

April 2008

Chamber Chatter

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Calendar of Events

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10 – 5:00 p.m. – Chamber After Hours hosted by City of Kearney, at the Amphitheater in Jesse James Park.

19 – Mr. Stinky Feet Children's Park at the Amphitheater, hosted by The UPS Store and Kindermusik.

May

10 – Kearney Home, Health and Happiness Expo 9:00-4:00 p.m. top floor of First Missouri National Bank Building, 455 Sam Barr Drive.

June

5 – 12:00 – Kearney/Smithville Chamber Golf Tournament. Outlaw Course at Paradise Pointe. Start time is 1:00 p.m. with dinner to follow. Please contact Jim Smith at 816-628-6666 or Kearney Chamber of Commerce at 816-628-4229 for more details.

6 – Excelsior Springs Hospital Golf Tournament, Excelsior Springs. 12:30 shotgun start.

City of Kearney Sponsors Chamber After Hours

You won't want to miss this one!

On Thursday, April 10, at 5:00 p.m. the City of Kearney will proudly host a Chamber After Hours at the new Amphitheater! Come and enjoy some refreshments, and there will be live music provided as well. This will kick off the Amphitheater schedule of events for the remainder of the year. We hope to see you there!

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Business of the Month – The House Whisperers, Bob Hurst & Kandis Trieb



The House Whisperers, Bob Hurst & Kandis Trieb, are adding to their team! Welcome to Conrad Mays and Jim Beaty! We are very fortunate to have these two new team members. Conrad brings years of experience in the interior design field, owning

her own stores and has a great way with people. She joined Reece & Nichols Kearney over a year ago and we are so proud to call her a teammate. Jim Beaty has sold real estate in Kearney over a year, previously selling real estate in the L.A. area. Jim and his family moved to the Kearney area in the 1980's and have over 25 years in sales and marketing. What a great combination to help people with their real estate. We are so excited to have a great team in place to help our customers. With over 35 years of real estate experience we feel this will be a great combination to help us go forward in the ever-changing real estate market. Give us a chance to help in your real estate needs. If you call you won't be disappointed. The House Whisperers can be reached at 816-903-1095
Bob Hurst 816-582-1095
Kandis Trieb 816-718-5650
Conrad Mays 816-820-1186
Jim Beaty 816-550-9387
Reece and Nichols Realtors, Kearney.

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Home, Health and Happiness Expo

The Kearney Business group is sponsoring the first annual Kearney Home, Health and Happiness Expo! It will be Saturday, May 10th, from 9:00 am – 4:00 p.m, on the top floor

of the First Missouri National Bank Building, 455 Sam Barr drive. If you are a vendor and would like to participate, cost is \$75 per booth. You will need to provide a door prize valued at \$5 - \$50 and a 15-second infomercial to be read when your door prize is given. A hot tub will also be raffled off!

Attendance is free so come and bring your friends! If you have any questions or would like to reserve a booth, please call Dan Holt at 816-223-3630.

The Kearney Business Group meets every Thursday at 455 Sam Barr Drive, Suite 103. For more information about the Kearney Business group you can email info@kearneybusinessgroup.com or visit their website at www.kearneybusinessgroup.com.

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Critter-Wise Celebrates Anniversary

Critter-Wise will be celebrating their one-year anniversary the first week of April. There will be a raffle for a 20-gallon setup with stand and

NEW MEMBER!

The Kearney Chamber of Commerce would like to welcome the following new members:

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Roger & Ann Ramsey
105 S. Jefferson, Suite B-1
Kearney, MO 64060
816-903-2946
Fax: 816-902-2947
Email:
funstitch@embarqmail.com

Welcome!

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DO YOU have something you'd like to share with the community? This is the place to do it – the newsletter is available in hard copy and also on our website and is a great way to let others know what's new with your business! For more information you can call the Chamber at 816-628-4229, email us at kearneychamber@exop.net, mail us at PO box 242, Kearney, MO 64060 or fax us at 816-902-1234. We always like to hear from you!

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free treats for your canine companions. Come join the festivities and be sure to pick up a copy of our new monthly newsletter! Zach Brockman
Critter-Wise

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Kruisin Kearney Returns

It's time for Kruisin Kearney again, beginning with the 3rd Sunday this April through October. We also have two major auto shows this summer – May 4th and October 5th. If your company would like to present promotional items for our giveaways at the car cruises please let us know. Our announcer will mention your company several times that day. Any company interested in a booth at the car shows please contact Mike Rabich, A-1 Wheels, at 816-903-3603. Vendors and sponsors are always appreciated!

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New in The Paper!

New in The Paper - Yourhometown Shopper is now offering full color in the Center Section or DoubleTruck as it is called in the publishing world. We are prebooking this section, which insures the date you need is reserved. We are also extending to new customers a 20% discount on a 6 ad-run in The Paper.

After you complete your agreement you get a free ReTales story published about your business. We have also extended our weekly circulation for our shopper from 18,362 to

18,846 and are pushing toward 19,000. Our numbers in Kearney have increased from 4894 to 4983. This means we are reaching more customers for you but our ad rates are still competitive. We at Tinnen publishing tout a long history of the best customer service possible! Call Mylissa for details at 816-592-0347.

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Excelsior Springs Hospital Golf Tournament

It's time to mark your calendar for the 18th annual Excelsior Springs Hospital Golf Tournament! The tournament will be held on Friday, June 6, 2008, at the Excelsior Springs Golf Course in Excelsior Springs. It will begin with a shotgun start at 12:30. Registration begins at 11:00 with lunch being served from 11:00 until 12:30. Appetizers will be offered after post tournament play for your enjoyment. Please remember donations of raffle and auction items or hole prizes are always needed. To secure your sponsorship, donate hole prizes or enter your golf team, call Jeanne Buckman at 816-629-2768, or log onto our website at www.esmc.org to sign up online.

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Spring on the Farm

On Saturday, April 19 from 11:00 to 4:00 p.m. Watkins Woolen Mill will have

Spring on the Farm – free to all interested! Come and be a part of 1870's living history. Talk with craftsmen and women while they show you their skills. See our heirloom garden and gardeners, or watch how heritage sheep are sheared by hand. For more information you can call 816-580-3387.

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It Pays to Have People!

**You won't pay for mistake
You got people.**

Three photos of people: Mike Rabich, A-1 Wheels; Mylissa Tinnen, Tinnen Publishing; and Jeanne Buckman, Excelsior Springs Hospital Golf Tournament.

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The UPS Store to Host Children's Concert

Mr. Stinky Feet comes to the Kearney Amphitheater on Saturday, April 19. Come and bring the kids for this fun and exciting event! For more information please call 816-903-4UPS!

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