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Next Chamber Luncheon:

Thursday, June 21

12:00 noon

Jackson Energy Community Room

\$10.00 per person

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Chamber Night at the Movies



Employees from about 30 different Chamber member businesses converged on Regency Cinema 8 on June 5th for our annual “Chamber Night at the Movies”. All those who attended the event enjoyed a free movie, delicious desserts, a chance to win some awesome prizes and of course, a terrific networking opportunity, Special thanks to Regency Cinema 8 for hosting this event, which is one of the favorite events that the Chamber holds each year.



CHAMBER SPOTLIGHT

The London - Laurel County Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize our

WORLD CLASS SPONSORS



The Chamber is pleased to welcome our newest members:

◆ AccuForce HR Solutions, LLC

Welcome!

Renewing Chamber Members

- Alexander and Associates, LLC
- Angela Fischer Photography
- ATS Construction
- Bank of England
- Center Target Firearms & Indoor Range
- Community Trust Bank
- Daniel Boone Community Action Agency, Inc.
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- Family Wealth Group
- First Christian Church
- Hibbmars Fine Jewelry
- Highlands Diversified Services, Inc.
- Home Helpers Home Care
- Jackson Propane Plus
- Kemper Home Furnishings
- LabCorp
- Laurel County Occupational Tax
- Laurel County Older Persons Activity Center, Inc.
- Laurel County Public Library
- Laurel Seafood, Inc. DBA Captain D's
- London Church Furniture, Inc.
- London-Laurel Co. Industrial Development Authority
- Lowes of London
- Mike's Auto Sales
- Parsley's General Tire Inc.
- Plaza Drug of London LLC
- Red Roof Inn / JKM Hospitality Inc.
- Sallie Davidson Realtors
- Southeastern Farm Supply, LLC
- Stan Owens Insurance Agency
- Storm Security, LTD
- VNA Health at Home
- Watkins Realty and Associates
- Wildcat Flea Market
- Wildcat Fun Zone



London-Laurel County Chamber of Commerce



IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Since 2001, Hotwire Productions.net has helped hundreds of businesses, both large and small, develop high-quality websites and online marketing strategies to grow their business and online presence. Michael Sliter, Owner/Creative Director of Hotwire Productions.net, can deliver the creative vision and technical skillset necessary to take your website, social media, or online marketing to the next level.

Hotwire Productions.net specializes in website design/development/hosting, social media management, graphic design, and video production services. This means that Hotwire Productions.net can create professional websites, attractive marketing materials, promotional videos and engaging social media content to deliver your marketing message across multiple platforms. They love what they do and it shows! Hotwire Productions.net was voted **Best of the Best in Web Design** by readers of The Sentinel-Echo & Times-Tribune for 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

Does your business need a new, improved website? Looking to include a video presentation at your next event? Maybe you need to attract new customers to your social media pages? Call Hotwire Productions.net today at 606.682.6799 to schedule a complementary consultation to discuss your project.

When he isn't busy creating websites and managing social media accounts, Michael volunteers his time to many local civic organizations and events. Michael currently serves as the President of the London-Laurel County Chamber of Commerce and as Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Ambassador's Club. He received the *Outstanding Volunteer Award* in 2007 and 2008 from the City of London & London Downtown. In May of 2018, he was recognized as one of London's ten most influential people with the "Ten Under 40 Award" by The Sentinel-Echo. Hotwire Productions.net was recognized as *Business Volunteer of the Year* for 2010 and 2013 by the London-Laurel County Chamber of Commerce.

Be sure to visit their website at <http://hotwireproductions.net> to learn more about their services and to request a **free consultation and no-obligation quote** for your project!



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For Sale: 4 Tips for Getting Your Home off the Market Quickly

By Megan Belnap

Do you have a home to sell? Are you ready to get the selling process over with quickly? There is no better time than now!

Here are four top tips for getting your house ready to list for a ton of interest and potential bids:

Give Your Yard Attention

Cleaning up your yard and making it look welcoming will do two things for sellers: First, a beautiful yard that is free of cracks and weeds will attract more potential buyers; second, curb appeal can add as much as 5 percent value to your home.

Paint Inside and Out

Buyers want to see a fresh, clean space when they visit your home. By painting inside and out, you have the chance to apply a neutral tone throughout the home. New wall coverings mean no fingerprints or smudges—and with new paint, there are no nail holes to hide.

Price Your Home Intelligently

The right sales price for your home is often the best way to sell your home quickly. If priced too high, you may scare buyers away before they even come to an open house, but, if priced too low, you may lose out on money.

Depersonalize the Space

Buyers want to look at a home as if they are moving in. When you leave pet toys or your children's clothes laying around, people see "you" in the home. By removing everything that's personal, you can make way to stage the home.

Article submitted by Mary Ann Anderson



Do you have a tip or an informational article that you would like to pass on to your fellow Chamber members? If so, contact the Chamber office and we will include your article in our next newsletter!

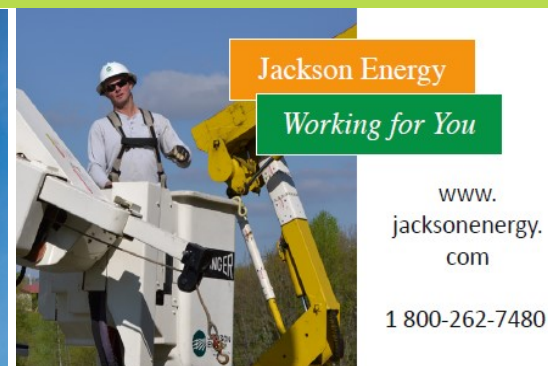


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Upcoming Ribbon Cuttings...



