

November 2011

Newsletter

Up & Coming • Calendar of Events

Tuesday, November 15 Luncheon

Franciscan Villa

3601 South Chicago Avenue

Noon – Members Meeting

*Lunch will be provided

RSVP to Chamber Office by November 8

Saturday, November 19

Heritage Place Tree Lighting

10th & Milwaukee Avenues, 3-5pm

No December Meeting ~ Happy Holidays

2011 Ornaments Available

The 2011 Treasured Scene Ornaments are now available! The South Milwaukee Lions Club is featured in 2011 in celebration of 75 years of service. A limited number of 2010 ornaments of Grant Park in a winter setting are available along with a select number of previous years. The gift-boxed ornaments sell for \$12.00. Ornaments can be purchased at Parkway Floral, 1001 Milwaukee Avenue or the Chamber office located at City Hall.



Upcoming Chamber Luncheon

Mark your calendar for the luncheon meeting scheduled for Noon on **Tuesday, November 15** at Franciscan Villa in South Milwaukee. No cost to attend, however, please *contact the Chamber Office by November 8 to RSVP*.

Tree Lighting at Heritage Place Park

Get in the holiday spirit by joining in the Tree Lighting Festivities on **Saturday, November 19** at Heritage Place Park located on the northwest corner of 10th and Milwaukee Avenue. Music will be provided by various groups with the Tree Lighting Ceremony at 5:00p.m. Enjoy Hot Cocoa and Cider, and don't forget to visit with Santa from 3-5:00p.m.! Don't forget to pick up a coupon booklet at the Tree Lighting!

The South Milwaukee Chamber of Commerce will offer coupon booklets containing specials from area businesses. Members – include your advertisement/coupon at no charge, and \$10 for non-members. **Email or mail your 3 1/2" tall x 4" wide coupon to the Chamber Office by November 9**. Volunteers are needed for this event to assist with refreshments – contact the Chamber Office or Bryan at Parkway Floral (762-0246).

South Milwaukee Chamber of Commerce

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 10a.m.–1p.m.

SOUTH MILWAUKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICERS - 2011

President.....	Bryan Lorentzen
Vice-President.....	Robert Pfeiffer
Treasurer.....	Allen Wegner
Executive Secretary.....	Melissa Martin
Past President.....	Ellen Lichte
3-Year Board.....	Danielle Devlin
3-Year Board.....	Donald Bulley

Election Time

A reminder to take a few moments to fill out the South Milwaukee Chamber of Commerce Election Ballot attachment included with the November Newsletter and return to the Chamber Office. Ballots must be received by December 9. The Officers and Board of Directors terms begin January 1.

Dance at American Legion Post #27

Enjoy dancing? Stop in and dance **every Tuesday** (except holidays) from 1:00-4:00p.m. at the American Legion Post 27, 920 Monroe Avenue in South Milwaukee. Music is by Dick Talatzko with guest. Cost \$5.00 per person. Contact Bernice at 762-5349 if you have any questions. The dance is sponsored by the South Shore Noon Lions.

Library Happenings

Used Book Sale – Do you have books you want to get rid of but don't know what to do with them? Consider donating them to the Friends of South Milwaukee Public Library for their used book sale. Proceeds benefit the library by providing funding for special equipment, programs, publicity and more. The 2011 book sales will be held **November 12**, from 9:30a.m. to 3:00p.m.

Book Cellar Open - The Friends of South Milwaukee Public Library will also be selling used books in the "Book Cellar" from 9:30am to 11:00am on Monday, **December 5**.

The South Milwaukee Public Library is located at 1907 10th Avenue.

3-Year Board.....	Mark Nicholson
2-Year board.....	Joyce Bulley
2-Year Board.....	Linda Ryan
2-Year board.....	John Haslam
1-Year Board	Chris Daniels
1-Year Board.....	Donn Powers

Attention Members!!

Promote your business by having your business card displayed in the card holder at the South Milwaukee Chamber of Commerce office located at City Hall. Mail your business cards to SMCC, 2424 15th Avenue, P.O. Box 207, South Milwaukee, WI 53172.

Donate Your Deer Hides

To Benefit Special Needs Children

Deer hunting season has started. If you are a deer hunter and want to put your deer hides to good use, the Wisconsin Lions Foundation can use them. Last year deer hide collections provided over \$43,000 to the Wisconsin Lions Camp-benefiting special needs children of Wisconsin. Even if you are not a hunter, do you know someone who hunts? Ask them for the hides to help the kids.

