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- July 12:** Fisher Community Center Pond re-dedication and ribbon cutting
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Iowa Valley Leadership 2017 accepting applications

July 15 is the deadline for applications for the 2016/2017 Iowa Valley Leadership (IVL) program. Applicants will go through a selection process which will result in a group of 22 to 26 dynamic individuals, representing a cross-section of the community and bringing diverse strength-sets to the class roster.

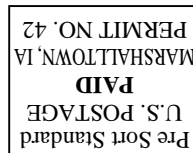
The purpose of the IVL class is to empower individuals to become active community leaders and influence positive change. To this end, class members spend nine months learning about the community through meeting a variety of local leaders, being exposed to numerous businesses and organizations, as well as having educational visits and experiences throughout the Marshall County area. IVL participants also choose a class project to complete for the benefit of the community. Started in the 1980s, the program is co-sponsored by Marshalltown Area Chamber of Commerce and Iowa Valley Continuing Education.



The IVL class in the courthouse clock tower on Marshalltown History Day.

The 2016/2017 program kicks off September 8 and 9 and runs through May, 2017. Tuition is \$780 per participant and includes 90 contact hours over 12 days, all materials and meals.

To recommend an individual who would benefit from the program, contact Lynn Olberding at the Chamber office at (641) 753-6645. For further information on program specifics, visit <http://www.marshalltown.org/pdf/IVLonePage16-17.pdf>. Application forms are available by visiting: <http://www.marshalltown.org/pdf/IVLApplication2016-17.pdf>. A limited number of partial scholarships are available for those who are not funded by an organization or business.



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Member Spotlight

Linn Creek Arts Festival

The annual Linn Creek Arts Festival (LCAF) is a stand-out gem due to the quality of the attending artists, the location on the grounds of Fisher Community Center, and the fact that this one-day event is free to the public. The 2016 festival, “Opening The Door To The Arts,” will take place Saturday, July 16 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., followed by downtown festivities from 5:00 to 10:00 p.m.

This year, more than 50 artists from all over the country will display their art in many forms, mediums and price ranges. Last year’s “Best of Show” winner was Gary Graham from Lexington, Kentucky who creates 3-D sculpture from segmented wood.



Kids can paint the shell of a re-purposed vehicle. The Perfect Setting (13 West Main). Each ticket gives three chances to win a sculpture piece.

Central Iowa Art Association will hold children’s events including painting, chalk drawing, bead making, and sculpting led by award-winning architect Mel Shivers from Des Moines. A face painter and balloon artists will entertain, and kids can enjoy painting the shell of an old vehicle as well as many “parent-free” hands-on projects. Also, there will be the Junior Art Lovers’ Gallery where kids can purchase an art piece and connect with the artist, fostering a love of art at an early age.



Raffle tickets offer a chance to win one of these three segmented wood sculptures.



“Opening The Door to the Arts” is the theme of this year’s event.

to invest in this year’s festival by donating three sculptures for raffle. Raffle tickets cost \$10 each and are available at Chamber offices or

The Perfect Setting (13 West Main). Each ticket gives three chances to win a sculpture piece. Janet Colli-son has put together a showcase of performing artists who will entertain throughout the day, and there will be food trucks and vendors with wine and beer tasting available, as well.

“Our LCAF committee believes art contributes to the quality of life here in Marshalltown,” says LCAF co-chair Jackie Mason. “Art is a recruiting tool for newcomers and builds up our community along with our sense of pride and cooperation.”

LCAF co-chair Kathy McCune adds, “Art crosses cultures and helps us relate to one another. In our diverse community, that is a good thing.”

The co-chairs also point out that LCAF helps our community economically. According to the American Association for the Arts, when people attend an art event, they spend an average of \$24.60 per person outside the event. With 3,100 attending our festival last year, that translates into \$76,000.00 spent in one day in Marshalltown. LCAF is free to the public and is totally paid for through grants and generous donations by individuals and organizations.



