

JANUARY 2023

Ankeny Business Journal

THE VOICE OF THE ANKENY AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

2023

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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THANK YOU TO OUR INVESTOR MEMBERS



THANK YOU TO OUR PREMIER MEMBERS



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WHY SHOULD YOU JOIN THE CHAMBER?
[HERE IS THE LINK TO JOIN THE CHAMBER ONLINE.](#)



CHAMBER MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- Listed alphabetically and by category on the Ankeny Area Chamber's [Membership Directory](#)
- Membership in the Greater Des Moines Partnership and listed on their website in the [Directory](#)
- Advertising/sponsorship opportunities
- Link between the Chamber's website and your website/social media
- Opportunity to attend membership only events
- Use of the Chamber's conference room during business hours
- Your business card on our "Wall of Cards"
- Referral report through walk-in/call-in inquires/website clicks
- Opportunity to purchase membership labels
- Participation on various committees for Chamber events/programs if interested [Volunteer Information](#)
- Bi-weekly Connection email with the latest calendar and updates
- Ankeny Business Journal monthly publication that keeps you up to date with what's happening in the Chamber and business community. Click [here](#) to see the most recent issue.

NEW CHAMBER MEMBER MARKETING:

- New Chamber member welcome on Chamber's social media with link to website
- Listed on directory new member tab for up to 45 days
- Promotion with a 120 word write up/description in the [Ankeny Business Journal](#)
- New chamber member announcement with Cumulus Media Des Moines
- Ribbon cutting for your business which is listed on the Chamber's calendar and the Greater Des Moines Partnership's calendar
- Video of your Ribbon Cutting shared through multiple social media platforms
- Invitation to attend one New Member Mixer to introduce yourself to other new members and Ambassadors

QUICK LINKS

- ❖ [Member Benefits](#)
- ❖ [Board of Directors and Chamber Staff](#)
- ❖ [Ambassadors](#)
- ❖ [Ankeny Young Professionals](#)
- ❖ [Job Bank](#)
- ❖ [Volunteer Opportunities](#)
- ❖ [Security Policy](#)



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WINE & WHISKEY PULL

WINE AND WHISKEY (OR BOURBON) BOTTLE DONATIONS ARE NEEDED! WE WILL LIST YOUR BUSINESS LOGO ON EACH BOTTLE AS THE "SPONSOR" OF THAT BOTTLE.

BRING YOUR DONATED BOTTLE TO THE CHAMBER OFFICE OR EMAIL ABOLLINGER@ANKENY.ORG FOR QUESTIONS.



UNDER 
THE BIG TOP
Annual Dinner

FEBRUARY 16TH @TOAST ANKENY

UNDER 
THE BIG TOP
Annual Dinner

IS YOUR BUSINESS ABLE TO DONATE TO OUR PRIZE GIVEAWAYS AT OUR ANNUAL DINNER?

WE ARE LOOKING FOR DONATED ITEMS, EXPERIENCES OR SERVICES VALUED AT \$100 OR MORE.

Bring your donations to the Ankeny Chamber Office or email abollinger@ankeny.org for details.



JANUARY Chamber Events

AYP

AYP in the AM Cafe Diem

Thursday, January 10 | 7:15-9am

TRC

TRC Orientation

1631 SW Main St, Ste 204/205

Wednesday, January 11 | 3-4:30pm

TRC

TRC Kickoff Party

Location TBA

Wednesday, January 11 | 4:30 - 5:30pm

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

The Elements at Prairie Trail- Sponsored by The District

1380 SW Vintage Pkwy

Thursday, January 12 | 4-6pm

RIBBON CUTTING

LifeChoices® at Bethany

1380 SW Vintage Pkwy

Friday, January 13 | 12noon

RIBBON CUTTING

Holistic Services With Purpose

722 S Ankeny Blvd

1631 SW Main St #204-205

Monday, January 16 | 4:30 pm

AYP

AYP Annual Kickoff

Magee's Irish Pub

1610 SW Main St

Thursday, January 19 | 6-8 pm

RIBBON CUTTING

Nationwide Office Care

9235 Swanson Blvd

Friday, January 20 | 12noon

GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

Committee Meeting

Ankeny Area Chamber of Commerce

1631 SW Main St, Ste 204/205

Monday, January 23 | 12noon

LATTES & LEADS

Faith Baptist Bible College

1900 NW 4th St

Tuesday, January 24 | 8-9 am



SAVE THE DATES!

