

AFFTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

2009 STANDING COMMITTEES

Name _____

Phone _____

Please look over the list of committees, circle name of committee you would like to serve on, and mail or fax to chamber office. Please note whether you want to serve on the committee in the **P**lanning stages, make **T**elephone calls, or just **W**ork on the day of the event. We have noted those areas on each committee where they can use help. Where it is working that day, we have tried to note what help is needed.

ACTIVITY			
AFFTON DAYS (Sep. 19)	P	T	W (Parade marshals, beer booth, chamber booth, set up (Fri) & clean up (Sat)) A day for the community & members showcase their business in parade or as a sponsor. Volunteer nay of the above subcommittees. <i>Planning Committee meets from February thru October.</i>
AUCTION (Jan.)	P	T	W (check in, cashiering, spotters, set up & clean up) Volunteer for Prize sub-committee, make telephone calls, or work at event. <i>Committee meets from August thru February</i>
BARBECUE (May)	P		W (Call for volunteers, set up, cook, & work during open hours) Work at event. <i>Committee meets 2-3 times between February and May.</i>
BASS FISHING TOURNAMENT (Mar. 28)	P	T	W (work at event–weigh in, bar duty, or BBQ dinner) Organizing and planning the annual event held at the Lake of the Ozarks. <i>Committee meets for 3 months before tournament</i>
BUSINESS FAIR (Oct. 14)	P	T	W Make follow up calls to those who showed an interest. If not an exhibitor, work at event Assist in planning annual Taste of Affton Business Fair..
CHRISTMAS CHARITY (Dec.)			W (deliver boxes to families during 2 weeks before holiday) Deliver Helping Hands items to the families referred to us by our member churches & school districts.
COMMUNITY DIRECTORY (Oct. 2010-Jan. 2011)	P	T	
Excellent opportunity to call on members or non-members to tell them about the advantages of advertising in the Bi-Annual Directory.. <i>Committee meets several time early in the year we publish the directory–most work done in making phone calls.</i>			
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (3rd Wednesday--Monthly @ 9 a.m.)			
Make connection with companies to interest them in moving to Affton. Our commercial database should be very helpful. Keep up on info about Metrolink & other transportation issues.			
GOLF TOURNAMENT (Jun. 16)	P	T	W (check in, take pictures, hole spotter) Organizing & planning the annual event. Work on Sponsor, Golfer, Hole Sponsor, or Prize committee. Contact businesses who potentially could become major sponsors. <i>Committee meets from February thru June.</i>
GOLF AT NIGHT (Aug. 14)	P	T	W (check in, check scores for winners & get several items for prizes.
LEGISLATIVE/GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS Attend “Brown Bag Lunches with our legislators” (3 rd Friday of the month) Attend St. Louis Legislative Breakfast meetings, monthly during legislative session if you so desire.			
MEMBERSHIP – AMBASSADORS (4th Wednesday–quarterly at lunchtime) P T			
Contact non-member businesses to tell them about the chamber & how to make that Business Connection. Volunteer as a Greeter at meetings; encourage members to attend a meeting, sell 50/50–great way to meet everyone coming to meeting. Attend Meet & Greet Breakfasts, Ribbon Cuttings & Business Card Exchanges. <i>Committee work consists of phone calls & attendance at events listed above.</i>			
OLD NEWSBOY’S DAY (Nov. 19)	T		W (Volunteer to sell newspapers at Rock Hill/Tesson Ferry & Gravois)
TRIVIA NIGHT (Nov. 7)	P		W
Plan the event, recruit workers and work on getting tables <i>Committee meets several times in the 3 months before the Trivia date.</i>			

AD HOC COMMITTEES

JEFFERSON BARRACKS CONCERT & BARBECUE	P	W	BBQ get-together before one of the concerts at the Lee Pavilion in JB Park, then to the concert.
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Make the most of your chamber membership!!! ● Choose a committee. ● Get involved!!!!

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| ✓ Networking Opportunity | ✓ Meet New People | ✓ Have Fun |
| ✓ Develop Relationships | ✓ Help The Community | ✓ Grow Your Business |

Your participation and leadership will make for a better chamber and community.

Your committee participation could make a good business connection for you.

You can volunteer by contacting the chamber office.