Approximately 55 artists will display this year. “To reach this year’s goals of increased attendance and making this truly a community event, we are collaborating with the Marshalltown Central Business District (MCBD) by expanding in the evening to Main Street,” says Mason. “Jenny Etter, Executive Director of MCBD and Fauna Nord have worked diligently to bring an event that compliments but doesn’t compete with our festival but would bring shoppers downtown and beautify Main Street in the process. Jenny envisioned having local artists paint second-floor doors at Main Street businesses. Thus, our theme, ‘Opening The Door to the Arts’ was born.” Fourteen doors have been identified, and painting will begin July 1. Then, the public can vote for their favorite. Voting locations include Zeno’s, Marla’s Headliner, the Chamber and the Orpheum. The winners, second and third places will be announced downtown at 5:00 p.m. July 16 followed by food, drink and a street dance to celebrate the arts in Marshalltown.

Coordinated by the Marshalltown Convention and Visitors Bureau (MCVB), the Marshall County Arts and Culture Alliance, Marshalltown Central Business District, and an all-volunteer steering committee, be sure to join in the fun LCAF--first at the festival and then downtown!

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Business After Hours

July 14, 2016

Home Federal Savings Bank
303 West Main Street
4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

August 10, 2016

Five Star Real Estate Group
location to be determined
4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

September 7, 2016

Pinnacle Bank
2206 South Center Street
4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

All employees of Chamber member businesses & organizations are encouraged to attend Business After Hours events.

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Faces & Places

Faces & Places is a monthly feature in the Chamber Digest. Each month this column will feature information about Marshalltown Area Chamber of Commerce members and volunteers. **Faces & Places** is a great way to utilize your Chamber membership.

Submissions may include grand openings, management changes, employee promotions, moves, expansions, major developments and award recognition. Submissions may include a photograph, if provided in a JPEG format.

Due to space limitations, each item for **Faces & Places** should be no more than six sentences in length. The editor reserves the right to determine what is newsworthy and included in the column. Items that will not be accepted include: email changes, seminars or special event promotions that would be better addressed through advertising venues.

To submit your news, email lolberding@marshalltown.org and put **Faces & Places** in the subject line, or mail information to **Faces & Places**, P.O. Box 1000, Marshalltown, IA 50158. Submissions must be received by the 10th of the month for inclusion in the following month's Chamber Digest.

Information printed in the Faces & Places section is supplied by Chamber member businesses and organizations and is not an endorsement by the Marshalltown Area Chamber of Commerce.

New positions and promotions



Nancy Van Tomme

Great Western Bank is pleased to announce the hiring of Nancy Van Tomme as Business Banker. She will serve customers in the Marshalltown market including Marshall, Tama, Hardin, Poweshiek and Jasper counties.

Van Tomme is a graduate of Ellsworth Community College and the Iowa Banker Association Ag Credit School. She has nearly 40 years of experience in the financial services industry and previously held the position of business relationship manager with Wells Fargo Bank where she assisted both business and agribusiness customers and also worked as a crop insurance specialist.

Central Iowa Healthcare is pleased to announce the promotion of Dawnett Willis to Vice President of Operations. Willis previously held the position of Executive Director of Business Development. In her new position, Willis is responsible for the day-to-day hospital operations and oversees the CIH Clinics system. Additionally, she oversees outpatient ancillary departments, business development, physician recruitment and strategic planning and growth. She is responsible for new service line development and implementation, patient and employee satisfaction scores and contract negotiations.



Dawnett Willis

Marshalltown Water Works first to receive 2 national awards simultaneously



Marshalltown Water Works CEO/General Manager Steve Sincox and staff with the two Directors Awards the team received this year.

Marshalltown Water Works (MWW) recently received two prestigious awards: the Directors Award for Water Distribution System Operation and the Directors Award for Water Treatment. MWW is the first utility in the nation to achieve both awards in the same year. They are also the first in Iowa to receive the distribution award and the second in our state to receive the treatment award. In order to qualify for these awards, MWW participated in and successfully completed a rigorous four-phase self-assessment and peer review process developed by industry experts. This represents a significant commitment, as staff began the process in 2014.

MWW will be recognized for this achievement at the annual conference of the American Water Works Association (AWWA). The awards are issued by the Partnership for Safe Water which is an alliance of six drinking water organizations whose goal is to ensure delivery of safe, high-quality water.