First Care Clinics

Thursday, June 21st
3:00 pm
1649 West Hwy 192

Red, White
and
BOOM

SATURDAY
JUNE 30

COLLEGE PARK
HWY 192 - NEXT TO LAUREL COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

SOUTHEAST KENTUCKY'S *Largest* FIREWORKS DISPLAY!

FESTIVITIES BEGIN AT 4:00
FIREWORKS BEGIN AT DUSK

presented by



RECENT RIBBON CUTTINGS



Sacred Grounds Coffee & Espresso

Sacred Grounds is a mobile beverage truck



C2G Development

Located at 4900 South Laurel Road



Parkway Medical Associates

Located at 102 Professional Drive (off the Hal Rogers Parkway)



RECENT RIBBON CUTTINGS



Walmart - Online Grocery Pickup Service

Located at 1851 Hwy 192 West



Battle Zone LLC

Located at 9200 South US 25, Suite 3 in Corbin



Furniture Owlet

Located at 3138 North US Hwy 25 in East Bernstadt



Kentucky Chamber

FREE MEMBERSHIP

If your business has 10 employees or less,
sign up for FREE e-membership with the
Kentucky Chamber of Commerce

London-Laurel County Chamber members with 10 employees or less can sign up for FREE e-membership with the Kentucky Chamber. To obtain a membership application or for more info, contact the Chamber office at 606-864-4789.

Young Professionals

Lunch and Learn

The Chamber's new Young Professionals group will have a Lunch-and-Learn on Tuesday, June 26th at noon. Location will be the Jackson Energy Community Room and lunch will be provided.

All Young Professionals ages 21 to 40 are invited to attend!



CHAMBER SPOTLIGHT

May Luncheon Photos

Special thanks to our Luncheon Sponsor:



New Members



Valley RV Sales
Dennis Hammons



Sacred Grounds Coffee & Espresso
Charlie & Tammy Smith



Pictured Left:
Beth Davisson with the
Kentucky Chamber was our
Guest Speaker.



Pictured Right:
Deanna and Mayor Rudder,
with our guests from the
Kentucky Chamber
Foundation.

The Chamber would like to thank the following businesses that donated prizes at our May luncheon. . .

- ◆ City of London Tourism
- ◆ First National Bank and Trust
- ◆ Health Express Urgent Care
- ◆ Hotwire Productions.net
- ◆ Jackson Energy Cooperative
- ◆ L&N Federal Credit Union
- ◆ Martin's Insurance Group
- ◆ Nesco Resource
- ◆ Old Town Grill
- ◆ Regency Cinema 8
- ◆ The Job Shop



THURSDAY NIGHT LIVE

2018

6/7

PEYTON STEWART
ROANOKE

6/14

ETHAN WAYNE
MAGNOLIA BOULEVARD

6/21

SUNSET CANYON
GRASCALS

6/28

LIGHTNIN' ROD & THE THUNDERBOLTS
MISS DIRECTION

7/5

CALEB GILBERT & THE TARSHACK REVIVAL
PISTOL WHIP

7/19

ELIJAH BUTLER
FRONTIER

7/26

COBY LANGHAM & THE CITIZENS BAND
JUSTIN WELLS

8/2

JUBAL
HEATH & MOLLY

8/9

LAUREL KNOX & THE WHITLEYS
RHYAN SINCLAIR

8/16

THE WORLD FAMOUS
GLENN MILLER ORCHESTRA

LONDON, KY



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Congratulations



JACKSON ENERGY
COOPERATIVE

A Touchstone Energy® Cooperative

Celebrating their 80th Anniversary!

Member Appreciation Day

June 28th 2 - 6 pm

177 Barbourville Road London, KY

The Ambassador Patrol Strikes Again!

The Chamber Ambassadors continued their “patrol” last month and surprised five of our members with balloons and cookies in hand. Each business was also presented a “free lunch” certificate to our general membership luncheon. The purpose of the Ambassador Patrol is to let our members know that we appreciate their commitment and support of our Chamber and to encourage further participation in Chamber events.

Be on the lookout. . . next month they might be visiting you!



First National Bank of Manchester



Flowerworks



Parsley's General Tire Inc.



Servpro of Pulaski & Laurel Co.



Gilpin Construction Company, Inc.

Chamber Calendar



- June 21 – June Chamber Luncheon**
12 noon at Jackson Energy
Sponsor—London Downtown
- June 21— Ribbon Cutting for First Care Clinics**
3:00 pm
- June 23 – Airport Open House** 10 am—4 pm
- June 26 – Young Professionals Lunch ‘n Learn**
12 noon at Jackson Energy
- June 28 – Thursday Night Live** 7 pm
Featuring Miss Direction
- July 5— Thursday Night Live** 7 pm
Featuring Pistol Whip
- July 7 – Lovely Laurel Lake Paddle Blast 2018**

For more information on any of these events, contact the Chamber office at 864-4789 or info@londonlaurelchamber.com

Mark your calendar . . .

RED, WHITE & BOOM

Saturday, June 30th
College Park
Festivities begin at 4 pm



Your Chamber

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