



# September 2024

# NEWSLETTER

## Wedding Bells & Ribbon Cuttings Welcome **Kaleidoscope**

We are thrilled to welcome Kaleidoscope Weddings & Events as a recent member of our chamber! Located in Pierceton, this stunning new venue is quickly becoming a popular choice for weddings and special events, with weekend dates filling up fast. We are so fortunate to have them as a neighboring county venue, offering couples another fantastic option to celebrate their big day.

They understand that planning a wedding can be both exhilarating and overwhelming. That's why they have assembled a team of dedicated professionals who are passionate about turning your vision into reality. Their wedding team will be there every step of the way.

Located at **502 N First St, Pierceton, IN 46562**  
Find them at **[kaleidoscope502.com](http://kaleidoscope502.com)**



# The Ultimate Chamber Par-tee: 2024 Birdies, Beers & BBQ



We are excited to announce the success of our recent Chamber Golf Outing, marking another record year for this fundraiser! Thanks to the incredible support from our members, sponsors, and participants, this year's event surpassed all expectations, raising vital funds to support our community programs. It was a fantastic day of networking, friendly competition, and fun, and we are already looking forward to next year!

Special thanks to **Hartland Photography & Bravery Branding** for capturing moments of our largest golf outing to date!



Check out the results of our teams here >

Pos.	Foursome	To Par Gross	Total Gross
1	City Auto 2	-20	52
2	Hoosier Windows	-20	52
3	Ferrell Real Estate	-18	54
4	Crossroads Bank	-14	58
5	Chris Judy	-10	62
6	Paul Davis 1	-10	62
7	Deb Scheffler Team	-9	63
8	Felger Hart Inc.	-9	63
9	City Auto 1	-9	63
10	Flow Tech 1	-8	64
11	Andy's Car Wash	-8	64
12	Sturges Property Group	-7	65
13	Morsches Builders	-7	65
14	Flow Tech 2	-4	68
15	Ryan Protection	-3	69
16	HILB	-3	69
17	RABB	-3	69
18	State Farm - Olivia	-2	70
19	City of Columbia City	+1	73
20	Running Around	+2	74
21	E Brewing	+3	75
22	Renu	+6	78
23	Moake Park Group	+7	79
24	Paul Davis 2	+45	117

## Welcome NEWEST CHAMBER MEMBERS

We are so excited to welcome these local businesses to the Whitley County Chamber.

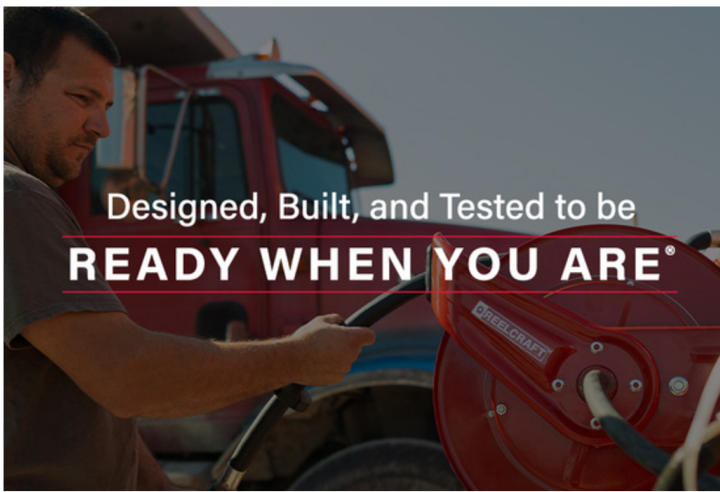
KALEIDOSCOPE WEDDINGS & EVENTS

TOTAL POTENTIAL COACHING - KATHY MOORE

# Member of the Month



We are thrilled to announce **Reelcraft** as our Chamber Member of the Month! Reelcraft is a global leader in the design and manufacture of high-quality hose, cord, and cable reels, serving a diverse range of industries. With a strong emphasis on innovation, durability, and customer satisfaction, Reelcraft has built a reputation for excellence that extends far beyond our local community. Their commitment to quality is matched only by their dedication to supporting the local economy and giving back to the community. As an active member of our Chamber, Reelcraft continues to play a vital role in driving economic growth and fostering a spirit of collaboration. We are proud to recognize their outstanding contributions and celebrate their ongoing success!



**CONGRATULATIONS!**

## Framing Up The Ferrell Group

We love seeing local businesses and Chamber members expanding to new places within our county. This week, framing has started on The Ferrell Group's new office building that will be located beside the Dollar General in Columbia City. They are also celebrating their 5 year anniversary this month too so we are elated to wish them loads of congratulations and even more success with their upcoming move!

Be sure to follow their Facebook page for more photos and updates as their new office comes to life!





**\$5**


# Whitley County *Senior Games*

Save the date! Prepare for a week filled with fun, games, and excitement at our 3rd annual Senior Games! Join one event, or all ten, for just \$5. Potential prizes, a t-shirt, an ice cream party, and lots of fun for all! Sign up at The Woodlands by August 19th to guarantee a t-shirt.



**SEPTEMBER  
9TH - 13TH**

**REGISTRATION  
REQUIRED**

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Saturday  
September 21  
2024 6-10pm

Parkview Mirro Center  
10622 Parkview Plaza Dr.



