



# Chamber News

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## From the Executive Director...

Sept-Oct 2022

As we are now in September, we are reminded that Summer is winding down here in Fleming County and Fall is just around the corner. As the transition quickly approaches, the Chamber would like to inform you of exciting events and happenings in the upcoming months.

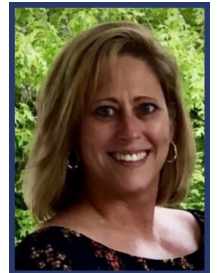
Fall is an action-packed time full of events... In September, the Chamber will co-sponsor the Northeast Regional Workforce Conference on Sept. 6th and 7th in Morehead. The annual 9/11 First Responder's Parade will be held on Sunday, September 11th to honor our local First Responders and those who protect and support our community. The Gateway/ BTADD Small Business Conference Awards Dinner will on Sept. 20th. We are excited to announce that Explore Fleming County's "Supper on the Bridge" will be held on Sept. 24th from 5-7 p.m at the Ringos Mills Covered Bridge. As September winds down, Veteran Banners will go up downtown and the KY Vietnam Memorial Traveling Wall will make an appearance on Sept. 30th and Oct. 1st.

In October, the FFA Tractor Parade will occur on the 7th. The Chamber Awards Dinner will be held on the 8th on the grounds of Fleming-Mason Energy. The Fleming County Rotary Club will present "Taste of Fleming County" on the 15th at Fleming-Mason Energy. Hillsboro and Ward Elementaries will be having their Fall Festival in downtown Flemingsburg on the 22nd. The Lion's Club will host their Radio Auction on the 24th-27th. The Museum Society will host "Dinner with the Departed" on the 28th. The Mason's will be having a Scholarship Pancake Breakfast on the 29th. The busy month of October will finish out with Trick or Treat on the 31st.

Be sure to **check out** the **Calendar of Events** for more information regarding these events and stay tuned for updates.

**As always, thank you to all of our members and partners for your continued support of the Fleming County Chamber of Commerce!**

Respectfully,  
Crystal L. McCall-Ruark  
Executive Director



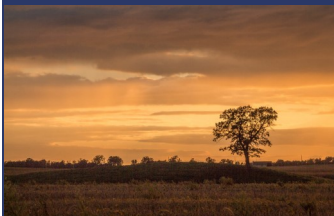
## Welcome our August GOLD Partners!



Valley View Service



Industrial Field Maintenance



# Thank You!

## TO OUR PARTNERS!

### PLATINUM



### GOLD



## SILVER

# Edward Jones<sup>®</sup> of Flemingsburg

## BRONZE

606 Sales &amp; Events, LLC

Carlisle Contracting, LLC

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Hawk Wildlife Control

Hospice of Hope

McDonald's Flemingsburg

Primary Plus

Sims Dairy Queen

US Bank

Yeti Crossing Shaved Ice

## COPPER

AG—Pro Flemingsburg

BridgeMAXX Wireless Broadband

Family Medicine Associates of  
Flemingsburg

Fleming County Golf Association

Fleming County Public Library

Flemingsburg Giovanni's

Hypac Hydraulics

Marty &amp; Kathy Voiers

Michael R. Gray Funeral Home

Military Adventure Camp at  
Camp Sousley

Rose Farm Supply

Stonegate Event Rentals, LLC

Weaver Roofing



## Fleming County Businesses Accepting Chamber Gift Checks

A Dog S'Paw  
 Ag-Pro Companies  
 A.W. Graham Lumber, LLC  
 Baldwin CPAs  
 Buffalo Trace Surveying,  
 ByPass Total Car Care  
 Café de Morales  
 Cheap Chevrolet  
 City of Flemingsburg  
 Colorful Threads  
 Commercial Signs  
 Community Trust Bank  
 Courtney Jolly, Roo's Q (Food Truck)  
 Creatively Yours Salon  
 Days to Remember  
 Donna Hendrix, CPA PSC  
 Double S Entertainment/JB's Grill  
 Doug's Diner  
 Doyle Family Produce  
 Echo Valley Winery  
 Evening Shade Boutique  
 Explore Fleming County  
 Farm House Blessings  
 Fizer's Carpet  
 Fleming-Mason Energy  
 Fleming County Hospital  
 Fleming County Golf Assoc.  
 Fleming County Public Library  
 Fleming County Water Assoc.  
 Flemingsburg Giovanni's  
 Glass with Sass