"We are honored to be among the first to receive these awards," said MWW CEO/General Manager, Steve Sincox. "Achievement of the Directors Award, not only for our treatment process, but also the distribution system that we use to deliver the water to our customers, demonstrates our ongoing commitment to protecting public health. Quality. Affordable. Reliable. These are the three tenets we strive for and it takes the total package of water treatment and distribution to make it all work. These awards would not be possible without the vision and dedication of our employees and staff."

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Business News

The Marshalltown Regional Partnership offices and Fisher Community Center will be closed on Monday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day.

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Elim Children's Center receives highest DHS rating

Elim Children's Center was recently awarded a 5-star rating for excellence in child care by the Iowa Department of Human Services (IDHS). The award is based on the Quality Rating System (QRS) which, according to the IDHS website, "... is a voluntary program that provides a rating of between one and five stars for providers who go the extra mile to offer exceptional care."

The IDHS website further states, "The QRS was created to raise the quality of child care in Iowa, to increase the number of children in high-quality child care settings, and to educate parents about quality in child care."

Elim Children's Center Director, Melinda Beard, says, "We are honored to receive this rating. Our staff has worked very hard to earn it."



A.M. Exchange

Wednesday, July 20

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Taco John's

(907 South Center Street)

Enjoy business **before** hours with networking and a great Taco John's breakfast. Meet someone new or reconnect with a business contact.

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Convention & Visitors Bureau

July Events

Find more information at www.visitmarshalltown.com

Date	Event	Location
Mondays	Bridge	Senior Center
Mondays	Farmers Market	Le Grand
Tuesdays	Bingo	Senior Center
Wednesdays	Farmers Market	Cartwright Pavilion
Thursdays	Trivia Night	Iowa River Brewing Co.
Fridays	Farmers Market	State Center
Fridays	Races	Marshalltown Speedway
Saturdays	Farmers Market	Cartwright Pavilion
July 1	Star Gazing	Green Castle Recreation
July 2	Yoga in the Park	13th Street District
July 4	Independence Day/Fireworks	Central Iowa Fairgrounds
July 4	Municipal Band	Central Iowa Fairgrounds
July 4	Family Blast	First Baptist Church
July 6	Nature Story Hour	GrimesFarm & Conservation
July 6	Lunch @ the Library	Marshalltown Library
July 6-10	Central Iowa Fair	Central Iowa Fairgrounds
July 7	Municipal Band Concert	13th Street District
July 7	Splash Dance	Aquatic Center
July 8	Star Gazing	Green Castle Recreation
July 9	Grimes Farm Run	Grimes Farm
July 12	Adult Coloring	Marshalltown Library
July 13	Lunch @ the Library	Marshalltown Library
July 13	Walking Tour	Grimes Farm
July 13	Ben's Bubble Show	Marshalltown Library
July 14	Municipal Band Concert	Courthouse Square
July 16	Movies in the Park	Riverview Park
July 16	Yoga in the Park	13th Street District
July 16	Garden Tour	Five Garden Locations
July 16	Linn Creek Arts Festival	Fisher Community Center
July 16	Downtown Door Art	Main Street
July 19	Concert in the Park	Grimes Farm Shelter
July 20	Nature Story Hour	GrimesFarm & Conservation
July 20	Lunch @ the Library	Marshalltown Library
July 21	History on Third Thursday	Historical Museum
July 21	Municipal Band Concert	Courthouse Square
July 21	Splash Dance	Aquatic Center
July 23-24	"Guys & Dolls" The Musical	Martha Ellen Tye Playhouse
July 25	Olympic Films	Marshalltown Library
July 26	Twilight Farmers Market	Marshalltown Mall
July 29-31	"Guys & Dolls" The Musical	Martha Ellen Tye Playhouse
July 30	Canoe/Kayak and Cook	Forest Reserve
July 30	Joan Becker Presentation	Marshalltown Library
July 30-31	Haverhill Days	Haverhill
July 31	Harry Potter Party	Marshalltown Library

Spirit of Chautauqua

The "Spirit of Chautauqua" is a traveling outdoor concert series hosted by Will Schmitt. The name is a tribute to the lively Chautauqua festivals that for many years roamed the rural America landscape.

Schmitt is teaming up with county conservation boards across the state of Iowa to host free concerts in Iowa parks this summer. He will be performing in Marshalltown on July 19 from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Grimes-Farm and Conservation Center, 2359 - 233rd Street.

