

Bellaire Area Chamber of Commerce
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Your Business/Organization is invited to join the Bellaire Area Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber's mission is to represent and advance the civic and economic interests of the business, professional and service organizations in our community. The Chamber is a non-profit organization funded by membership dues and fund raising.

The Chamber enhances the development of industrial, commercial, tourism and civic interests.

HOW DOES THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PROMOTE BUSINESS SUCCESS?

- The Times Leader Newspaper publishes the "Meet the Ohio Valley" magazine each summer. It contains information about Bellaire and surrounding areas. Chamber Members are listed and Members advertise in the publication. It is distributed as a supplement to the newspaper and copies are given to new residents and tourists through the Chamber of Commerce Office.
- Ribbon Cutting Ceremonies are held for new businesses. All Chamber Members and news media are invited. Pictures of those who attended are published in the local newspaper listing their names and businesses. This provides free advertising for those in attendance.
- The Chamber Newsletter is printed monthly and contains articles about local businesses.

WHAT DOES THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DO FOR MY BUSINESS?

- The Chamber provides networking opportunities. People like doing business with people they know.
- Business After Hours events will be conducted throughout the year. These events are sponsored by members and give them the opportunity to showcase their business.
- Monthly Luncheons are held where speakers present programs pertinent to local business.
- The Chamber Office refers new residents and tourists to members when an inquiry is made.
- Members can place inserts in the newsletter for a nominal charge.
- Workers Compensation insurance group rates are provided to members.

WHAT DOES THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DO FOR THE COMMUNITY?

- We organize local businesses to sponsor the Fireworks Display marking the end of the All American Days Festival. Money raised from the All American Days Festival car show pays for the Christmas lights in the village of Bellaire.
- We sponsor a "Meet the Candidate Night" in order for residents to find out where the candidates stand on issues.
- We sponsor the Christmas Parade which highlights the city of Bellaire.
- We are willing to help with anything that brings businesses to Bellaire.
- We promote the community!