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# LIONS, TIGERS & BEER

SATURDAY SEPT. 21 FROM 6 TO 9 PM

Join us for an adult evening of beer tasting, dinner, music, a silent auction, and observing the animals.

\$50: Pre-Sale until Sept. 19

\$60: After Sept. 19

\$75: VIP Early Entry (5:15pm) & Tour



**Black Pine  
Animal Sanctuary**

1426 W 300 N Albion, IN 46701  
(260) 636-7383 | [bpsanctuary.org](http://bpsanctuary.org)

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE 21 OR OLDER TO ENTER AND MUST PRESENT A VALID PHOTO ID. SORRY, NO REFUNDS.

RESERVE YOUR TICKETS TODAY AT [BPSANCTUARY.ORG](http://BPSANCTUARY.ORG)



# HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA

September 21, 2024

9-3pm



**Etna Troy Community Center**  
**4905 County Rd 550 West, Columbia City, IN**

*Great Shopping, Food @ Fun*

**Over 70 Quality Vendors (Inside & Outside)**  
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# MIZPAH SHRINE

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AND



## **75 ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**

September 18 through 22

Fort Wayne Headquarters

Hilton Hotel at the Grand Wayne Center

## **PARADE**

September 21

Columbia City

Marshalling area at the site of the former Columbia City High School property at 400 North Whitley Street

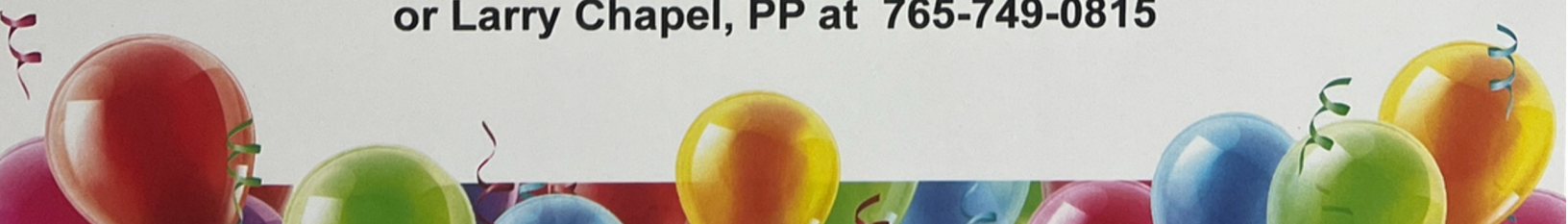
Marshal or assembling time: 11:00 am

Step Off at 12:00 noon

CONTACT:

Jerry Freewalt, PP - President GLSA at 260-609-7846

or Larry Chapel, PP at 765-749-0815





**YOU'RE INVITED**

*to Celebrate*

**25**

**YEARS**

*in Columbia City*

**SAVE  
THE DATE**

**JOIN US AT  
ANDY'S  
9/21 10AM-1PM**

Local Businesses  
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Bounce House  
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# Your destination for fall fun



Sep 25 - Nov 17  
Pumpkin Patch  
Bakery Items  
Picnic grounds

8324 W State Rd 14  
South Whitley IN 46787



Special Event Nights Wednesday & Thursday 4pm-8pm  
Friday 4pm-10pm  
Saturday 11-10pm  
Sunday 11-8pm

September 26-29, 2024



# ART & PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW

SEPTEMBER 23-28

South Whitley  
Community Public Library



# Artisan Market

Saturday, SEPTEMBER 28, 2024

9am-3pm

HOSTED AT

The Press Room Event Center

113 South State Street South Whitley IN

Support Local Artists

during the

South Whitley Fall Festival

email: [jenkrider@outlook.com](mailto:jenkrider@outlook.com) for more information



Saturday, September 28

Hobby Horse Races

September 26-29, 2024



50th Anniversary Since 1974

**Sales &  
events  
all over  
Town!**

**Churubusco's 13th Annual  
Town Wide  
Garage Sales**

US 33

**Sept. 27 & 28**

SR 205



**Listings will be available after  
September 24 at the Clerk's  
office (204 N. Line Street), on our  
Facebook page, or on our  
website,  
[www.townofchurubusco.com!](http://www.townofchurubusco.com)**



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Having a sale? Email your listing to [clerk@townofchurubusco.com](mailto:clerk@townofchurubusco.com) by September 20th with the subject "Garage Sale". Please include address, dates/times of your sale, and a small description of what will be available. Listings received after the deadline are not guaranteed to be published.

# YOU'RE INVITED!

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Thursday October 10, 2024

5pm-7pm

Peabody Public Library  
Auditorium 1&2

RSVP via our QR Code



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\*Space is limited

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

S. Whitley Farm Wagon



**Community Harvest Food Bank** could use help  
with volunteers at our S. Whitley Farm Wagon!

Our Farm Wagon mobile pantries distribute fresh produce, dairy, and other food items to low-income rural and urban areas where people do not have access to fresh foods. All individuals in need are welcome to attend and no pre-signup is necessary.

The South Whitley Farm Wagon occurs every Thursday at 1:00pm.  
(Former Fox Products Building: 709 N. Hathaway Dr.)

Distributions are held outside - please dress accordingly for weather!

Register to  
Volunteer!



[chfb.org](http://chfb.org)



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