Will was born and raised in Madison County, Iowa. For more information on Will and the "Spirit of Chautauqua" concert series, visit www.spiritofchautauqua.com.

July Meetings, Conventions and Tournaments

Date	Group	Location
July 1-3	2016 IRCNA 33 Convention	Best Western
July 1-4	Class of 1986 Reunion	
July 12	Blue Wave Swim Meet	Marshalltown YMCA/YWCA
July 12	Senior Provider Alliance	Iowa Valley Continuing Ed.
July 12	ISU Comprehensive Com. College	Iowa Valley Continuing Ed.
July 17-19	MPD Canine Trials	Central Iowa Fairgrounds
July 17-20	Iowa UMW Summer Mission U	Iowa Valley Continuing Ed.
July 20-21	San Juan Gardens- RV Club	Riverview Park
July 21	Marshalltown Police Department	Iowa Valley Continuing Ed.
July 24	Animal Swap Meet	Central Iowa Fairgrounds
July 26	ACA Compliance/Advantage Adm.	Iowa Valley Continuing Ed.
July 26	Alzheimer's Disease & Dementias	Iowa Valley Continuing Ed.

Contact MCVB about meetings, conventions or tournaments being held in Marshalltown. Are you looking for a venue to host a conference? MCVB has a listing of facilities available at www.visitmarshalltown.com. Or, call the office at 641-753-6645 to learn how staff can help.



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Convention & Visitors Bureau

“Guys & Dolls” The Musical

Guys and Dolls is a musical romantic comedy involving the unlikeliest of Manhattan pairings: a high-rolling gambler and a puritanical missionary, a showgirl dreaming of the straight-and-narrow and a crap game manager who is anything but.



Roll the dice and fall in love under the lights of Broadway with “Guys & Dolls”. Directed by Rick Gooding, performance dates will be July 23, 24, 29, 30, and 31 at the Martha-Ellen Tye Playhouse, 709 South Center Street. Tickets can be purchased one week in advance and an hour before each night’s performance. Call 641-752-4601 for box office hours.

Disc golf in Marshalltown

Disc golfing is a sport rapidly growing in popularity. The city of Marshalltown is right in the mix of this trend with a premier 18-hole course of championship caliber that weaves throughout Riverview Park.

Marshalltown area native, Zack Johnson, began disc golfing last spring. “A couple of my college friends introduced me,” Johnson said, “and I was hooked.” He says it is an inexpensive sport. “Buy a disc, and the rest is free,” he said. “Walking the course is good exercise, too.”

Johnson describes Marshalltown’s disc golf course at Riverview Park as both fun and challenging. “Every hole is different, and there are lots of shade trees,” he says. “That makes a golfer be creative about how to throw the disc to get around the trees and still get a low score.”

He says the most unique feature of Riverview’s course are water hazards involved in many holes. “There is a giant creek that runs through the course that golfers have to be careful of,” Johnson says. “But, if you’re looking for a disc golf challenge, Riverview would be the place to go.”

MCVB radio spot features

“Marshalltown Icons”

Tune in to KFJB 1230 talk radio every Thursday morning for MCVB’s “Marshalltown Icons” radio spot from 8:32 to 9:00 a.m. Each week’s program features an iconic Marshalltown area attraction, business, restaurant, building or place of interest. Kyle Martin along with MCVB Director Val Ruff feature interesting area icons. Dial us up!



Post your event on MCVB’s Calendar of Events in 6 EZ steps!

Marshalltown’s Convention & Visitors Bureau wants to be the HUB for all activities in the Marshalltown area. Post your organization/group events, performances or festivals (open to the public) in six easy steps:

- Start at www.visitmarshalltown.com
- Click on the yellow calendar tab
- Scroll to bottom of the calendar page; click “Add New Entry”
- Fill out the online form as applicable
- Fill in the Challenge/Response
- Click SAVE

Posting events on the Marshalltown Convention & Visitors Bureau (MCVB) online calendar is free! No password is needed, and it can be completed in six easy steps. All events open to the public in 2016 can be added at any time day or night for your convenience. Events are held for approval and are checked randomly daily to approve events.

