

Hosting an Event

Hosting a Wake Up Alexandria or Off the Clock event is a great way to promote your business. The event allows you to showcase the products and/or services that you offer, and brings many people into your business.

The host business receives promotion prior to the event through radio, newspaper, social media, and Chamber email blasts.

For more information on hosting, contact Jess at the Chamber of Commerce at 320-763-3161 or jess@alexandriamn.org.



"I always try and stick around just in case Heartland Orthopedic Specialists is drawn for the Pot of Gold. When I was the President of the Chamber of Commerce I was only lucky enough to draw a winner one time at the last Wake Up Alexandria I was president over. With over 600 members in the Chamber of Commerce you know the odds are actually pretty good of having a winner. One of the best parts is you can feel how happy everyone in the room is for a winner to be drawn. The support from local businesses in support of the Pot of Gold is tremendous. We will utilize the donations to help promote Heartland Orthopedic Specialists externally along with reward staff internally."

- Mike Doyle, Administrative Director,
Heartland Orthopedic Specialists
January 2020 Pot of Gold Winner



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WAKE UP ALEXANDRIA

Off the Clock is an event that is new to the Chamber! Structured similar to Wake Up Alexandria, Off the Clock will be held on the fourth Thursday of each month from 4:30 to 5:30 pm at different member business locations.

Off the Clock is open to both members and non-members, and is a way to learn more about what is happening in our community. A “buck and a business card” gets you in the door and all dollars raised are donated to a 501(c)3 non-profit member.

2020 Off the Clock Dates

February 27..... Art & Soul Hair Design
CANCELLED - March 26 Elite
CANCELLED - April 23 Corral Saloon & Eatery
 June 25 Veterans Memorial Park
CANCELLED - August 27 Sammi Lindemann
 - Central MN REalty
CANCELLED - September 24..... DJ's Taphouse & Grill
CANCELLED - October 22 KIKV-FM & COOL-FM

Want to host an Off the Clock? Call the Chamber to reserve your date!



Wake Up Alexandria is a networking event hosted at Chamber member locations on the first and third Friday of every month from 7:30 to 8:30 am.

These events are open to members and non-members. A “buck and a business card” gets you in the door and all dollars raised are donated to a 501(c)3 non-profit Chamber member.

Members have the opportunity to make a brief announcement about their business to inform attendees on upcoming events, promotions or any additional information.

The Pot of Gold drawing is a highly anticipated part of each Wake Up event. The Pot of Gold is sponsored by members who donate items, services, or gift certificates. Every Chamber member is included in the drawing, but a representative of the business drawn must be present to win.

Sponsors are promoted through email blasts, displayed at the event, published on the Chamber website, vocally showcased at the event and listed in a press release when the Pot of Gold is won.

If you would like to be a sponsor of the Pot of Gold, contact Jess at 320-763-3161 or jess@alexandriamn.org.

2020 Wake Up Alexandria Dates

January 17 First Lutheran Church / Community Preschool
 February 7 The CBD Centers
 February 21 Recover Health @ Pizza Ranch
 March 6 Living Tree Massage/Bodywork
CANCELLED - March 20 Diamond Willow Assisted Living
CANCELLED - April 3 Lind Family Funeral & Cremation Service
CANCELLED - April 17 Sanford Health
CANCELLED - May 1 SERVPRO of Douglas & Otter Tail Counties
CANCELLED - May 15Let's Go Fishing Alexandria Lakes Area / Windmill Ponds
 June 5 Alomere Health
 June 19 Douglas County Fair Board
 July 17..... Alexandria Motors - Chevrolet Cadillac Mazda
 August 7 Knute Nelson
 August 21 ICON Business Advantage
 September 4 United Way of Douglas & Pope Counties
 September 18 Runestone Museum Foundation
 October 2 Habitat for Humanity of Douglas County
 October 16 Straight Up with Irmadene
 November 6 Alexandria Area YMCA
 November 20 Bruckner Mediation
 December 4 TBD
 December 18 TBD

***Note: Locations are subject to change. Watch for email blasts prior to events for updates!**