Deer Hides can be dropped off at the Eberhardts - 1220 Sherman Avenue, South Milwaukee - Please call Dan for other locations. For further information or if your club or individual is interested in collecting for WLF, contact Lion Dan Eberhardt at 414-571-7161 or dshardt@yahoo.com.

Eyeglasses, Hearing Aids Collected

Drop off used eyeglasses at the Lions Drop Boxes. The eyeglasses are cleaned, repaired, and classified by prescription, then distributed to those in need. Eyeglasses and hearing aids can be dropped off at various locations throughout South Milwaukee, including Parkway Floral at 1001 Milwaukee Avenue, City Hall, 2424 15th Avenue, or South Milwaukee Library at 1907 10th Avenue.

For upcoming South Milwaukee Performing Arts Center shows and performances, visit www.southmilwaukeepac.org.

Get in the Holiday Spirit With ...

Bake Sale/Open House at Historical Society

The South Milwaukee Historical Society will have its annual Christmas Bake Sale at the Museum on **Saturday, November 19** from 9:00a.m. to 1:00p.m. Home baked goodies, Jewell Jam, books, ornaments, and other Society items will be available to purchase. Do your Christmas shopping early at the Historical Society Museum located at 717 Milwaukee Avenue.

Old Fashioned Christmas Celebration ♦ Nov. 27

South Milwaukee will welcome Christmas with the Old Fashioned Christmas Celebration and parade on **Sunday, November 27**. Festivities will kick-off with the parade at 12:30pm on 12th & Milwaukee Avenues and end at City Hall located at 2424 15th Avenue. Enjoy children's craft time from 1-4:30pm. Events from 1-5pm include a visit from Santa, stockings, movie, and food available to purchase. The city tree lighting will be at 5:30pm.

Old Fashioned Holiday Tea ♦ December 10

Join the Friends of the Mill Pond & Oak Creek Watercourse, Inc and the South Milwaukee Historical Society for an old fashioned holiday tea on **Saturday, December 10 from 11:30am to 2:00pm** at the Grant Park Golf Clubhouse, 100 Hawthorne Ave. Enjoy a delicious lunch with tea and dessert in this beautifully decorated historic building. Please respond by December 3rd for the event at 571-1191 or 762-5214.

Holiday Bazaar at Senior Center ♦ November 12

The Chester W. Grobschmidt Senior Center is holding its Annual Holiday Bazaar on **Saturday, November 12** from 9:00am-1:00pm. Homemade craft items, delicious baked goods, wonderful raffle items, white elephant/rummage sale and lunch items will be available. Free Admission!

Member news for the December Newsletter must be submitted to the Chamber Office by November 20.

8th Annual

 Wilson Commons



Holiday Home Show

Avon - Scentsy - Tupperware - Mary Kay - Pampered Chef
Tastefully Simple - Basics Covered & More! Don't Miss The Raffle!

Craft Fair & Bake Sale

Sunday, November 20, 2011

10 am to 2 pm



Delicious
Homemade Bakery
While It Lasts!

Prelude
Restaurant
featuring
Hot Chili!

1400 & 1500 W. Sonata Drive
Milwaukee, WI 53221

(Located just south of Wilson Park on S. 13th Street)
Home Show Info: (414) 281-3400 / Holiday Craft Fair Info: (414) 281-2450
www.capricommunities.com

For Your Health

Cholesterol/Blood Pressure Clinic on **November 16th, Thursday - 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.** at SM Health Department, 2424 15th Avenue. Non-fasting/fasting cholesterol screening will be done for \$15.00. The screening covers blood sugar, total cholesterol, HDL, LDL, Non-HDL, total cholesterol/HDL ratio, and triglycerides. There is no charge for a blood pressure screening. Please call for an appointment at 414-768-8055.

Flu Shots are given every Thursday - 2:00 pm to 4:00pm at the South Milwaukee Health Department. Adults only, ages 19 and older. The cost is \$28.00. Pneumonia shots cost \$64.00. This is a walk-in clinic -- no pre-registration is needed. Medicare Part B card will be accepted for both flu and pneumonia shots. For additional information, call 414-768-8055.