

Wednesdays with Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce



April 15, 2020

"No problem can stand the assault of sustained thinking."

~ Voltaire

WATCH THE MEETING REGARDING BUSINESS RESOURCES

If you missed yesterday's Zoom meeting with Steve Etcher, you can watch it now! Go to https://zoom.us/rec/share

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Thanks to Steve Etcher for taking the time and effort to share this with our Chamber members. Our businesses needed to hear from you!

LICENSE OFFICE HAS REOPENED ON LIMITED BASIS

As concerns with COVID-19/Corona Virus continue, we want to stress that taking care of our customers and staff is of the utmost importance to us. The Warrenton License Office will reopen on a modified schedule to serve our community while implementing the following procedures to comply with the guidance of the Center for Disease Control (CDC) and the State:

- Only 1 customer per transaction will be allowed entrance into the License Office. At this time, we have only one clerk so only one person will be permitted in the License Office at any given time.
- Countertops and pens will be disinfected in between each customer.
 - We will continue to monitor conditions and will assess our response and operations daily.

We remain committed to controlling what we can to best serve our customers and community. We ask that if you are feeling ill or have a fever to please not come to the office.

There will be no new or renewed Driver's Licenses available to process at this time.

will be open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday from 10:00 - 4:00 and Thursday from 10:00 - 3:00 pm. We will be closed for lunch daily from 12:30 - 1:00. We appreciate your patience as we are doing our best to serve you.

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WARRENTON AREA CHAMBER MISSION STATEMENT

"To enhance the business climate and quality of life for the Warrenton area through programs that facilitate and stimulate economic and professional growth."

What About The Big Bright Future? Are You Ready?

The present is a gift wrapped up in chaos and confusion. It feels like the walls are slowly closing in on us, choking the life out of us, robbing us of our goals and dreams. But it is far from the doom and gloom scenario most people post and share on social media. This moment in time is something else.

This is the chance of a lifetime. Something only reserved for video games and movies, but somehow we have been given that same reward. This is the opportunity to reset and realign your focus on your big bright future, should you choose it.

But letting go of the panic when it's fed to us on a daily basis from a stream of ever flowing images, headlines and rants, is no small or simple task. It takes daily reminders, prompts and visual reassurance to combat the consistent appetite of fear.

So how do we achieve this?

First we have to remember. Remember what the big bright future feels like, the excitement of it, and the desire to experience it. The feeling of triumph, accomplishment and satisfaction of reaching it. We have to realize we are so close to it now and we must complete this, we need to.

Next we have to put things into motion that will reap the fruits of our actions later. There's no need to rush, hustle and stress over reaching the destination. Our present is the gift of time. We have been suddenly given enough time to learn, prepare and complete each step of our journey to our big bright future.

Third, we have to have gratitude, appreciation, and true thankfulness for this prize we have been given. No one, in their wildest dreams, could have imagined the whole world being given the chance to reset their priorities, desires, values and direction all in the same moment in time.

Those of us who are ready, or are getting prepared for the big bright future will live in it. We will reap the fruit and be in service of others, helping them to realign with their dreams and goals. This is important work that goes beyond self. It is our responsibility to stay focused and achieve so we can inspire and motivate the masses to follow in our footsteps.

This is the true benefaction of this moment in time. The reason we are in it. The reason why we were given the ideas of what could be, long before we got to where we are right now. We have been unknowingly setting the table, with our skills, attitudes and habits, to lead many through this without fear and panic.

Our role, our mission is, to build a big bright future, together for all.

There is only one question throughout this that remains to be answered and only one person that can answer this. There is no one else who can do this, no knight in shining armor, no hero to the rescue. The query before us is simply this, are we ready?

~W.T. Hamilton

"Don't ask yourself what the world needs; ask yourself what makes you come alive.

And then go and do that.

Because what the world needs is people who have come alive."

~Harold Thurman





Innsbrook Food Drive Nets 1100+ lbs. of Donated Food

Innsbrook homeowners and employees banded together last week to meet a need in the community, donating 1,170 pounds of non-perishable food and personal care items to the Agape Food Pantry in Warrenton.

"When we learned about heightened food insecurity in the area due to the economic impact of the COVID 19 pandemic, our volunteers leapt to action," said Innsbrook CEO, Charlie Boyce. "With just a few days' notice, our homeowners and staff rallied, showing just how amazing the Innsbrook community is."

The resort's contributions will help put much-needed food in the hands of the more than 1,300 food-insecure people Agape serves each month, nearly half of whom are children. Agape Food Pantry is located at 713 Powell Street in Warrenton and can be reached at 636-456-4645. Food pantry hours are Monday – Friday, 9:30 am - 3:00 pm.





Are you in need of resources?

Due to COVID-19 social distancing if you need assistance obtaining necessary resources, we can provide a list of contacts and phone numbers.

636-456-7474



The City of Warrenton is taking precautions against the current spread of COVID19.

Per Governor Parson's directive to limit social gatherings the following have been closed or cancelled. The City will re-evaluate at the end of March

Aquatic Center/Pool Closed
City Ball Fields/Batting Cages Closed
City Soccer Fields Closed
City Park Bathrooms Closed

Pavilion Rentals Closed for March Easter Egg Hunt Cancelled

Local Government Week Cancelled Soccer Leagues Postponed

MO Coronavirus 24 Hour Hotline 1-877-435-8411 www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html







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