Hawk Wildlife Control  
 Hinton Mills  
 Hometown Portable Restrooms, LLC  
 Humphries Antiques  
 Ken's New Market  
 Lasting Impressions  
 Flowers & Gifts  
 Masters Acres  
 McDonald's of Flemingsburg  
 Peoples Bank of Kentucky  
 Quality Appliance and Furniture  
 Rigdon Retrievers & The Retreat  
 Rose Farm Supply  
 Save-A-Lot  
 Shear Style Hair Salon  
 Sims Dairy Queen  
 Sloan's Paint & Wallpaper  
 Southern States  
 Steve's Ace Hardware  
 Stonegate Tent Rentals  
 Take Ten Vending Services  
 The Attic  
 The Hairloft  
 The Picket Fence II  
 The Sweet Grounds  
 Tire World of Flemingsburg—Clark & Main  
 Total Care Pharmacy  
 Valley View Service  
 WFLE Radio—95.1 FM  
 Years of Farming Bluegrass Show  
 Yeti Crossing Shaved Ice  
 Yoder's Dinner Bell Market

Accepting  
 Chamber Gift  
 Checks is free  
 for members.  
 Call the  
 Chamber at  
 (606) 845-1223  
 for more  
 information.



## First Aid & CPR Classes

The Fleming County Chamber partnered with Fleming County EMS to hold two First Aid/CPR Classes. The classes were held on June 23rd and August 23rd, and participants learned valuable life-saving skills.

If you, or someone you know is interested in future CPR classes, follow the Chamber or call the office for more information at (606) 845-1223



Sponsored By:



# Fleming County Chamber Golf Scramble — A Success!



The 2022 Fleming County Chamber of Commerce's Annual Golf Scramble was held on Saturday, July 16th at the Fleming County Golf Course. It was a gorgeous day for networking and fun on the greens!

The Chamber would like to extend its appreciation and say thank you to all who came out to golf, to all our event and hole sponsors, and our volunteers for their continued support of Chamber events and activities. A special congratulations to: Peoples Bank of Kentucky for coming in First Place and to Fleming-Mason Energy who placed 2nd.

We had 13 Teams (52 players); 5 Board Members; Volunteers; a summer intern student, two members of the golf course staff and the Chamber's Executive Director on hand during the day.

We would like to recognize the following event sponsors:

**ACE Sponsor—Flemingsburg Tourist Commission**

**Eagle Sponsor—acciona**

**Skill/Luck Sponsor—Peoples Bank of Kentucky**

**Event/Lunch—Sims Dairy Queen**



It was a full house at the Chamber Coffee Talk in August!



Members enjoyed a informative *Learn at Lunch* session in July!

# Golf Scramble Hole Sponsors

A.W. Graham Lumber  
 American Business Systems  
 Boone-Nickell Funeral Home  
 ByPass Total Car Care/NAPA Auto Parts  
 Cheap Chevrolet Co. Inc.  
 CHI St. Joseph Health, Mount Sterling  
 City of Flemingsburg  
 Community Trust Bank  
 Cruising for Kids  
 Delores Woods Baker,  
 Candidate for Circuit Court Judge,  
 paid for by Delores Woods Baker  
 District Judge Kim Leet Razor  
 Double S Entertainment  
 Edward Jones/Tony McGlone  
 Family Medicine Associates, PSC  
 Fleming County EMS  
 Fleming-Mason Energy  
 Fleming Meat Packers  
 Fleming County Monument

Flemingsburg's McDonalds  
 Hospice of Hope  
 Hummingbird Solar, LLC  
 Jarrod Fritz, Fleming Co. Clerk  
 Marty and Kathy Voiers  
 Martin L. Voiers, Fleming Co. Emergency Mgmt.  
 Maysville Community & Technical College  
 Michael R. Gray Funeral Home  
 Primary Plus—Flemingsburg  
 Rose Farm Supply  
 Steve's Ace Hardware  
 Take 10 Vending Services  
 Timothy Smith,  
 Candidate for Fleming County Sheriff, paid for by Tim Smith  
 US Bank  
 Womack Scholarship Fund, Western Kentucky University  
 Yeti Crossing Shaved Ice