111th Central Iowa Fair

Join in a fun family event at the 111th Central Iowa Fair July 6 to 10 on the Central Iowa Fairgrounds, 1308 East Olive Street. This year’s theme is “Red, White, and Blue, This Fair’s for You!”

The county fair is a festival, exposition, competition and entertainment venue all in one. Check out the NEW Central Iowa Fair grounds website (<http://centrاليowafairgrounds.net>) for a schedule of events and live entertainment at this year’s fair.



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Ambassadors Visits



Chiropractor Jennifer Rayburn and Chamber Ambassadors celebrate the grand opening of Healing Hands Chiropractic (207 East Church) with a ribbon cutting on June 7.



Comfort Inn & Suites (2613 South Center Street) owners, staff and Chamber Ambassadors cut the ribbon at the grand re-opening of the newly remodeled facility on June 9.



Chamber Ambassadors hosted a courtesy call on June 14 with Owner Ed Paone and staff of The Augustine Company, Inc. (1210 Industrial Boulevard) to learn about the business.



Nick Barnes, Director of Sales, and staff of Premier (1510 East Olive Street) were greeted by Chamber Ambassadors during a courtesy call at the company on June 14.

Photos of past Ambassadors' Courtesy Calls and Ribbon Cuttings are posted on the Chamber's website at www.marshalltown.org.

Thank you Ambassadors!

Business News

Marshalltown Regional Partnership Annual Banquet

Boards Transition



The Marshalltown Regional Partnership (MRP) Annual Banquet marked the Board of Directors transition for MRP, the Chamber, Marshall Economic Development (MED), and Marshalltown Convention and Visitors Bureau (MCVB). CEO David Barajas, Jr., extended appreciation to Paul Gregoire, outgoing MRP Chair, for his service to the organization.

Outgoing Chamber Chair Dennis Drager was recognized by Executive Director Lynn Olberding. Gary Schaudt will serve as 2016/2017 Chair. Additionally, Olberding thanked outgoing members Aaron Buzbee and Chris Brodin. New members are Jeff Rasmussen and Dan Moellers.

Outgoing MED Chair John Hughes was thanked by Executive Director Tom Deimerly. New Chair is Mary Wertzberger. Deimerly recognized outgoing members Paul Gregoire and David Vollmar. New members are Miguel Gutierrez, Steven Shupp and Steve Valbracht.

Val Ruff, MCVB Executive Director thanked outgoing Chair Julie Thomas for her service. Tyler Wollam will be next year's Chair. Ruff recognized outgoing members Deanna Davis, Fauna Nord, and Liz Wilke.

Banquet Highlights

Leaders within Marshalltown Regional Partnership (MRP) reflected on the past year's successes. David Barajas, Jr., CEO, noted the solidification of the Partnership's infrastructure and team. "Just as important as having solid infrastructure in place is the importance of having a solid team in place," he said. "I am . . . very proud of the 'team and family culture' that has developed. Where there's a 'culture of trust and caring,' great things can happen!" He also noted that the cultural diversity of the community is an important strength on which to build.

2016 Iowa Valley Leadership graduates, Katie Hibbs and Amanda Accola, shared insights from the program. Accola said, "...if you want something to happen in this town, get a plan together. There are always

Lowrance receives Community Impact Award



Mayor Jim Lowrance is the 2016 recipient of the Community Impact Award given annually by the Marshalltown Regional Partnership as a way of recognizing an outstanding individual, business, or organization whose work has changed the landscape of the Marshalltown community.

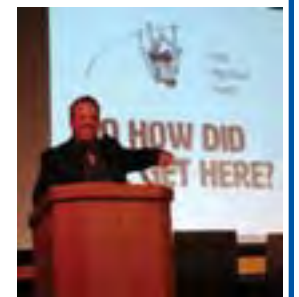
The Mayor has spent countless hours working tirelessly to improve the community as a better place to live, work, and play. He has championed many community initiatives and served the public for more than 30 years in various roles as a former Marshalltown Chamber President, banker, and public servant. He offered leadership in countless capacities ranging from American Red Cross and Marshall Economic Development Impact Committee to more recently serving on the Board of Directors for both Central Iowa Healthcare and Martha-Ellen Tye Foundation.

