

## 2010 Nixa Area Annual Events

- \*Nixa Annual Meeting ~ 1/12/10
- Nixa Community Foundation Banquet ~ Feb. 18, 2010
- \*NIXPO ~ Nixa H.S ~ March 27, 2010
- Community Prayer Breakfast ~ May, 1st Thurs
- City Wide Garage Sale ~ May
- Sucker Day Parade ~ May
- Sucker Day Festival ~ May
- City Wide Clean Up ~ May
- \*Nixa Night at the Springfield Cardinals ~ July
- Christian County Fair ~ July
- \*Welcome New Teachers Luncheon ~ August
- \*Nixa Xtreme Xmas Lights contest ~ December
- Annual PTA Craft Fair ~ December
- Christmas Tree Lighting ~ December
- Christmas Parade ~ December
- \*sponsored by Nixa Area Chamber of Commerce

**For more information on the above events  
and other community, school and chamber  
events and happenings**

Visit

**[www.nixachamber.com](http://www.nixachamber.com)**

### **General Membership Meetings**

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month

11:45 @ the Nixa Summit Room

### **WWIN / Working Women In Nixa**

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month

11:30 @ the Nixa Summit Room

### **X-MIN /eXceptional businessMen In Nixa**

4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month

7am @ the Nixa Summit Room

### **Member Briefing**

4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month (3rd Nov & Dec)

10am @ the Nixa Summit Room

### **Ribbon Cuttings (see calendar)**

Visit

[www.nixachamber.com](http://www.nixachamber.com)

for current calendar of events or 725-1545



### **2010 Board of Directors**

#### **Chairman of the Board:**

Keith Rollings, *Nixa Farmers Mutual Insurance*

#### **Vice Chairman of the Board:**

Chandler Johnston, *Guaranty Bank*

#### **Secretary:**

David Haymes, *Haymes Insurance Agency, Inc.*

#### **Treasurer:**

Leon Fisher, *Bud & Walt's Pizza & Pasta House*

#### **Immediate Past Chairman:**

Robin Rees, *Peoples Bank of the Ozarks*

Pam Vokolek, *Ozarks Technical Community College*

Ryan Bowling, *Nixa Xpress*

Melissa Slamb, *Magical Vacations*

Steve Martin, *Nixa Ministerial Alliance, Union Hill Church of Christ, Nixa Fire Protection District*

Sabina Frank, *Carol Jones Realtors*

Karen McKnight, *Nixa Public Schools*

#### **Executive Staff**

Sharon Whitehill Gray, *President/CEO*

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**B Vocal 4 Shop Local!**



Established 1988

THIS CHAMBER HAS A MISSION!

The Mission of the  
Nixa Area Chamber of Commerce  
is to provide leadership for  
growth and development of business  
and to enhance the community as a desirable place  
to live, learn, work, shop and play.

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# CHAMBER MEMBER BENEFITS & OPPORTUNITIES

*Nixa Area Chamber of Commerce memberships are available for*

*businesses, churches, civic organizations, individuals and seniors. Call 417.725.1545 for information.*

**Chamber Website Listing:** All members are listed on the Nixa website. Enhancements are available to members. Advertising opportunities available.

**Membership Directory:** Mailed each year to all Nixa postal patrons, included in relocation packets, distributed by the chamber office and chamber members throughout the community. Advertising opportunities available.

**Chamber Xchange:** Members have the opportunity to offer promotions and discounts to fellow chamber members.

**Nixa Community Card:** Members have the opportunity to offer promotions and discounts in conjunction with the Community Card. Promotions listed on our website.

**Business Referrals:** Each day our Chamber office receives requests for goods and services provided in the Nixa area and are able to refer our chamber members.

**Ambassadors:** Ambassadors act as the official greeters for the chamber at Ribbon Cuttings, Ground Breakings and General Meetings.

**Bulk Mailing Permit:** Members may use the chamber bulk mailing permit. This can be a real \$ saver for those business mailings.

**Mailing List:** Mailing labels or electronic list of chamber members are available at a minimal cost.

**E-Weekly Communicator:** Keeps you informed of chamber events, member business and community events and happenings. Emailed weekly.

**Networking Events:** Members and their guests have an opportunity to participate in many networking events - which is anytime we get together!