THU JAN 12 - MON JAN 16

as various Ankeny organizations come together to host the

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. WEEK OF SERVICE

"Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?'"

-Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

The MLK week of service empowers individuals, strengthens the community, and bridges barriers to continue to move us closer to Dr. King's vision. It will emphasize the importance of education, supporting local businesses, and community service/engagement.



**YOUTH CREATIVE COMPETITION, BUSINESS EVENT,
COMMUNITY SERVICE INITIATIVE, CANDLELIGHT VIGIL,
AND MORE!**

**EVENTS TO BE HELD AT VARIOUS ANKENY LOCATIONS
DETAILS TO FOLLOW**

Events coordinated by

Ankeny Human Rights Commission
Ankeny Community Network
Ankeny Community School District
Ankeny Area Chamber of Commerce
Ankeny Service Center
The Ankeny Klothing Exchange



RIBBON CUTTINGS



The Cozy Haven
121 SE Shurfine Dr, Ste 7
(515) 984-0194
<https://www.facebook.com/thecozyhaven.ia>



Can Cleaners, LLC
(515) 901-0664
www.thecanisclean.com



Costco Ankeny
4000 NE Spectrum Dr
(515) 686-8726
<https://www.costco.com/>



Firefly Wellness
(515) 210-8958
www.fireflywellness.us



IV Nutrition Ankeny
2405 SW White Birch Dr, Ste 105/106
(515) 444-1299
<https://ivnutritionnow.com/>



illie & co. boutique
1915 SW Plaza Pkwy
(515) 822-9684
<https://www.illieco.com>

RIBBON CUTTINGS



Eagle Point Solar - Des Moines
 1955 NE 58th Ave, Ste 201, Des Moines
 (563) 580-5823
<https://eaglepointsolar.com/>



Iowa League of Heroes
 (515) 419-8269
<https://iowaleagueofheroes.com/>



Felsburg Holt & Ullevig
 1300 Walnut St, Ste 101, Des Moines
 (515) 493-2757
<https://www.fhueng.com/>



Business After Hours



BUSINESS

sponsored by:



THE DISTRICT

After Hours



ANKENY
area chamber of commerce

Thursday, January 12th
4pm-6pm

@THE ELEMENTS AT PRAIRIE TRAIL
1380 SW Vintage Pkwy Ankeny, IA 50023





Lattes & Leads



Lattes & Leads

January 24, 2023
8 AM - 9 AM

Domokos Hall
(Building 3)
1900 NW Fourth Street,
Ankeny, IA



NEW!

ONLINE APPAREL STORE

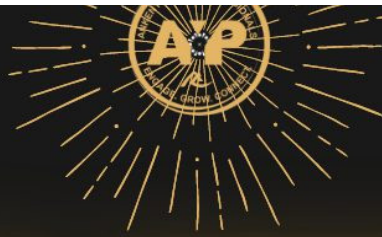


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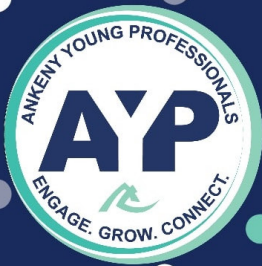


AYP ANNUAL KICKOFF

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19TH, 2023
6:00PM-8:00PM
MAGEE'S IRISH PUB & EATERY
1610 SW MAIN STREET, ANKENY



APPETIZERS PROVIDED &
YOUR FIRST DRINK IS ON US!



SAVE THE DATES! 2022-2023

DECEMBER

Lunch & Learn



14th

HolidAYParty

15th



JANUARY

10th



AYP
ANNUAL
KICKOFF

19th

Member Meetup

Hello

26th

FEBRUARY

Lunch & Learn



7th



16th

CHAMBER
ANNUAL DINNER



AYP:
AFTER
HOURS

MARCH

Lunch & Learn



7th

St. Patty's Day Party



16th

2023-2024 EVENT DATES COMING SOON!!!



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*Your chamber staff is
here to help!*