



Mission Statement

“Committed to the success of the Big Lake business community through information, communication, cooperation and support for all.”

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Office Hours

Monday - Thursday:
9am - 3pm
Friday: 9 am - 12pm

Introducing New Members:



Third Rail Bar and Grill: Stop out for a beer and a burger with your friends to watch the big game! Check out Facebook for specials and event info!

Woodlands Chiropractic: They are new to Big Lake and are located on Lake Street S. Stop out and meet their staff. They accept all insurance types.



Whirl Air Flow: A part of Big Lake since 1946, they're in the business of design, development, and fabrication of pneumatic conveying systems.



Tri-Chamber Bowling Tournament

The second annual Tri-Chamber Bowl-Off, Thursday, August 17th from 6 to 8 pm at River City Extreme in Monticello, Minnesota. Come cheer on your favorite Chamber team, involving Monticello's Chamber, Big Lake's Chamber and Becker's Chamber. Each Chamber will have two teams and one team will go home with a "traveling trophy!"

Come, meet and greet members of the other Chambers. There will be free appetizers and a cash bar. Contact the Chamber office for info on how to become a sponsor or bowler for the event.



August Membership Meeting

Join us on Tuesday, August 29th at Carefree Country Club for a presentation about the World's Best Workers with Jamie Plantenberg and a meal of assorted pizza by Third Rail Bar and Grill. Carefree Country Club will be giving tours of the facility immediately following. Registration is at 11:45am and lunch/presentation at 12pm. Cost is \$15 a person. Please RSVP by August 22nd.



Big Lake Chamber
of Commerce presents

**BIG LAKE
BLOCK PARTY!**
A DAY OF FUN FOR EVERYONE!
RAIN OR SHINE!

Saturday, Aug. 26th, 2017
McPete's Entertainment Center
590 E. Humboldt Dr., Big Lake
763-263-6556

**SCHEDULE
OF EVENTS**

1 9.m. - 5 p.m.

Cost: \$5⁰⁰ (2 & Under FREE)

Unlimited Activities

- Mini Golf • Bowling
- Batting Cages
- Massage
- Face Painting
- Inflatables
- Games & Contests
- LIVE Entertainment
- Take a Tour of a Fire Truck, Police Car and Ambulance
- Craft Fair Vendors (Adults)

1st 100 kids will receive a free backpack with items donated by local businesses.

Please bring a non-perishable item for the food shelf!

ALL DAY



LIVE MUSIC
3-5 p.m.



TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE FOR CONCESSIONS

CENTRACARE Health | OUR BEST FOR YOU
Monticello



CELEBRATE HEALTH

Join CentraCare Health - Monticello as we celebrate health with a picnic in the park. Bring your family and enjoy a free picnic lunch and afternoon filled with fun for all ages!

Thursday, August 10, 2017
3 - 7 p.m.
Ellison Park, Monticello

- ✓ Grab a bite to eat
- ✓ Stop by the Hula Hut for kid-friendly fun and a free hula hoop (quantities limited)
- ✓ Check out the wildlife show
- ✓ Explore an ambulance and get tattooed
- ✓ Try your luck at the bungee run
- ✓ Join the selfie scavenger hunt for a chance to win a Fit Bit or Bluetooth speaker
- ✓ Listen to live music
- ✓ Celebrate health

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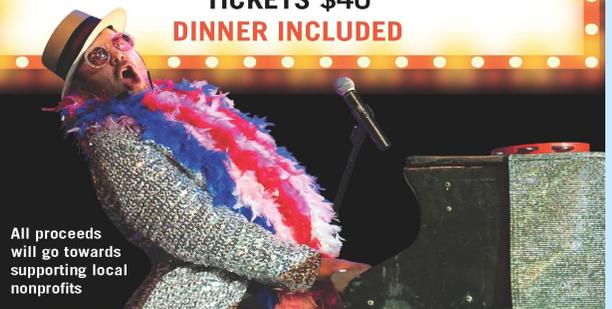
AT THE
**FOUNTAINS
OF
RAMSEY**
EVENT CENTER