Previous award recipients are: Lennox, Emerson Process Management - Fisher, Marshalltown Medical & Surgical Center, HyVee, Rex Ryden, Martha-Ellen Tye Foundation, Ken Anderson, and Doug Gervich.

people willing to work with you...." Hibbs agreed, saying, "A community can truly succeed when you have a group of like-minded individuals working together to make a difference."

Keynote speaker Jesse Peters of Flying Hippo shared about the re-branding process his company and MRP have walked through recently, the results of which will be unveiled later this summer.

Gold sponsor of the evening was Lennox. Banner sponsors were Animal Clinic – The Vet, JBS Swift & Co., and Wolfe Eye Clinic. Annual report sponsor was Farmers Savings Bank, and beverage sponsor was Independent Insurance Services.



Jesse Peters

Economic Development

Giving for the good of the community

Learn how to keep the Marshalltown area thriving long into the future at an upcoming discussion session: “Hometown Generosity: Philanthropy for All of Us.” The session, exploring how philanthropy and economic development can work together, will take place on Friday, July 22 from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. at the Fisher Community Center Auditorium located at 709 South Center Street.

Presenter Don Macke, co-founder and co-director of the Center for Rural Entrepreneurship, will share several key points from which discussion will evolve. These points include:

- how philanthropic dollars can stimulate and support community prosperity,
- how generational transfer of wealth is an untapped resource, and
- why to think about communities as heirs.

Organizer Bettie Bolar, Director of Community Foundation of Marshall County (CFMC) says, “The Marshalltown area, like so many communities, is challenged to find funding for targeted economic development projects that add to the quality of life in our region. Join us for a light breakfast followed by a lively discussion about how together we can make this happen.”

The discussion session is co-sponsored by Marshalltown Regional Partnership and CFMC. To register for the event, please RSVP by contacting Barb Johnson at the Chamber office by phone at 641-753-6645 or by email at bjohnson@marshalltown.org. There is no cost to attend, but registrations are requested.

Economic Statistics

April, 2016

Employment – Marshall County	2016	2015
Labor force	19,480	19,940
Unemployed	1,330	1,240
Percent unemployed	6.8	6.2
Total employment	18,150	18,880
Marshall County Construction		
Building permits	12	25
New Residential Construction	\$426,000	\$2,037,000
Residential Addition/Remodeling	\$53,000	\$19,000
New Commercial/Industrial Const.	\$40,000	\$311,000
Commercial/Industrial Remodeling	\$1,190,000	\$1,304,000
Housing Sales Data		
Single family home sales	37	48
Average sale price	\$92,993	\$99,238
Median sale price	\$81,000	\$84,450



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Business News

Central Iowa Healthcare hosts mammogram clinic

Preparations are under way at Central Iowa Healthcare (CIH) for a Screening Mammogram Clinic in August for eligible women, and applications are now being accepted through the end of the business day on July 25. Applications can be downloaded at www.centraliowahealthcare.com. Applications are also available at CIH hospital and clinic locations or by calling CIH Foundation office at (641) 754-5005. Qualifying applicants will be contacted in early August and scheduled for appointments throughout the day on August 17.

The clinic, being held by CIH and CIH Foundation in cooperation with the radiologists of McFarland Clinic, PC, will take place at the Central Iowa Healthcare Outpatient Center, 55 Central Iowa Drive. This clinic is the first offered by the Prevent program and is available to eligible women. Screenings will be provided by Central Iowa Healthcare's board-certified mammography technologists at its Outpatient Center.

"Screening mammograms help make it possible to find breast cancer early, when the successful treatment of the disease is the highest," said Julie Katzer, Director of Diagnostic Imaging at Central Iowa Healthcare. "Our mission with this event is to provide women the opportunity for early detection, without having the additional financial burden that can occur for those that are uninsured or underinsured."

Costs for qualifying women will be covered by the Prevent program and Iowa Care for Yourself. CIH Foundation's Prevent program is funded with proceeds from the Foundation's annual Breast Cancer Awareness Luncheon and other gifts. The program's mission is to provide mammography services for individuals who cannot afford them.

To be eligible for a free screening mammogram, women must complete an application and be over age 40 or over age 35 with a family history of breast cancer and have not yet received their first screening mammogram. Additionally, applicants must be underinsured, uninsured or insured with a high deductible plan.