*Thank You!*

## Welcome to the Chamber...

### New (or Renewing) Partners in July/August

*Welcome!*

**GOLD**

Industrial Field Maintenance  
 Valley View Service

### New (or Renewing) Members in July/August

Drain Surgeon, LLC  
 P31 Farmhouse  
 Courtney Jolly, Roo's Q

Evening Shade  
 PhoneFix+  
 The Hairloft

SHOP • EAT • SPEND • ENJOY  
**LOCAL**



# Chamber Coffee Talk — A Grand Time!

The Fleming County Chamber of Commerce hosted their 2nd Coffee Talk Networking Event on Friday, August 12th and what a great turn out it was. Thank you to all those who came out that morning and joined us for coffee and delicious treats.

We would like to say a special Thank You to one of our newest Chamber Members "P31 Farmhouse" for their delicious Homemade Pastries and to Jeff Schumacher, candidate for Circuit Judge, who treated us to donuts from Snow Donuts.

Special Thanks to: Michael R. Gray Funeral Home and Danny and Edie Lewis for sponsoring today's Coffee Talk. We appreciate your continued support.



## 2022



PRESENTED BY:



September 6 - 7  
7:30am-4pm



Morehead Conference Center  
111 E. First Street  
Morehead, KY 40351



MOREHEAD-ROWAN COUNTY  
**CHAMBER of COMMERCE**



**Maysville Area**  
Chamber of Commerce  
Mason County, Kentucky



**REGISTER HERE**

The Fleming County Chamber of Commerce co-hosted the Northeast Kentucky Regional Workforce Conference with the Maysville Area Chamber of Commerce and the Morehead—Rowan County Chamber of Commerce on September 6th and 7th at the Morehead Conference Center. This was an informative conference that covered many current issues regarding labor and the workforce. Several Chamber members were in attendance.

The Chamber would like to give special thanks to Jason Slone, the Executive Director of the Morehead—Rowan County Chamber of Commerce for all of his hard work putting this conference together.



# Ribbon Cuttings



## Evening Shade

The Fleming County Chamber of Commerce hosted a ribbon cutting for Evening Shade on Wednesday, July 6th, 2022. We would like to welcome "Evening Shade" and owner, Mrs. Jayne Watson to our Downtown Business Community and our Chamber Family.

Jayne has been working diligently to see that her shop has what her customers are looking for. She has a variety of dresses, skirts, shorts, tops, jeans, shoes, hats, jewelry, accessories, home decor and much more! There is certainly something for everyone. So be sure to stop by and support Jayne and her new business which is located at 127 Courthouse Circle!



*welcome*

## The Hairloft

The Fleming County Chamber of Commerce hosted a ribbon cutting for "The Hairloft" on Wednesday, July 20th, 2022. We would like to welcome "The Hairloft's" owner/stylist Misty Holbrook to our vibrant business community and Chamber family.

"The Hairloft" is located at 271 S. Main Cross Street, Flemingsburg. You will find that the salon has a comforting atmosphere that will ensure you have a great time while getting your hair done. Give Misty a call at (606) 209-2510 to schedule your appointment.

We are incredibly excited to welcome "The Hairloft" and owner Misty Holbrook, and her years of experience, to our business community!



## PhoneFix+

The Fleming County Chamber of Commerce hosted a ribbon cutting for PhoneFix+ on Thursday, September 1st, 2022. We would like to Welcome "Phone Fix +" to our business community.

Owners Amelia and Andrew Telecky have recently opened their new cellphone & computer repair business at 132 Clark Street, Flemingsburg, KY (across from the New City Police Dept in the Ken's Shopping Center) and they can be reached by calling (606) 404-3535.

We encourage you to check them out online at: [www.PhoneFixPlus.net](http://www.PhoneFixPlus.net) and be sure to follow them on Facebook at: Phone Fix +





# Peoples Bank Groundbreaking at Tollesboro



Peoples Bank of Kentucky celebrated the groundbreaking of their new Tollesboro location on July 7th. This location is a well-needed expansion that will serve many Tollesboro and Fleming County residents alike.

