



Hillman Area Chamber of Commerce

December 2015 Newsletter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- December 5 – Christmas party
Patchwood Plaza 10 am – 2 pm
Brush Creek Mill 10 am – 12 pm
- December 8 – Business After Hours – 5:30 p.m.
(At the new Radio Station, 1201 West 2nd Hillman)
- December 15 – Chamber Meeting (9am at Patchwood Plaza)
We would like to see more NEW participation at our meetings.

December 8th

Business After Hours

(Sponsored by A-1 Party Store)

DATE: December 8th

TIME: 5:30 p.m.

LOCATION: New Radio Station
(1201 West 2nd Hillman)



The A-1 Party Store will be sponsoring the next Business After Hours on December 8th. We are also looking for a sponsor for the March 2016 Business After Hours. Contact the chamber office if you are interested.



State Representative Triston Cole in Hillman

On Saturday Nov 4, State Representative Triston Cole was at Patchwood Plaza from 3:30-4:30 PM to make himself available to meet with the public and answer any question anyone may have had.



Christmas Party – Dec. 5

Patchwood Plaza

December 5th 10am – 2 pm – Free Ride with Santa – Free popcorn and drinks.

Brush Creek Mill

10am – 12pm - free to all area children, pictures with Santa, games, crafts, and prizes.



FREE

RIDE WITH SANTA

DATE: December 5th

TIME: 10^{AM} - 2^{PM}

LOCATION: PATCHWOOD PLAZA



(14797 State Street South, Hillman, MI 49746 (989) 742-2605)

Bring your camera to take a free photo with Santa.



FREE POPCORN AND DRINKS!

Sponsored by Patchwood Plaza

Heaven's Bells Forever

Put the name of a loved one on a bell for a \$5 donation to the Hillman Area Chamber of Commerce.



(The bells are displayed at Patchwood Plaza)

Sponsored by the Hillman Area Chamber of Commerce.

Bells are available at PATCHWOOD PLAZA
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Merry Christmas / Happy New Years

The chamber would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Years and hope we have another successful year.

Buck Pole Results

- Largest Rack – (12 point) – James Sobek – Shot in Hawks
- Largest Rack under 16 – (10 point) – Chase Stewart (15) – Shot in Hillman
- 2nd Largest Rack – (9 point) – Dale R. Johnson – Shot in Hillman
- Heaviest Buck – (10 point) – Nichole Ruthko – Shot in Hillman
- 2nd Heaviest – (9 point) – Flynt Schulze – Shot in Rust Township
- Largest Antlers by a Lady – (9 point) – Lauren Taurianen – Shot in Hillman Township
- 1st Hung – (8 point) – Ken Lounsbery – Shot in Hillman Township

Prizes:

- \$399 - 243 Gun Package for Kids – Donated by Onsite Outdoors
- \$399 - Mossber Patriot w/Scope – Donated by A-1 Woods & Water
- \$535 - Head Mount – Donated by Advanced Wild Life Designs
- \$65 - Skin, Cut, Vacuum Pack, Freeze – Donated by Bailer's Sausage
- \$65 Gift Package – Donated by Northern Styles
- \$50 Gift Certificate – Donated by A-1 Party Store
- \$40 Gift Certificate – Donated by Hillman Hardware
- (4) \$20 Gift Certificates – Donated by Chauncey's, Charley O's, Zimmer's Café & Subway in Carter's Acres

Thank you for taking care of the Buck Pole:

- Sam Higdon
- Rick Schalkofski
- Dave Rader



We also want to thank the following:

- Those who scored the racks at the Buck Pole
- The sponsors who provided the advertising
- The businesses who donated the prizes.
- The chamber buck pole committee
- Any Chamber member that participated in any way to the buck pole
- Anyone else who supported the Hillman Chamber buck pole.

2015 Buck Pole



Buck Pole Donations Thank You

We wish to thank everyone that purchased a buck for a buck this year. We are still seeking donations to build a new buck pole for next year.

2016 Dues – DUE DEC 30!



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2016 Membership Directory

2016 Dues are due by December 30th if you want to be in the 2016 Membership Directory.

Crosswalk News

Winter is upon us, please keep a close eye out for children using the crosswalk. Talk with your children, grandchildren, and other family members and tell them to cross at the crosswalk, even when the crossing guard is not in season as drivers are more aware of children at the crosswalk.

Reminder: Children will be using the crosswalk 7:30 am. - 8:00 am. and 3:15 pm. - 3:45 pm. Monday - Friday.

Thank you and have a safe day.
Hillman School Crossing Guard -
Crystal Hermann



Participation Needed

We are planning some events for next year and need some members to step up and be involved in those events.

Remember that the chamber is only as strong as the people involved.

We also would like to try and get some of the groups like the VFW, The Lions Group, the local churches and schools, etc. involved in these events.

Happy Thanksgiving

We wish everyone had a Happy and delicious Thanksgiving.

