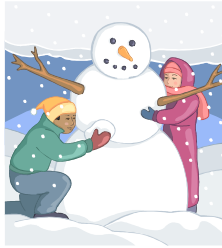


Chamber / Tourism News

Fulton County – Seeing is Believing!



January / February 2005

Chamber Membership Meeting

**January 19th, 2005 at the Fulton County National Bank
Theatre Building, (5:15 P.M. Start Time)**

The Chamber Membership Meeting will be at 5:15 p.m. Please make note of this!! The caterer this month will be The Log House Coffee House. The menu will consist of lasagna, garlic bread, dessert, coffee and tea. The cost for the meal will be **\$7.00 per person or a hole punch on your ticket.**

Greetings From Your President

Greetings Fellow Chamber/Tourism Members;

It's hard to believe, but another year is here and your organization is in the midst of planning for this year. As with almost everyone in today's society, we are all involved in more than one organization and have more than one hat to wear and sometimes it's hard to find the right hat! With that in mind, we have been discussing some new strategies to help invigorate and reenergize our meetings and the organization itself. We hope to have a new meeting schedule in place before the end of this month and will let you know what the plans are for the balance of the year in our next newsletter.

One of the new features you will be seeing in coming newsletters will be a "guest writer" column. The writer will be one of our board members, and it's hard to tell what they may have to say...so stay tuned.

At the Board reorganization in January, officers for the new year were selected. They are: Brenda Gordon, President; Cheryl Morton, Vice President, Clyde Bookheimer, Secretary/ Treasurer. I would like to thank Julie Dovey for her contribution as Vice President this past year, she was/is a pleasure to work with. While Julie remains active on the board and with the Chamber/Tourism office, her duties with the Fulton County Medical Center have increased with the progression of the building project, and this is one of those 'hats' that needed to be moved down on the rack for a little while.

I can't say this enough - please don't forget to utilize our website listing your community events. While posting your event may not guarantee nothing else will be going on, on that date, it will help in your planning, if your event can be flexible with it's date. To post your event, you need to contact the office (717-485-4064) and leave a message or talk with Anita. She will see that it gets on the calendar as soon as possible.

This months meeting will be at the Fulton Theater Building, January 19th, beginning at 5:15 pm. Dan Swain and/or one of the other county commissioners will be on hand to give us an update on plans the county has for this year and other items of interest regarding our county government. Please plan to attend this informative meeting.

Again, the Board and I want to thank you for your help and patronage over the past year. As with all organizations, without your involvement we could not continue with our efforts. We wish you all the very best in this new year, and hope the blessings of friends, family, and community continue to grace each one of you.

Brenda Gordon
President, 2005

**HAVE A WONDERFUL AND SUCCESSFUL YEAR
FROM THE FULTON COUNTY CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE & TOURISM!!**



Save the Date

January 17th, 2005 – Federal Holiday-
Office OPEN
February 14th, 2005 – Valentine's Day
Remember your Sweetie!

Chamber of Commerce & Tourism Board Members

Julia E. Dovey – Fulton County Medical Center
Bobby Snyder – Snyder Insurance Agency
Kendra McQuade – Primitive Corner
Sherri Sixeas – Flower Basket and Gift Box
Loy Garber – JLG Industries
Cheryl Morton – Morton's Attic
Joni Park – Park's Texaco
Gerri Ramsey – Community Bankers Insurance Agency
Stacey Peck – Stine Davis and Peck Insurance
Darrin Smith – Howard L. Sipes Funeral Home
Ellis Yingling – Fulton County Commissioner
Mark Washabaugh – Professional Uniforms & Advertising
Howard Tomlinson – Mellott Wood Preserving
Kathy Fester – Greenleaf Gifts & Things & Fester's
Country Mart

2005 Chamber of Commerce & Tourism Officers

President Brenda Gordon
Vice President Cheryl Morton
Treasurer Clyde Bookheimer
Past President Brenda Gordon
Director of Events & Marketing . . . Theresa Bricker
Administrative Assistant . . . Anita Mellott