**Community Events:** Information about special events in our community can be found at [www.NixaChamber.com](http://www.NixaChamber.com)

**NIXPO:** Nixa's Business eXpo gives members the opportunity to show the community what products & services they provide. This one-day event attracts people from around the area and is fast becoming the most successful eXpo in SW Missouri.

**Economic Development Council:** Objectives are to help retain and enhance those businesses already in existence, as well as welcome new businesses to Nixa.

**Relocation Information:** The chamber mails and hands out relocation packets to businesses and individuals interested in relocating to the Nixa area, including our most current membership directory.

**Information Center:** Nixa Chamber members may display their business cards at the chamber office. The chamber directory is also handed out to interested visitors to the chamber office. The chamber office and our website have information available to members and visitors concerning tourism, clubs & organizations, business and industry, relocation, and general Nixa information.

**Legislation:** Your Chamber monitors local and state government affairs to advise our members on changes that affect their businesses. The Legislative Corps keeps abreast of, and informs, members of issues on all levels of government.

**Team/Committee Involvement:** We have numerous active teams/committees. Committee involvement is a great way to network and promote your business.

**Nixa Schools :** Stay informed about the happenings in our outstanding school district. We sponsor such events as the Welcome New Teachers Luncheon and Adopt-A-Class program.

**WWIN (Working Women In Nixa):** Open to chamber members and their employees. Personal and professional networking geared to the Working Woman In Nixa.

**X-MIN (eXceptional businessMen In Nixa):** Open to chamber members and their employees. Personal and professional networking geared to the eXceptional businessMen In Nixa.

**New Ideas:** New ideas to enhance our membership benefits are always welcome.



COME GROW  
WITH US!

## Interested in getting involved?!

The Chamber offers eXceptional opportunities for eXciting involvement through teams/committees, special programs & networking events. Times, frequency and participation requirements vary. For an eXplanation of any of the committees please contact the chamber office directly. We can eXpound on the committees you may have an interest in.

Invest your time, talent and eXpertise ... get involved!

Adopt-A-Class Team

Ambassador Team

B Vocal 4 Shop Local! Team

Legislative Corps Team

NIXPO Team

Membership Benefits, Development & Retention Team

NiXa Xtreme Christmas Lights Team

Technology/Directory Team

Welcome New Teacher Luncheon Team

WWIN (Working Women In Nixa) Steering Team.

X-MIN (eXceptional businessMen In Nixa) Steering Team



...Bring Back 5%!

Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION INFORMATION:**

Physical Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Website \_\_\_\_\_

# of Employees \_\_\_\_\_ Years in business \_\_\_\_\_

Service /Product you provide: \_\_\_\_\_

Categories (2) (See listing of available categories):

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in chamber advertising opportunities

I am interested in scheduling a ribbon cutting  
(Wed. @ 11:30 or 12 noon) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Briefing: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: 10am

Chamber communications will be emailed to the above email. You will have the opportunity to add additional representatives after your membership has been posted on the chamber website.

I/We hereby apply for membership in the Chamber, subject to approval of its Board of Directors, with annual initial Membership Dues of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

REFERRED BY:

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Membership Investment Structure

Individuals (no business affiliation)	\$50.00
Senior Citizens (60+)	\$25.00
**Associate Member	\$100.00*

Business Memberships

0-5 Employees	\$173.00*
6-15 Employees	\$229.00*
16-25 Employees	\$291.00*
25-50 Employees	\$335.00*
51-100 Employees	\$362.00*
Over 100 Employees	\$448.00*

\*A one time new member administrative fee of **\$25.00** is due at time of application in addition to the yearly membership fee.

Membership dues will be for one full year. Your membership automatically renews each year, unless written resignation is sent to the Chamber Board of Directors.

Rates are subject to change without advance notice

\*\* Associate membership is available to civic groups, citizens associations, parent & teacher associations and any 501(c)3 organizations with no paid staff. Associate members are entitled to full membership benefits except voting rights.

Membership entitles a company to be listed on the chamber web site membership directory.

An additional location is considered an additional membership with minimum dues of \$173.00.

Two part-time employees equal one full-time employee.

Your membership automatically renews each year, unless written resignation is sent to the Chamber Board of Directors. It is deductible as a necessary business expense, not as a charitable contribution. All applications are subject to approval by the Chamber Board of Directors.