# MONTHLY NEWSLETTER | SEPTEMBER 2025



# A Message from the Chamber...





### Glendale Heights Chamber Hosts Second Breakfast Club Event

On Wednesday, August 20, the Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce hosted its second Breakfast Club event at the Glendale Heights Sports Hub. The event welcomed both familiar faces from April's inaugural Breakfast Club and first-time attendees, creating a mix of members from local businesses, not-for-profit organizations, and the Village of Glendale Heights staff.

The morning began with informal networking and conversation over a variety of breakfast items. Afterward, attendees gathered to introduce themselves and share a bit about their organizations. The discussion then shifted to member engagement, as attendees were invited to share why they joined the Chamber and what support they hope to receive as members.

Common themes included a desire for networking opportunities, volunteer involvement, community engagement, and enhanced communication between members. Chamber Board members were also in attendance to connect directly with members and hear their feedback.

A key goal of the Chamber is to offer events at various times of the day to better accommodate members' diverse schedules. After a break from morning gatherings since April, we were excited to bring back a Breakfast Club event and look forward to continuing to offer engaging opportunities for connection and growth.



# Click <u>here</u> to see our business directory

### **Welcome New Members**

Welcome to the businesses and organizations who recently joined the Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce:

Glendale Heights Oktoberfest

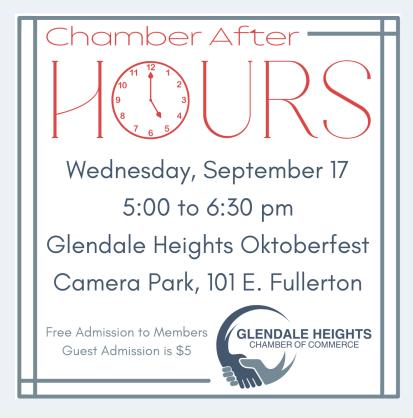
Sumitomo Drive Technologies

Recent Additions Include:

Midwest Physical Medicine and Rehab

Glendale Lakes Golf Club

listing all members of the Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce.



## Chamber After Hours at Glendale Heights Oktoberfest

Join us for a special After Hours networking event set against the lively backdrop of Glendale Heights Oktoberfest on Wednesday, September 17 from 5:00 - 6:30 pm. Connect with fellow business professionals while enjoying the festive sights, sounds, and flavors of this seasonal celebration at Camera Park, located at 101 East Fullerton Avenue, Glendale Heights.

This relaxed, come-as-you-are gathering is the perfect way to build new relationships, catch up with colleagues, and soak in the spirited atmosphere.

Admission to the event is free for Chamber members and just \$5 for guests (payable at the door). Advance registration is required—please be sure to register by September 16 by clicking here. We look forward to seeing you there!



# Have You Seen This Window Cling? Guess the Location!

Every member of the Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce receives a special window cling in order to proudly display their membership. It's our way of showing community support and celebrating the businesses that help our local economy thrive!

This month, we spotted one of those clings proudly displayed in a window. Can you guess which Chamber member is showing off their pride?

Take a look at the photo above—recognize that spot?

### Click here to find out who it is!

Stay tuned as we feature a new "Cling Sighting" and highlight the incredible businesses that make up our Chamber community. Will your business be next?



# Glendale Heights Oktoberfest

Enjoy Oktoberfest rain or shine under a spacious festival tent—covering all the fun, food, and entertainment!

### Festival Dates

September 11-21, 2025

### Hours of Operation

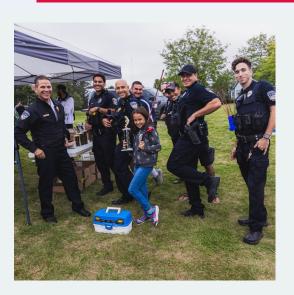
Monday 5:00 – 10:00 pm Tuesday 5:00 – 10:00 pm Wednesday 5:00 – 10:00 pm Thursday 5:00 – 10:00 pm Friday 5:00 pm – Midnight Saturday Noon – Midnight The 13th Annual Glendale Heights Oktoberfest returns to Camera Park from September 11–21, 2025! Enjoy 11 days of delicious food, live music, refreshing beer, and fun for all ages!

For more information visit glendaleheightsoktoberfest.com

Sunday Noon – 10:00 pm

Admission Prices
Adults (after 5:00 pm) \$5.00
Children (16 & under) FREE

Parking is Free





## **Volunteers Needed for Upcoming Community Events!**

We're looking for enthusiastic volunteers to support two exciting events in Glendale Heights:

Cops & Bobbers: Fishing Derby Saturday, September 27 9:00 am - 11:30 am Heritage Park, Glendale Heights

Family Health and Safety Fair Wednesday, October 1 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm Glendale Heights Sports Hub

These events are great opportunities to give back, meet neighbors, and have some fun while supporting our community.

Interested in volunteering?
Contact us at <a href="mailto:info@ghchamber.com">info@ghchamber.com</a> to learn more!

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