

CHAMBER *Action*

May 2015

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AYP CHAMBERWIDE LUNCHEON



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ChamberWide Luncheon Presented By

**SIMPSON
COLLEGE**



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Lunch and Learn

May 12 @ Noon

Ankeny Area Chamber of Commerce Office

Sponsored by Great Western Bank

AYP Tailgate

May 29 @ 11:30 - 1:00 pm

Firetrucker Brewery

Sponsored by Jethro's BBQ n' LakeHouse

This event is open to the Community!

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MEET YOUR BOARD!



Kevin Hudachek
Board of Directors
Hy-Vee Prairie Trail
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Kevin Hudachek is the store director at the Ankeny Prairie Trail Hy-Vee. He has been employed with Hy-Vee for 26 years. An Iowa City, IA native Kevin has lived in Waterloo, Cedar Rapids back to Iowa City then moved to the Des Moines area in 2002 and to Ankeny in 2004. He and his wife, Debby, have three children, Logan, Grace and Ella. Kevin has been active in the Ankeny Chamber of Commerce for the past 3 years. Kevin and Debby enjoy spending time with family and their kids' activities. When time does allow he likes to grill and ride bikes with his family.

CHAMBER CALENDAR

Wed, May 6

4:30 pm **Ribbon Cutting**

- Keller Williams Realty - Ankeny
- 2325 S.W. State St., Ste. D

Fri, May 8

Noon **Ribbon Cutting - Fong's Pizza**
- 1450 S.W. Vintage Pkwy.

Mon, May 11

Noon Executive Board Meeting - Chamber Office

Tue, May 12

4:30 pm **Ribbon Cutting - Spitzshine Floors**
- Chamber Office

Thur, May 14

4:00 pm **Business After Hours - CJM Financial**
- 1014 S.E. Lorenz Dr.

Mon, May 18

11:45 am Board of Directors Meeting
- Chamber Office

Tue, May 19

Noon **Ribbon Cutting - N2Publishing**
- Chamber Office

Wed, May 20

4:30 pm **Ambassador Meeting**
- Leaning Tower of Pizza

Thur, May 21

4:30 pm **Ribbon Cutting - Allstate - Janel Ketelsen**
- 110 N. Ankeny Blvd., Ste. 700

Mon, May 25

Chamber Office Closed - Memorial Day

Wed, May 27

11:30 am May Membership Luncheon
- Pinnacle Club, Otter Creek Golf Course

Thur, May 28

4:30 pm **Ribbon Cutting - Designed 2 Move Chiropractic & Sports Rehabilitation**
- 1210 N.W. 18th St., Ste. 110

Fri, May 29

11:30 - 1:00 pm AYP Tailgate - Firetrucker Brewery

Dates and Times are subject to change.

Check out www.ankeny.org for the most up-to-date schedule and details.

JOIN US!

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Thursday 5-14-15
4:00 to 6:00 pm

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Business Spotlight

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WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS



Mint L.A. Boutique

Rebekah Risbeck
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Owner, Rebekah Risbeck spent nearly 10 years in the Los Angeles fashion industry. Starting out at the prestigious, private fashion school, FIDM (Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising) in Los Angeles

and San Francisco, CA. Upon graduation she grew her ranks in the industry from fashion stylist (styling fashion icons, and major fashion show productions) to product development (traveling to China for months at a time to visit factories and ensure product would arrive in-store on time, consistent with designer intent), to buying and trend forecasting for future collections, and traveling to NYC for NYFW. It was buying that sparked a particular interest in Ms. Risbeck. After a few years in the buying field, Risbeck decided to risk everything and start Mint Los Angeles Boutique in Des Moines Iowa. The rest, as they say, is history!

We offer on-trend and affordable fashion to the everyday girl. New styles arrive weekly and our inventory is constantly changing. We cater to a young, working professional who embraces her social life. Most of our customers have been with us from day one. They know us on a personal basis, and we are in business because of them! It is our goal to cater to our existing loyal base by offering them the trendiest, best quality, and affordable items that will make a lasting impression in their life. MintL.A. Boutique is a lifestyle boutique; women come for special occasion outfits, to engagement and baby picture outfits, or just simply to chat with the staff because they know we genuinely enjoy them. MintL.A. is a trendy and affordable boutique catering to young female professionals with locations in West Glen and Prairie Trail. Created for women on a budget who still want classic, timeless pieces, as well as affordable of-the-moment styles.



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WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS

Aspen Waste Systems

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Vibrant Wellness

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Stephanie Baedke is the owner of Vibrant Wellness located inside Salon 6 Suites. Her business is devoted to helping people reach their greatest potential. Her practice is focused on helping men and women stop the cycle of yo-yo dieting and those struggling with fatigue and sugar cravings. She also works with clients who suffer from chronic tension headaches and migraines as well as neck and shoulder pain from repeated overuse. Stephanie is skilled in the Raindrop Technique, reflexology, and deep tissue massage and enjoys coaching both individuals and groups. To learn more about Vibrant Wellness, visit www.vibrantwellnessdsm.com.

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2015 Spring Fling

Four Person Best
Shot Tournament

Wednesday, June 10th, 2015
Briarwood Club of Ankeny

\$100 per person (\$400 per team)

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Ankeny Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Open
Wednesday, June 10, 2015



TASTEBUD TUESDAYS!

Iowa Orthodontic Solutions was our April recipient of
Tastebud Tuesdays!

Lunch was provided by Wig & Pen Pizza Pub!
Thank you to our Presenting Sponsor, 1st National
Bank, Ankeny!



Chamber Facts!

What is the 2015 SummerFest theme?

Email lweyer@ankeny.org with the correct answer and be entered to win two movie passes to Springwood 9 Theater!

**Winners names' will be drawn the day after the newsletter is sent out. Winners can pick up their movie passes at the Chamber Office, 210 S. Ankeny Blvd.
Answers and winners' names will be posted in next month's Chamber Action Newsletter.*

April's Chamber Facts

Who is the speaker at the April ChamberWide Luncheon?

Answer: Adam Carroll

Winners: Cheryl Jass, Courtyard by Marriott, Ankeny
Kim Schaaf, Monsanto Company
Kim Hanken, American Heart Association

Ribbon Cuttings



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JOIN THE ANKENY YOUNG PROFESSIONALS FOR THEIR ANNUAL TAILGATE EVENT

FRIDAY, MAY 29

11:30 TO 1:00 PM

FIRETRUCKER BREWERY



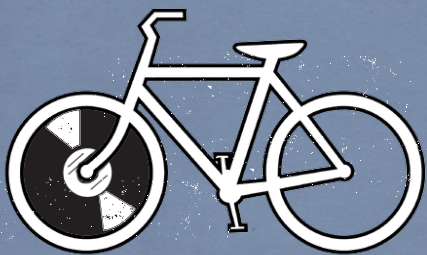
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FOR THE SECOND ANNUAL ROCK AND ROLL BIKE RIDE!

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\$40 - LATE AND DAY OF REGISTRATION

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