## Chamber Adventure Day Camp

The Fleming County Chamber of Commerce held an Adventure Day Camp for kids 9-12 from July 26th until the 28th. This was a great experience for the youth in our community as they got to see firsthand many of the businesses, activities, and leaders that keep our community moving forward. Activities included hearing from Fleming County EMS, Flemingsburg Fire Dept., Mayor Money; a tour of the City Annex, the main branch of Peoples Bank, and the Flemingsburg Water Treatment Plant on the first day. The second day included visiting the Covered Bridge Museum to learn about Fleming County history and participating in various activities. The third day ended with the Annual Cops and Bobbers Fishing Tournament with local law enforcement. The Chamber would like to extend a special thank you to all our community partners who helped make this possible!



## Community Food Distribution Scheduled for September 17th

The community food distribution will take place at the County Road Department barn behind Toyo Seat.

\*\*Please continue to check their FB page for weather/time/location changes:

@abettercommunityfoundation

# Do you Offer Chamber Gift Checks?

Did you know that as a Chamber member, it's free for you to participate in and accept Chamber gift checks at your place of business? That's right!

You deposit them like a regular check directly into your account. By accepting Chamber gift checks you open your business up to more sales and you give the gift check holder more variety of places to redeem. A win-win for shopping local. If your business is interested in learning more about the Chamber Gift Check program, give the office a call at (606) 845-1223.



Did you know that you can learn about all the great things happening at the Chamber by tuning in to **WFLE** on the 1st Friday of every month? The special 'Our Town' segment airs at 10:00 a.m.

**WFLE**  
**95.1 FM**



Stay up-to-date about local news with the **Fleming Shopper** and **Flemingsburg Gazette**!

## Wellness Visits



Are you due for a wellness check up? Be sure to call **Family Medicine Associates of Flemingsburg** at (606) 849-3374 to schedule today.





**The Fleming County Chamber of Commerce  
and The Fleming County Museum Society**

will be hosting a

**21st Anniversary of 9/11 Remembrance  
and First Responders Parade**

**Sunday, September 11, 2022**

**at 3:00 pm** (line up will be at 2:30pm @ Double S)



Parade route will be from Double S Entertainment thru  
town to Simons Middle School!!

Come out to the Parade and help us show our  
appreciation to our Local First Responders!

**Thank you for your service to our community!**



- \*Air Evac / Air Medical
- \*Ewing Vol. Fire Department
- \*Fleming Co. Dispatch
- \*Fleming Co. Emergency Management
- \*Fleming Co. EMS
- \*Fleming Co. Sheriff's Department
- \*Flemingsburg Fire Department
- \*Flemingsburg Police Department
- \*Hillsboro Vol. Fire Department
- \*Kentucky State Police
- \*Mt. Carmel Vol. Fire Department
- \*Muses Mills Vol. Fire Department
- \*Tilton Vol. Fire Department





to host:

## Supper on the Bridge

Date: *Saturday, September 24, 2022*

Location: *Ringos Mills Covered Bridge*

Time: *5:00 pm to 7:00 pm*

Ticket price: *\$35 per person*

*Meal Catered by: V & V Catering*

*Tables and Chairs Sponsored by: Stonegate Rentals*

*Music by: Austin & Baylee Tackett*

*Storytelling by: Jarrod Fritz and Ghost Stories by: Dr. Dan Rolph*

*Limited number of tickets will be sold*

*Contact the Chamber office to reserve your tickets:*

**606-845-1223**

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# Fleming County Chamber of Commerce 2022 Chamber Annual Awards Dinner Nominees for the various categories

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## Ag Leader of the Year

- Ridley Block/ Alltech USA
  - Mark Henderson
    - Ag Pro
  - Wayne Grannis
- Fleming County FFA
- Brain and Erica Sapp
  - FC Farmers Market
  - River Valley Mulch
- Fleming County Farm Bureau
- Bryon and Sharon Mabry

