

October 17th, 2022

This year, the main zones will each have Premier sponsors.

Street Eats Plus: Come hungry for food. Arrive early before your favorite indulgences sell out. Stay late so you can sample something from every vendor. Offerings will please a diverse palate: catfish sandwiches, cheese soup, cheesecake bites, chicken and noodles, white chicken chili, cinnamon rolls, coffees, cookies, cozy spuds, donuts, funnel cakes, hot dogs, Mexican, pork burgers, pulled pork, baked potatoes, red beans and rice, tenderloin sandwiches, frozen yogurt and more.

Peruse the craft booths and treat yourself to something you love. You'll find items large and small, old and new: beauty and pampering products, boutique clothing, candles, dry goods, fall décor, hats, jams, jewelry, patriotic apparel, t-shirts, custom tumblers and some surprises!

Street Eats Plus is sponsored by Maid2 Clean.

Kids Corner: Young trick-or-treaters are invited to come in costume. Between 5 – 6 p.m. many businesses and organizations will offer Trunk-or-Treat between the Gardner House and Palmyra's HomeBank. Pick up your treat bag from HomeBank at 4:45 before lining up.

Many vendors and Main Street businesses will also offer Trick-or-Treat. Palmyra Parents As Teachers will have corn pools and pumpkin pounding for preschoolers. Palmyra United Methodist Church

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will have rock painting. Stattus Error Tattoo Shop will be offering kids' temporary tattoos and making a donation to the Humane Society. Marion County Library will be drawing for the winners of the boys' and girls raffle baskets, and tickets will still be available. Author Ron Kinscherf will be there for a meet and greet and reading of his Papa Tell Me a Book titles at 6 p.m.

Kids Zone is sponsored by Hannibal Regional Medical Group.

Classic Corner: Car and tractor enthusiasts weren't forgotten! Get a "taste" of the best in the Antique Tractor Show sponsored by Sydenstricker-Nobbe and the Antique/Classic Car Show sponsored by Bud's Paint & Body Shop. Both take place during the event. Entry forms are available online at showmepalmyra.com or by contacting the sponsor or the Palmyra Chamber.

Classic Corner is sponsored by Bud's Paint and Body.

Stage: You can relax on the hay bales or hang out at the food tables to be entertained from 5:15 - 9 p.m.

The stage is sponsored by Chariton Valley and Foster Adopt Connect.

This year's event chairperson is Anna Gottman, office manager and Missouri funeral director with Lewis Brothers Funeral Chapel. She has had so Continued on Page 4

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many new ideas for Taste of Palmyra 2022, so be sure to come on down!

If you're not yet signed up as a vendor or sponsor yet, the deadline is rapidly approaching, so do it NOW. Go to ShowMePalmyra.com for forms and more information.

Rain makeup date: Tuesday, October 18.

Commemorative T-Shirts for Sale!



LIMITED SIZES & QUANTITIES!

Contact the <u>Palmyra Chamber</u> with a size if you're interested in being among the first to have one!

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DEADLINE ALERT

PALMYRA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT GRANT



Up to a total of \$2500 in matching grant money may be awarded to one or more selected businesses registered within the city of Palmyra. The grant program is directed at for-profit businesses. All applicants must demonstrate the ability to obtain additional financing from customary lenders.

Grant money will be given to the recipient in the form of reimbursement and will be disbursed only after adequate documentation is submitted. Recipient will be or agree to become a member of the Palmyra Chamber of Commerce.

The selection committee will base awards on Concept & Innovation, Viability, Financials, Sustainability and Economic Impact.



Business Development Grant Application

GENERAL INFORMATION

Up to a total of \$2500 in matching grant money may be awarded to one or more selected businesses registered within the city of Palmyra. Funds may be used for any business expense at the discretion of the Grant Committee that will review all applications. The grant program is additional financing from customary lenders.

Grant money will be given to the recipient in the form of reimbursement and will be disbursed only after adequate documentation including, but not limited to, receipts are submitted.

Recipient will be or agree to become a member of the Palmyra Champhar of the Palmyra C

The Palmyra Chamber Business Development Grant Application can be downloaded from

www.showmepalmyra.com.

Applications are due October 31, 2022.







Our local Food Pantry needs our contributions more than ever. So, once again, the Palmyra Chamber of Commerce, Northeast Power and the Palmyra R-1 Key Club are competing to see who can collect the most food items for the Palmyra Food Pantry. The competition begins now and concludes at the November Palmyra Chamber Monthly Meeting which will take place at noon, Tuesday, November 8, at Northeast Power.

You can help the Palmyra Chamber be generous as well as victorious by contributing nonperishables. You may bring items when you attend the meeting or drop off items at the Chamber office in the Gardner House, open Tuesdays and Thursdays.

NOMINATION DEADLINE

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Time to submit those Nominations for Citizen of the Year, Educator of the Year and Volunteer of the Year! Nominations for Educator of the Year don't have to be for a teacher but may be for any individual who positively guides youth or trains others.

To assist you, nominating criteria and guidelines are available at showmepalmyra.com they are also available in print form at the Chamber office, the Palmyra Spectator, and City Hall. Recipients will be announced at the Palmyra Chamber's Annual Banquet, January 12, 2023. Send your nominations to the Chamber office at P.O. Box 446, Palmyra, MO 63461 or palmyrachamber@gmail.com.