FOR
DEUCES WILD
DUELING PIANOS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

DOORS OPEN 5:00 PM SHOWTIME 7:00 PM

**TICKETS \$40
DINNER INCLUDED**



All proceeds will go towards supporting local nonprofits

PURCHASE TICKETS AT WWW.SHERBURNEUNITEDWAY.ORG





Ambassador Meeting

Looking to become more involved in the Chamber? Attend the next Ambassador meeting on August 9th at Trail's at 12pm. Contact Tim Suchy at tim.suchy@edwardjones.com for details.

Walk to End Alzheimer's

Join the Edward Jones team as they walk to end Alzheimer's in Big Lake. Sign up today at www.edwardjones.com/alz under team name Team Edward Jones Big Lake.



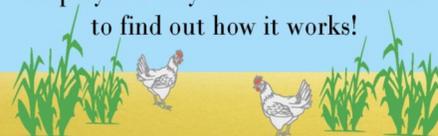
Farmers Market

Wednesdays, 3pm - 7pm
June 7-September 27, 2017

Lakeside Park, 101 Lakeshore Drive, Big Lake, MN

Spend \$10, Get \$10
Use Snap/EBT at the market and get up to \$10 worth of Market Bucks. Stop by the City booth at the market to find out how it works!

Upcoming Music:
Aug. 9 - Betty Danger
Aug. 16 - Four Legg Fish For Kids Day
Aug. 23 - Jake Ilika
Aug. 30 - The May North




BIG LAKE POLICE DEPARTMENT

2017 Night to Unite ★ Police Community Picnic

Activities Will Include:

- The Big Lake Police & Fire Departments and their vehicles.
- Canine Bruno Demos and Meet-Greet.
- Paramedics and their truck from Centracare Medical Center
- Air slide and jumper
- Inflatable games
- Music
- Free Food
- Coloring Contest for the kids
- Golf Cart "Drunk Goggles"

**The Parking Fee at Lakeside Park will be waived!*

DATE: TUESDAY, AUGUST 1st

TIME: 6:00 TO 8:00 PM

LOCATION: LAKESIDE PARK

Hot dogs, chips, and refreshments will be provided.

In celebration of the Nationwide "Night to Unite" Against Crime, the Big Lake Police Department will be hosting our 4th annual community picnic.

This is a great opportunity to connect with members of our community and your emergency service providers!



Rivers of Hope's Annual Gala & Silent Auction

Rivers of Hope is a non-profit, community based agency offering advocacy, support, education, and referral services for victims of family violence.

Our annual gala relies on generous contributions to maintain our VIP Youth Program that serves youth in Sherburne and Wright County schools.

The Masquerade Ball will be held at **Carousell Works** in Big Lake, MN on **Saturday, October 14, 2017**

Show your Support by:

Purchase Tickets: Individual Tickets \$50

Sponsor Our Event:

- 'Gold' Sponsor - \$2,500
- 'Silver' Sponsor - \$1,000
- 'Purple' Sponsor - \$500

Donate:

Items or gift cards for our silent and/or live auction.

For more information, contact Rivers of Hope

info@riversofhope.org or

763-295-3433



Big Lake Chamber of Commerce

Member News

FREE Sports Physicals



Get a Sports Physical for FREE at Great River Spine and Sport during the month of August!

GREAT RIVER
SPINE & SPORT

726 Martin Ave, Suite 102, Big Lake
763-260-8401 ext 2

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BRING YOUR FAMILY FOR A FREE NIGHT OF FUN!
Friday, August 25th LAKESIDE PARK

FEATURING...

Starting at 6:00 P.M.
ROCKET CONCESSIONS will be at LAKESIDE PARK selling some of your family favorites!

- *Mini Donuts*
- *Cheese Curds*
- *Cotton Candy*
- *Mini Corn Dogs*
- *Chicken Strips*
- And More...!

