

Focus On The Chamber



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READY. SET. GLOW.

Our goal was 400 - we had 336! Bigger & better every year!



We had a "GLOW"RIOUS Twilight 5K last Friday, September 5th. Thanks to all of our Twilight 5K sponsors, participants and workers and the City of Carterville for making it such a tremendous success. Thanks to the neighborhoods we ran through and special thanks to those who "got their glow on" to cheer the participants along. See you next year on September 11th!

The **Free Kids Fun Run** sponsored by Malone's Early Learning Center was a big hit with approximately 150 runners. It was so much fun to watch families cheer their children on. It made it a perfect family evening for all.



Please welcome our new Carterville Chamber Members. They are Evan Youngblood and **Megabytes** of 308 N. 16th St. in Herrin. Megabytes offers Technology Services & Website Development. Our other new member is Marcy Simon of **MJ Simon Insurance Services, Inc.** of 1004 S. Division St. in Carterville. MJ Simon specializes in auto, home, commercial and life insurance. Also, have you noticed the new **Family Foot and Ankle Center of Southern Illinois** located across from the Carterville Junior High on Division Street? Mindy Moore has opened her new office in Carterville. Congratulations and welcome to Carterville!



***Ribbon Cutting & Open House
Thursday, Sept 4th
113 N. Division in Downtown
Carterville***



***Lions Club 101st Annual Carterville Free Fair Ribbon Cutting
Paul Gandrimas, Mayor Brad Robinson and Ed Smith with Chamber Board members***



Congrats to the Lions Club for a wonderful 2014 Free Fair!

Survey Monkey Strikes Again! - and this Link WORKS!

The new Downtown Sign Committee headed by Jason Cook of Old National Bank needs your input. The goal is to replace the existing sign in Downtown Carterville which is located at the 4 way stop at Grand and Division with a new one. Take a moment please to answer this two question survey. Your response would be appreciated. The link to the survey is: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/s/G2SH359>.

Congratulations to the SI Miners Who Are In the Playoffs!
(They won their first game!)

PLAYOFF TICKETS

ON SALE!

MINERS DIVISIONAL ROUND HOME GAMES:

WED. SEPT. 10 7:05 P.M.

THURS. SEPT. 11 7:05 P.M.

(IF NECESSARY)

LOCATION: RENT ONE PARK

CALL THE BOX OFFICE AT 618-998-8499 OR VISIT

WWW.SOUTHERNILLINOISMINERS.COM

TO PURCHASE TICKETS

Chamber Business News

Don't forget the **Black Out Cancer** football game on September 27th and the chance to bid to have your name on the jersey worn by your favorite Saluki sponsored by the **SIH Foundation**.

Check out the new construction on the old Garcias' building on Greenbriar Rd. We are about to welcome a new branch of **People's National Bank** to Carterville.

Save The Date
September 27th and 28th
26th Annual Southern Illinois Hunting & Fishing Days!
Free Admission & Free Parking

Chamber Calendar

Operations Committee Meeting RESCHEDULED to
Tuesday, September 16th at 7:30 am at the COGC

Chamber Board Meeting
Thursday, September 16th at 7:30 am at COGC

Downtown Sign Committee Meeting
Rescheduled from Sept. 16th TBA

Christmas In Carterville Committee Meeting
Monday, September 22nd at 6 pm at City Hall

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