



# the Chamber Advantage



## New Members



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Civic Member



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## Business After Hours

Thursday, October 21  
5-7 p.m.

**Elliott Stone Company**  
State Road 158  
Tours of the Underground Quarry will be available!

Join us for networking, refreshments,  
and a drawing for a \$100 cash prize

## Friday Focus Luncheon



The guest speaker for the Friday Focus Luncheon in August was **Captain Charles LaSota of NSWC Crane.**

The Bedford Area Chamber of Commerce invites you to attend the **Tuesday, October 12th** seminar regarding **"How to Manage Problem Employees and Difficult Supervisory Situations"**

Glenn Shepard of "Glenn Shepard Seminars", author, speaker and management consultant will be the presenter for this seminar

### TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED ARE:

- How to hire with confidence and fire without fear
- How to put your team on the fast track to success
- How to fix bad attitudes, end office gossip and deal with tattletales AND
- What motivates more than money

The Tuesday, October 12th seminar will be held at the Chamber office located at 1116 16th Street, Bedford, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The cost is \$129.00 for Chamber members and \$149.00 for non-members. Registration forms can be picked up at the Chamber office or for more details call 275-4493.

## Events & Ceremonies



Zane & Marsha Simpson of **Cheyennes Bikers Wear** invited Chamber Members and their guests to their Ribbon Cutting, located at 2830 Washington Avenue in Bedford.



William and Sarah Windhorst of **Windhorst Mattress Center** invited Chamber Members and their guests to their Ribbon Cutting and Grand Re-Opening celebration, located at 3108 John Williams Boulevard.

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## Business After Hours



**Whitney Tool** welcomed members of the Chamber and their guests to the September Business After Hours, which was held in conjunction with their "40th" Anniversary.

## Calendar of Events

### CHAMBER

- Monday, Oct. 4 ..... Ribbon Untying @ Twelve Months of Christmas @ 11 am
- Tuesday, Oct. 5 ..... Buy Indiana Expo @ French Lick Resort Valley Links & Learning Center 9 am – 3 pm
- Monday, Oct. 11 ..... Chamber Office Closed in observance of Columbus Day
- Tuesday, Oct. 12 ..... Glenn Shepard Seminar @ Chamber @ 8:30 am- 12 noon
- Wednesday, Oct. 13 .. Leadership Lawrence County @ Chamber @ 8:30 am
- Friday, Oct. 15 ..... Public Relations Meeting @ Chamber @ Noon
- Tuesday, Oct. 19 ..... Chamber Board Meeting @ Chamber @ 4 pm
- Tuesday, Oct. 19 ..... Education Task Force Meeting @ BNL PAC @ Noon
- Thursday, Oct. 21 ..... Business After Hours @ Elliott Stone Company 5-7 pm
- Friday, Oct. 22 ..... Friday Focus Luncheon, Noon @ Comfort Inn Speaker – Lowell Grissom, brother of Virgil Gus Grissom

### CITY/COUNTY GOVERNMENT

- Tuesday, Oct. 12 ..... County Commissioners, Lawrence County Courthouse, 9:30 a.m.
- Tuesday, Oct. 12 ..... Bedford City Council, City Hall, 7 p.m.
- Tuesday, Oct. 26 ..... County Commissioners, Lawrence County Courthouse, 9:30 a.m.
- Tuesday, Oct. 26 ..... County Council, Lawrence County Courthouse, 6:30 p.m.

## Renewing Members

Thank you to our renewing members!

The chamber encourages all members to do business with each other. Companies, organizations and individuals listed below have recently made an important investment in their business by joining or renewing membership in the chamber:

- Bedford Cellular
- Bedford Public Library
- Cambridge Square
- Certified Inspections
- Christie's on the Square in Salem
- Comfort Suites of French Lick
- Curtis Orthodontics
- Fortner Services, Inc.
- Genesis Management
- GNC
- Holiday Inn Express
- J. Howard Jeweler
- Kirby Risk Electrical Supply
- LNL Trucking, Inc.
- Mail-Pak, Inc.
- Marriage and Family Alliance/Father's Forever Coalition
- Midwest Trail Ride & Outpost Store
- Oakland City University – Bedford
- Peddler's Corner
- PRD, Inc.
- Snow's Drive-In
- Stone Belt Center/LARC
- Thorne's Homes, Inc.
- Tri-Star Engineering
- UPS Store
- White River Lodge

## Executive Committee

- Jeff Helfrich, Chairman - Hoosier Hills Credit Union
- Susan Gales, Vice-Chairman - Bedford Federal Savings Bank
- Michele Kirkman, Secretary/Treasurer - Elite Tours & Half Moon Limestone
- Debbie Deckard, Past-Chairman - Sallee & Company

## Directors

- David Branneman - Lawrence County Tourism Commission
- Stephanie Cobb - Olson & Company
- Charles Edwards - Lawrence County Concert Association
- Kenny Frye - German American Bank
- Justin Inman - German American Insurance
- Marla Jones - Lawrence County Economic Growth Council
- Jo Ann Kasprzycki - Jackson County Bank
- Mike Mosqueda - Copy Trolley
- Leslis Mullis - Dunn Memorial Hospital Foundation
- Bob O'Callaghan - Whitney Tool Company
- Ken Phillips - Premier Remodeling, Inc.
- Cindy Smale - Bedford Regional Medical Center
- Jennifer Stroud - Walmart Supercenter
- Peggy Taylor - Paoli, Inc.

## Staff

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