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The following businesses have invested in the greater community by joining the Marshalltown Area Chamber of Commerce.

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Cecil's Cafe	29	Marshall County Supervisors	24
CIRSI	35	Marshalltown Aviation, Inc.	42
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The Chamber wants to stay connected with our members!

If you or someone you know from a Chamber member business/organization would like to receive Chamber event notifications and reminders, please email bjohnson@marshalltown.org.

www.marshalltown.org Statistics

	May 16	Avg/Month	YTD Total
Unique Visitors	2,983	3,220	16,099
Number of Visits	5,223	6,597	32,987
Page Views	19,985	24,347	121,737
Hits	93,690	102,272	511,360

The Chamber's website traffic continues to be strong. Is now the time to consider upgrading your listing and increasing your online visibility?

Don't forget to check the Chamber website for business directory information, event photos, program information, job postings and calendar of events. Contact the Chamber office for more information.

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Business News

Leadership training event

A Manager's Boot Camp training seminar offering essential management skills to participants will be presented beginning in August. The event is being held in response to one of the biggest needs identified by Chamber members: developing leaders within their organizations.

Presented by the Marshalltown Area Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with ATW Training Solutions, the workshop will begin August 17. It will build on the skills participants currently have and provide each with a "survival kit" of essential management skills.

Topics to be covered during the six sessions include:

- Role of the Manager (August 17)
- Providing Performance Feedback & Coaching (September 21)
- Communicating & Leading Different Behavior Styles (October 19)
- Leading an Accountable Culture (November 16)
- Inspiring & Engaging Today's Workforce (January 18, 2017)
- Life is a Series of Presentations (February 15, 2017)

All sessions will be held at the Orpheum Theater and run from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon except for the last session which is day-long. Cost is \$850 per person, includes DiSC assessment, and requires attendance at all six sessions. Register online at www.marshalltown.org.

Travel the French Riviera this fall

There are still a few spots available on the Chamber's fall Experience France trip, departing on November 1 and lasting for nine days.

Comprehensive tours of many classic landmarks and cities will all conveniently begin from one centrally-located first-class hotel in Nice.

Cost is \$3195/person, which includes roundtrip airfare from Des Moines, hotel stay for 7 nights, tours, sightseeing, and admissions, 10 meals, and many surcharges/fees. A \$100/person discount is offered if final payment is made via check, instead of credit card.

"This unique excursion is designed to acquaint travelers with the people, culture, economy, and education of the French Riviera region," says Lynn Olberding, Chamber Executive Director. "We are once again partnering with Chamber Explorations to bring this trip and are excited to offer this amazing itinerary so affordably."



This year's Chamber Experience trip departs November 1 for nine days.

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List of Job Duties:

Required Experience and/or Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

Further information/application process contact:

Closing Date:

For Chamber use in case there are questions, please submit the name of the contact person along with email address and phone number.

The Marshalltown Area Chamber of Commerce's online posting of career opportunities is an additional service to Chamber members. This service is included with all Chamber membership investments at no additional charge. Postings run for 14 days.

Business News

Fisher Community Center pond to be re-dedicated

The 2016 Iowa Valley Leadership Class will celebrate the completion of its class project, beautification of the Fisher Community Center (FCC) pond area, on Tuesday, July 12 at 4:30 p.m. with a public ribbon cutting ceremony at the area and recognition of these donors:

- Aaron's Handyman Services/ Lay it Down Concrete
 - Bowman & Miller PC
 - Beck's Hybrids
 - Community Foundation of Marshall County
 - Diamond Vogel
 - Evening Lions
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 - Iowa's Best Country KIX 101.1 & News Talk 1230 KFJB
 - Lennox
 - Marshall Economic Development
 - Marshalltown Garden Club
 - McFarland Clinic
 - Mitchell Family Funeral Homes
 - Plastic Recycling of Iowa Falls, Inc.
 - RACOM
 - SagePoint Financial
 - Top Notch Tree Service
 - United Bank & Trust
- The project involved pond clean-up, landscaping and adding seating of both a handicapped-accessible picnic table and benches.



The 2016 IVL Class at their FCC pond rejuvenation project.

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