

January 2021

2021 Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry Annual Awards Banquet

After careful consideration and for the health and safety of everyone, the Annual Awards Banquet of the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry will not happen in its usual fashion in February. The COVID-19 Pandemic has forced us to postpone the banquet to 2022.

The Chamber staff have decided to celebrate the event a little differently this year by showcasing the awards ceremony for Citizen/Volunteer of the Year, Non-Profit of the Year, New Business of the Year, and Business of the Year virtually. We feel it is important to celebrate and honor our Chamber members. The Survey Monkey link for voting was emailed out to the primary contacts on our Chamber database on Thursday, January 21.

We are still accepting nominations for Citizen/Volunteer of the Year. The deadline date for both the voting and Citizen/Volunteer of the Year nominations is this Friday, January 29, 2021, 5 pm. Nomination forms can be found in this newsletter issue and [emailed](#) to our office.





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Citizen/Volunteer of the Year Award Nomination Form

- Candidate must be a resident of Shelby County for at least 1 year
- Individual must have achieved excellence in service to the community & county
- Individual must demonstrate a commitment to the community & county

I want to nominate: _____

I feel she/he should receive this award because

(short paragraph): _____

*Person to contact if there are questions: _____

*Phone _____ *Must be filled out & printed legibly

**FORMS MUST BE IN THE CHAMBER OFFICE BY FRIDAY,
JANUARY 29, 2021, 5:00 PM. NOMINATIONS MAY BE
EMAILED TO:**

info@exploreshelbycounty.com

**For more info: Shelby County Chamber of Commerce at
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Club Level Members

Platinum Plus Club Members

City of Harlan

Harlan Industrial Foundation

Harlan Municipal Utilities

Myrtue Medical Center

Shelby County

Shelby County State Bank

Platinum Club Members

Conductix-Wampfler

Monogram Prepared Meats, LLC

Gold Club Members

The Agency Insurance Essentia Protein Solutions FMCTC

Farmers Trust & Savings Bank

Midstates Bank

Silver Club Members

Elm Crest Senior Living Community Panama Transfer

Markham Family Dental Associates, Inc.

Bronze Club Members

All Purpose Contractors, LLC CDS Global Counsel Office & Document

Cyclone Lanes Fareway Stores, Inc. Harlan Golf & Country Club

The Harlan Tribune Hy-Vee Keast Motors

Terry Knapp Real Estate KNOD Radio Station

Molded Products Nishnabotna Valley REC

Pitts Family & Sports Chiropractic Center, PC

Smitty Bee Honey, Inc. Stars & Bars Entertainment

Subway Town & Country Credit Union Victoria Station

SCCCI Membership Renewals

The Chamber wishes to thank the following members who renewed their membership in November, December & January

AFLAC, Floral Elegance & 6th Street Emporium * Gute Tree Service
Hansen House – Harlan * Harlan Dental * Harlan Inn & Suites
Harlan Vision Clinic * Hy-Vee * Kirk Petersen Certified Appraisals
Knights of Columbus Council 3900 * Leah Marie Photography, LLC.
LightBox Systems * Market Street Gifts
Markham Family Dental Associates, Inc. * Monogram Prepared Meats, LLC.
Secret Serenity Salon & Day Spa * Shelby County Community Outreach
Shelby County ISU Extension & Outreach * United Bank of Iowa.

All Chamber Membership Renewals
Are Sent Electronically Through
Our Website, 30 - 60 Days Prior To
Their Due Date. You Can Also
Renew Your Membership Online
Via Our Website.

Shelby County Welcome Bags

Our office is still in need of items for our Welcome Bags. What we are looking for: Brochures; Business Cards, Coupons; and Promotional Marketing Items such as clips, pens, magnets, ice cream scoops, eye glass cleaner, and so forth. If you would like to have your business represented in our Welcome Bags, please reach out and contact our office 712-755-2114 or [email](#). We can arrange “no contact” pick up or drop off here at the Chamber office.



2020-2021 Board of Directors

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Coordinator



Shelby County State Bank recently partnered with the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry for a 2020 SHOP LOCAL promotion. SCSB offered a 10% discount on Shelby County Chamber Gift Certificates purchased during the holiday season (December 1 – 24, 2020).

With this exciting offer from SCSB, Shelby County residents and businesses responded by setting a record - \$105,615 in sales of gift certificates during the holiday season! This represents over \$100,000 that will be spent with local Shelby County businesses throughout the coming weeks and months.

Legislative Coffee



All Legislative Coffees will be held in the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry's Atrium, 1901 Hawkeye Avenue, Harlan, 10 am.

Dates:

Saturday, February 20

Hosted by Shelby County Farm Bureau

Saturday, March 20

Saturday, April 18

SCCCI Mission Statement: To create a climate of opportunity for business growth, economic development, and a high standard of living throughout Shelby County.

Event Info

February 2021						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 GriefShare Seminar/Support Group First Baptist Church Harlan Seeds of Hope Support Group SCCO, Harlan	2 Groundhog Day Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	3	4	5 Blood Drive Myrtue Medical Center, Harlan	6 Blood Drive Shelby Community Building, Shelby Virtual Outdoor Cooking Series
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14 Valentine's Day	15 Presidents Day Chamber office closed GriefShare Seminar/Support Group First Baptist Church, Harlan Seeds of Hope Support Group SCCO, Harlan	16 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	17	18	19	20 Legislative Coffee Series, SCCCI Atrium Harlan
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14 Daylight Saving Time Begins	15 GriefShare Seminar/Support Group First Baptist Church Harlan Seeds of Hope Support Group SCCO, Harlan	16 Iowa Community Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Harlan	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20 Spring Equinox Legislative Coffee Series, SCCCI Atrium Harlan
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