



Orleans Chamber of Commerce Newsletter

Summer, 2017



Concert in the Park

Our popular Orleans Summer "Concert in the Park" series is held in June, July, and August in the Historic Congress Square (town park). All concerts are free. Lawn chairs, blankets, and picnics are welcome! This year's musical events will be held on the brand new Bicenennial Stage located in the southwest corner of the square.

All Concerts begin at 7 p.m. EST. Special thanks to our great community partners Old National Bank, Duke Energy, and Mid-Southern Savings for helping to underwrite the cost of the music series.



June 24 BLEND (kick off night)
 July 8 Tobin & Friends
 July 15 Sweet Water
 July 22 River Cities Concert Band
 July 29 Lick Creek Band
 Aug 19 Ladies for Liberty
 (salute to troops)

In the event of inclement weather, concerts may be slightly delayed or moved indoors to nearby Unity Hall, located behind the Orleans Christian Church. For more info contact the Orleans Chamber of Commerce at 812-865-9930 or historicorleans@netsurfusa.net.



The brand new Strategic Services Laundromat is now open for business. Orleans Town and Chamber representatives joined owner John Hopper and family members for a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony to mark the Grand Opening of the towns' newest business. The full service laundromat is located on E. Jackson in the former auto parts store and across the way from the Hair Dugout. Dry Cleaning pick up is also available. Stop in and check it out.

Homegrown Farmers Market

is back each Saturday at Historic Congress Square from 8 am—noon.



Come
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Community Calendar

June 20 Summer Begins
 July 4 Independence Day
 July 13 Chamber Meeting 8 am.
 Aug 10 Chamber Meeting 8 am.
 Aug 11 Crave Mobile here

Orleans Façade Project

A number of Orleans business and building owners gathered at the Orleans Town Hall May 24th for an important announcement relating to the long awaited Historic Orleans Façade Project. OCEDP Executive Director Lloyd Arnold announced grant awards to over 20 local business and building owners that will assist in renovating the historic store fronts, facades in and around historic Congress Square.

Arnold introduced the other community partners including Radius, Town of Orleans and Orleans Chamber of Commerce. He also touched on some of the grant particulars and contractual agreements.

Orleans Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Robert F. Henderson said obviously we are very excited about this opportunity being afforded us and truly feel that this important project will enhance our hometown of Orleans for years to come.

Orleans Town Council President Mike Fields echoed those sentiments and said this really just a beginning for more good things for the town of Orleans. Lloyd Arnold agreed saying this is just the beginning and a perfect example of what can happen with a community comes together and everyone is on board with bringing about positive change. Façade recipients are:

- Busick Insurance Agency
- Orleans Antiques
- Strategic Services
- A Bark Above LLC
- Fashionette Beauty Shop
- Springer-Springer Insurance
- AAA Auto & Truck Parts
- The Gift Factory
- Orleans Masonic Lodge 153
- U.S.P.O./Progress Examiner
- Hometown Carpets
- Sprigler Market and Deli
- Herle's Restaurant
- Kirk Veterinary Services
- Mary Lea Brown CPA
- Boyer Building
- Paradise Pizza
- Town of Orleans
- Flower Cottage
- Blue Spot
- Orleans Chamber of Commerce
- Himebaugh Bldg.



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Orleans Chamber of Commerce is proud to welcome the following new Chamber members:

- Strategic Services Laundromat
- Engleking RX
- The Gift Factory
- Forward Telehealth & Counseling

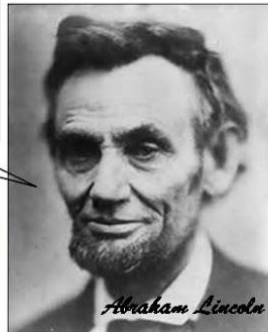
I like to see a man proud of the place in which he lives. I like to see a man live so that his place will be proud of him

We are proud to be the "Front Porch" of Orange County and invite everyone to Come Sit A While



We are looking for some nominations for our Summertime Beautification awards. Nominations may be submitted for residential and or commercial properties to the Chamber at P.O. Box 9, Orleans, IN 47452-0009 email historicorleans@netsurfusa.net or fax 812 865-3413. Nominations must include the property owner's name, address, telephone number and an explanation of why the property was nominated for the award. All properties should be within the Orleans Town limits and cannot include properties for sale or lease.

Beautification Committee



Know someone who should be a part of the Chamber? Is there something exciting happening in your business? Have a new product or service you want others to know about? Do you have an outstanding employee who you would like us to spotlight? If so let us hear from you.



