Spectacles. I hope to see you all there as we kick off this year's holiday season!

Members? Have an event you would like me to share in the Corner? I'd LOVE to! Just email me at Heather@lakecitymich.com with your submission, the deadline is Tuesday to make Friday's print. Please get out over the week and support our local businesses and organizations – GO TROJANS!