



# 2017 Grandville Jenison Chamber Events

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## 2017 Kick Off After Hours Reception

Join us for our first event of 2017 at United Bank in Jenison. Plenty of relationship building, appetizers, soda and a selection of wine and beer.

Thursday, January 12 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

## Annual Meeting & Awards Ceremony

This event highlights the chambers accomplishments and honors exemplary businesses.

Friday, January 20 8 am—9:30 am Sunnybrook Country Club

## Connecting Business & Community Leadership Breakfast

These bi-annual meetings will address issues in the community that align with our priorities outlined in our Strategic Plan.

Friday, March 24 & Friday, October 27 (Locations TBD)

## Monthly Connections Matter Luncheon

Held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, these meetings will provide opportunities for relationship building and professional development. Locations will vary.

## B2B Expo & Networking After Hours in Partnership with Wyoming-Kentwood Chamber

This new event offers an opportunity to network and market to fellow businesses and to expand your networking impact to a broader territory.

Thursday, March 2 4 pm - 8 pm Grandville Banquet Center

## Membership Appreciation Reception

This free event held the first Thursday of December is sponsored by the Chamber's Premier Partners and offers plenty of networking, food and drinks. Spouses or guest welcome.

## Members In Action

Members In Action are active chamber members who volunteer their time and talents based on their passions to assist the chamber staff.

# Multi-Chamber Events

## Business Blind Date

No agenda, just another opportunity to expand your networking circle. Register and we will assign you 3 like-minded professionals to enjoy a great meal and get to know each other.

Wednesday, March 8 - Breakfast 8 am - 9 am  
Friday, September 29 - Lunch 12 pm -1 pm

## Speed Networking

Speed Networking is a tool for groups or people wishing to meet, exchange ideas and expand their networking circles.

Friday, June 2nd 8 am - 9 am  
Wednesday, October 4 4 pm - 5 pm

## Connected Chamber Women Luncheon

A collaboration with 8 local chambers. The mission of CCW is to create connections between West Michigan Chambers.

Fridays from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm  
February 3, May 5, November 3

## Annual After Hours at Gun Lake Casino Hosted by Wayland Chamber

Free event held in July each year has over 100 in attendance.

## Golf Outing

Partnering with the Hudsonville and Wyoming-Kentwood Chambers this event supports local scholarships and provides a great networking opportunity with over 150 golfers each year.

Friday, June 9 8 am & 1 pm Tee Times Gleneagle Golf Club.

## Community Expo at the Mall

Held at Rivertown Crossings Mall, vendors have the opportunity to provide a "pop-up kiosk" and market to mall attendees.

Saturday, February 25 10 am - 3 pm

## Fall Community Expo

Held at Jenison High School, the expo caters to families providing a variety of kids' activities, contests and free haircuts for veterans.

Saturday, November 4 10 am - 2 pm

## Community Awards Reception

An evening honoring outstanding individuals who give their time and talents to the community and recognizes our Ted terHaar and Grandville Community Scholarship Recipients.

Thursday, April 27 5 pm - 8 pm Gleneagle Golf Club

## Music in the Park

This event was created to celebrate our community and provide another opportunity to connect our members to the community at Rosewood Park in Jenison.

Tuesdays: July 18, 25 August 1, 8

## Beer, Bands and BBQ

The unofficial kickoff to Grandville's 4th of July activities celebration includes live music, food and a beer tent. The event also serves as a fundraiser for both the Chamber and local non-profits.

Monday, July 3 4 pm -11 pm

## Chamber Grand Lady River Boat Cruise

Perfect venue to network and take advantage of the natural beauty along the Grand River. Friends and family welcome!

Wednesday, August 23 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

## Professional Development

We partner with Score and the MI-SBTDC who both offer a comprehensive selection of free trainings that are listed on our calendar of events throughout the year. We will also offer a variety of professional development at our Monthly Connections Matter Luncheons.

## Member 2 Member Events

Hosting an event? Have a topic you want to share with fellow members? The Chamber Office and calendar of events are both available.

## Ribbon Cuttings / Grand Openings

Another opportunity to expand your network and celebrate with fellow members. sandy@grandjen.com to be added to invites.

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