Did you know that the Orleans Chamber's Welcome Center, located on the north side of the town square, has an ATM service available 24/7? Orleans related and visitor info is also available near the main entrance area.



Need to contact the Chamber?
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Orleans, IN 47452-0009
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All Chamber members are encouraged to attend and to take an active part in the Chamber's activities. We welcome your input, comments and/or ideas for improvement to our organization.



Summer Reading is Cool!



Thanks Orleans



The Orleans Chamber of Commerce and its Board of Directors would like to take this opportunity to thank EVERYONE who helped in any way to make our recent annual Silent Auction another huge success with over \$7,000 raised during the three day event. Proceeds will go toward the Chamber's various community projects, such as keeping the annual Dogwood Festival going and other hometown enhancements. Our sincere thanks to all the area businesses for their generous donations and to all bidders who participated in the auction. We are grateful for your continual support. Special thanks to Wendy Sprigler, her event committee members this year and the Orleans Christian Church for the generous use of Unity Hall.

AAA Auto & Truck Parts	HD Graphix	Orange County REMC
A Bark Above Pet Grooming	Hair Dugout	Orleans Boy Scout Troop #384
Amanda Lantis	Hall Bros. Transportation	Orleans Community Schools
American Legion Post #69	Helix Technologies	Orleans Family Health Care
Babcock Motors	Holiday World & Splashin' Safari	Orleans Flower Shop
Bedford Ford	Hoosier Hills Credit Union - Paoli	Orleans Public Library
Bedford Office Supply	IU Health - Paoli	Paoli, Inc.
Big Splash Water Park	Indiana Beach	Paula Elliott
Beam-Longest-Neff	Indianapolis Children's Museum	Pat's Plants
Bobbi Elrod	Indianapolis Colts	Progress Examiner
Bobbie Elliott	Indianapolis Motor Speedway	Reynold's Construction, LLC
Beulah Shed	Infrastructure Systems, Inc.	River View Farms
Bev Baird - Drive By Shooter	Isom Law Office	Robert Allen
Brent Elliott	J&S Sportswear	Robert F. Henderson
Busick Insurance	Janice Moore	Rowena Hall
Butterfield Chiropractic	Janie Baker	Scott Daugherty Trucking
Cave Country Canoes	Jay Kern	Scott & Mary Ann Whalin
Cave Quarries, Inc.	Jeff Cunningham	Family
Chicago Bears	Joann Burton	SilverStream, LLC (Dishmaster
Cincinnati Reds	John Jones Auto Group	Faucet)
Coca-Cola - Dean Jones	John F. Noblitt	Simon & Wendy Sprigler
Copy Trolley	Jon Stalker	Snow Family Chiropractic
Corydon Chemical	Kirby Hardware	Sprigler's Market & Deli
Crane Automotive	Kirk Vet Service	Squire Boone Caverns
Commonwealth Engineers	Lantis Insurance	Strategic Services Laundromat
Crazy Flock	Larry & Sandy Blanton	Suddarth Realty - Debbie
Daugherty's Services	Leslie Padgett	Suddarth
Debby Stone	Lew & Georgia Tetrick	Super Clean Carwash
Diane Love - Longaberger Rep.	Lola Taylor	Tom Bostic
Don McClintock	Love Family Farm	Tractor Supply
Drs. Harmon, Petty & Cole	Lynn & Bill Puckett	Tamera Noble Photography
Elliott Construction	Mary Lea Brown, CPA	Teena's Massage & Wellness
Elrod's Carpet Cleaning	Mega Caverns	Trademark
Engleking RX, LLC	Mid-Southern Savings Bank	Tri Kappa, Orleans
Ernie and Renee Sluss	Mike & Janet Fields	Troyer Foods
Fashionette Beauty Salon-Joann Morgan	Mitchell Manor	Tucker & Tucker
Fifth Third Bank	Myra Elliott	Vance Elliott
Flower Cottage	National Corvette Museum	Wheat's Service & Collision
Forward Telehealth & Counseling, P.C.	Newport Aquarium	White Castle Meat Processing
Freestyle Salon - Greta Lewellyn	Ochs-Tetrick Funeral Home	White River Co-op
French Lick Resort	Orange County Animal Clinic	Wolfe Contracting
French Lick/West Baden Indoor Karting	Orange County Farm Bureau Inc.	WonderLab
Gretchen Anderson - Edward Jones Rep.	- Women's Committee	Wright Implements