As in the past, the Palmyra Chamber Board of Directors will select the recipients for the Business Hall of Fame and the Paint Brush Award, the latter for a business that has really improved its looks and added that "something extra" to our community.

The deadline for nominations is Tuesday, December 6. Without you, a deserving candidate may go unrecognized!



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CLINT STEWART HOMEBANK

PRESIDENT'S AWARD



DUSTIN RIFEVOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR



GLENN GRIESBAUM CITIZEN OF THE YEAR



KIRT MALONE EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR



GDC INSURANCE PAINTBRUSH AWARD



B&S INSURANCEBUSINESS HALL OF FAME

PALMYRA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE **ANNUAL CHAMBER** BANQUET Save the date for our Annual Awards

Banquet, Thursday, January 12 at Farischon Hall. Social Hour will begin at 5:30 p.m. with

dinner at 6:30 p.m. Tickets will be available after Thanksgiving.

SHOWCASE YOUR BUSINESS

All Chamber businesses have the opportunity to decorate a table to reflect their business and display their product or service to the banquet attendees. You can promote your business by using branded items such as pens or notepads at place settings with the centerpiece/prize being an item/service sold by the business. Or a business might choose a theme, such as movies or wine, decorating accordingly. A business does not need to buy tickets for seating at that table. Anyone may choose to sit where they like what they see.

To reserve a table to decorate, call or email the Palmyra Chamber office (573-769-0777; palmyrachamber@gmail.com). Eleven tables of 10 will be available for sponsorship. If you are a small business, why not sponsor ½ a table, going in with another Chamber member? Then

- · Provide an item for the center of the table that will be a door prize for someone seated at that table.
- Provide a small item at each place setting as a favor for each person at the table. *Any items placed on the table will be considered prizes.
- The Palmyra Chamber will have Msgr. Farischon Hall open between 12:30 1:30 p.m. on January 12 to give you time to decorate your table. If you prefer, you may bring your decorations to the Chamber office prior to this date, and this can be done for you. The Chamber will be responsible for the tablecloths, napkins and table service for all tables. We will also provide a small sign with the name of your company which will be placed on your decorated table.

The fun take-home decor adds another reason everyone wants to be at the Palmyra Chamber's 2023 banquet! Use your creativity and some of these fabulous past table ideas for inspiration.

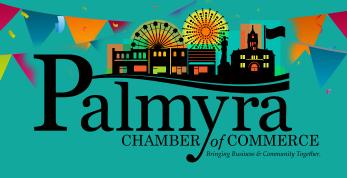












CONGRATS KUDOS WELL DONE!



IGNITE HOST

Congratulations and thank you to Missouri Farm Bureau agent, Kelly Porter, for hosting Ignite at the Palmyra Sesquicentennial Building.



NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome new Chamber members Martin Pumping in Taylor, Missouri, and Stattus Error Tattoo Shop on Main Street in Palmyra! A Ribbon Cutting was held at new business Stattus Error in downtown Palmyra on September 2.



Please support them and all they do for our community.

2022 CHAMBER MEMBERSHIP



Let's unite as a community and support one another. Join or renew as a valued member of the Palmyra Chamber of Commerce. Membership runs January – December. Businesses with only 1-3 employees can join for only \$75. Churches and Community & Service Organizations and Non-Business Individual Memberships are also \$75. Retired Individuals may join for \$25. An application and more information are available on the Chamber website here.



2022 CHAMBER MEMBERSHIP

Invite a friend or business member to join! Palmyra Chamber membership for 2023 runs January – December.

Applications available here.

Visit www.showmepalmyra.com for everything Palmyra!

UPCOMING CHAMBER MEETING & PROGRAMS

12 pm, Tu., October 11, HATS:

Learn more from Kathy Nicholson, Palmyra R-1 PAT Director, about the launch of the Dolly Parton Imagination Library in the Palmyra R-1 School District.

12 pm, Tu., November 8, Northeast Power:

Palmyra R-1's Superintendent, Jason Harper, will be our guest speaker and answer your questions about the 2022-2023 School Year. The Food Pantry donation challenge with the Palmyra Chamber, Northeast Power and Palmyra R-1's Key Club will conclude. Who will this year's winner be?

12 pm, Tu., December 13, Halls Hall:

Mayor Rusty Adrian will have a wrap up of the city of Palmyra's accomplishments during 2022 and a preview of what's to come in the new year.

5:30 pm Social, 6:30 pm Dinner, Th., January 12, 2023, Farischon Hall:

The Palmyra Chamber of Commerce Annual Awards Banquet

CALENDAR upcoming events

October 6

Rule Out Cancer ~ 4-7 pm, Golden Ruler, Hannibal

October 17

Taste of Palmyra ~ 5-9 pm, Main Street

October 20

Park Adventure ~ 10 am – 6 pm, Flower City Park Shelter 1

October 23

Val's Pals Baskets & More Auction~ 1-4 pm, Flower City Park



October 31

Deadline for Chamber Business Development Grant (info)

November 6

Clocks "Fall Back"

November 12

BLP Holiday Gift Show

November 24

Thanksgiving

December 6

Deadline for Chamber Award Nominations (info)

December 22 – January 4

Palmyra R-1 Christmas Break

December 25

Christmas

January 1

Happy New Year

October Tuesdays: PAT Play Group 9:10-10:10 am

Palmyra Elementary Cafeteria

Chamber Email Address: palmyrachamber@gmail.com

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Palmyra MO Chamber of Commerce