## Community Service

- Fleming County Chamber of Commerce
  - Jim Clark
  - A Better Community
- Melissa and Adam Hinton
- Flemingsburg Honor Guard
- Flemingsburg Police Dept.
  - Brenda Plummer
  - DAR/Masons
- Flemingsburg Tourism
- Flemingsburg Baptist Church
  - Tourist Commision
  - Alan Davis
- Fleming County Extension Homemakers

## New Business of Year

(in Business a full 1 to 5 years)

- \* The Sweet Grounds
- Yoder's Dinner Bell
- Michael R. Gray Funeral Home
  - Evening Shade
- Yeti Crossing Shaved Ice
  - P31 Farmhouse

## Business / Employer of the Year

- IFM
- Fleming Meat Packers
- Fleming County Chamber of Commerce
  - Yoder's Dinner Bell
- Michael R Gray Funeral Home
  - AdVice Media
- Steve's Ace Hardware
- Graham Lumber
  - Arby's

## Educator of the Year

- Rhonda Whitson
- Paul King and Brad Hay
  - KWI
  - All Teachers
  - Kent Grannis
- Mark Smith and Colton McCann
  - April Wilhoit
- Fleming County Public Library
  - Staci Thrasher

## Citizen of the Year

- Jim Clark
- Crystal Ruark
- Kevin Cornette
- Jarrod Fritz
- Brian Bowling
- Larry Foxworthy
- Bobby Money
- Winston Grannis
- Teresa Plymesser
- Violet Barbee

## Health & Wellness

- Be Still Massage and Wellness
- Fleming County Fitness Center
- Jill Price Dentistry
- Walking Trail/ City of Flemingsburg
  - Pioneer Trace Healthcare and Rehab
- Flemingsburg Dental Care
  - Ashely Headley
  - Dr. Mike Dunaway
- CHI St. Joseph Health



This year's annual **Chamber Awards Dinner** will be held on **Saturday, October 8th** from **6pm to 8pm** on the grounds at **Fleming Mason Energy**. Tickets for the dinner will be \$30 per person and tickets will need to be **purchased no later** than **September 28th** so that we may have a count for the meal.

To purchase tickets you may stop by the Chamber office:  
165 W. Water Street, Flemingsburg, KY 41041

# Upcoming Events

## September

- 9/5 – Labor Day
- 9/6-7 – Northern KY Workforce Conference
- 9/11 – First Responders Parade and Dinner @ 3:00 p.m.
- 9/15 – Ribbon Cutting for Courtney Jolly, Roo's Q at 3:30p.m.
- 9/20 – Gateway/BTADD Small Business Awards Dinner @ Morehead Conference Center 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
- 9/22 – Fall Begins
- 9/24 – Explore Fleming County's "Supper on the Bridge" at Ringos Mills 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
- 9/25-26 – Veterans Banners will go up downtown
- 9/29 – KY Vietnam Wall will be escorted into Flemingsburg
- 9/30-10/1 – KY Vietnam Traveling Wall will be open in Flemingsburg

## October

- 10/7 – FFA Tractor Parade
- 10/8 – Chamber Awards Dinner at Fleming-Mason Energy – 6 p.m.
- 10/10 – Columbus Day
- 10/20 – Somernites Cruise @ Goddard Covered Bridge 2 p.m. hosted by Explore Fleming County
- 10/22 – E.P. Ward/Hillsboro Fall Festival in the City Park
- 10/31 – Halloween/Trick or Treat

**\*FC COVERED BRIDGE MUSEUM\*\***

**Hours Open**

**Wednesdays from 10 am - 4 pm**

**Saturdays from 12 pm - 4 pm**

## November

- 11/6 – Daylight Savings Time
- 11/8 – Election Day
- 11/11 – Veterans Day
- 11/24 – Thanksgiving
- 11/24-25 – Chamber office closed
- 11/26 – Small Business Saturday

## December

- 12/9 – Flemingsburg Christmas Parade (For more information call Amanda Maynard at (606) 301-1783 or Adam Hinton at (606) 748-1096)

For a full Calendar of Events, please check out the Fleming County Chamber of Commerce website at:

**[www.flemingkychamber.com](http://www.flemingkychamber.com)**



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