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

City of Big Lake

CAST: Emma Watson, Dan Stevens, Luke Evans, Josh Gad, Ian McKellen, Emma Thompson, Ewan McGregor, Kevin Kline and Stanley Tucci.
Walt Disney Pictures. Rated: PG. 129 minutes. 2017.

Beauty and the Beast

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Big Lake Ambassadors will be Face Painting.

Just 4 Laughs

All CHILDREN dressed in their favorite Disney Costume will receive a FREE treat! PRIZES and DRAWINGS for all ages!

A Big Lake Community Event Jointly Partnered by:
The City of Big Lake –and– The Sherburne Wright Cable Commission

Movie starts at Dusk
(Approximately 8:15 P.M.)

PLEASE NOTE: In the event of inclement weather, all activities will be cancelled.

Things to Bring...
Blankets • Chairs • Warm Clothes • Items to pass the time (cards, Frisbee, etc.) • Your Appetite (concessions will be for sale).

All events for tonight's program are brought to you by the financial support and donations of the following sponsors:

SPUD FEST **Kwik Trip** **CLIMB**

Watch your City Channel Channel 98

A Special Thank You to the Big Lake Ambassadors for their generous support in making this event a success!



BIG LAKE LIONS ANNUAL "Ron Nelson Memorial" GOLF TOURNAMENT



Saturday, August 5th, 2017 / 2:00 pm Shotgun Start
WHISPERING PINES GOLF COURSE
8713 70TH STREET NW, ANNANDALE, MN 55302

\$75 per PERSON includes:
18 holes Golf, Cart, & Dinner at Course
(steak, corn on the cob, steakhouse potato salad, baked beans and fresh tossed salad w/dressing)



A second green fee will be given to each person that golfs in the event (compliments of Whispering Pines Golf Course).

Whispering Pines Golf Course is donating one FREE MEMBERSHIP to the winner of the putting contest.

4 PERSON SCRAMBLE TEAMS
*MEN'S * WOMEN'S * MIXED*

SIGN UP NOW AT MCPETE'S SPORTS BAR & LANES IN BIG LAKE!

Or mail registration form and payment to: Big Lake Lions, PO Box 128, Big Lake, MN 55309
Get registration forms at McPete's or download from www.facebook.com/BigLakeLionsClub/

SPONSOR A HOLE FOR \$75.00

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Night to Unite at Lakeside Park 6pm	2 Big Lake Farm- ers Market 3p	3 Music in the Park 7pm	4	5 Graniteman Triathlon at Lakeside Park Lions Annual Golf Tourna- ment 2pm
6	7	8 Chamber Board Meeting	9 ECFE in the Park 10am Ambassador Meeting 12pm Big Lake Farm- ers Market 3p	10 Celebrate Health at El- lison Park 3pm Music in the Park 7pm	11	12 Coffee with the Mayor at Coborn's 9am Firefighter's Dance 8pm
13 Fire Fighter's Dance 8pm	14 Chamber 101 at City Hall 12pm	15	16 Big Lake Farm- ers Market 3p	17 Tri-Chamber Bowl-Off at River City Ex- treme 6pm Music in the Park 7pm	18	19 Young Women Leadership Program
20	21	22 Member Mtg RSVPs Due	23 Big Lake Farm- ers Market 3p	24 Music in the Park 7pm	25 Movie in the Park at Lakeside Park 6pm	26 Big Lake Block Party at McPete's 1pm
27	28	29 Membership Meeting at Carefree Coun- try Club 12pm	30 Big Lake Farm- ers Market 3p	31 Music in the Park 7pm		

Mark Your Calendar!

September 8th, 5pm, Deuces Wild Dueling Pianos, Fountains of Ramsey

September 9th, 9:25am, Walk to End Alzheimer's, Target Field

September 15th, 12pm, Shoot out for Scouts, Wild Marsh Sporting Clays

October 14th, Rivers of Hope's Annual Gala & Silent Auction, Carousell Works

December 8th, Holiday Social, Carousell Works