

Salem Area Chamber of Commerce Newsletter

October, November & December 2009

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2009 Awards Banquet

&

Live/Silent Auction

November 12th

6:00 p.m.

Tickets will be available beginning October 5th

Event catered by:

“Salem Catering”

Location To Be Announced

**For more information call the Chamber office
at 573-729-6900**

or Email: chamber@salemco.com

**Award Nomination forms will be available
beginning October 5th**

2009

Christmas Parade of Lights

December 5th

5:30 p.m.

This Year's Theme

“An Old Fashioned Christmas”

**To enter your business or organization
call the Chamber office at**

573-729-6900 or

email: chamber@salemco.com

“Pumpkins & Crows”

This is the first year for this very special exhibit. Enjoy decorated pumpkins and homemade scarecrows when you join us for this fall exhibit at the Salem ONCRC.

Beginning October 12 through the 31st.

If you are interested in decorating a pumpkin, or making a scarecrow don't miss out on this opportunity to display your artistic skills.

No freshly carved pumpkins can be accepted. Scarecrows are to be of the garden/field type and may be created for sitting or standing.

Exhibits will be accepted at the ONCRC at 202 South Main St. October 5th through 10th.

For more information call
573-729-0029

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Saturday

A Haunting at Montauk Mill

See bats, hear voices and see images of ghosts from the past. The old grist mill will be where the past is brought back to life.

Come to the Montauk Mill on Saturday October 24th at 6:30 p.m. and experience a unique night tour of the Mill. Hear lingering voices of Ozark Pioneers

and see mysteries of the deep.

Who knows what spirits and historic characters may appear by night from the long times past.

For More Info call 573-548-2201

“Trees and Trains”

This exhibit has become a tradition.

Everyone comes to the

Salem ONCRC to see this amazing display of Christmas Trees and model trains. This is one exhibit you won't want to miss and you may even decide that you would like to decorate a tree for display.

Setup will take place beginning November 16th and all trees must be in place before November 24th. The exhibit will run Nov. 24th-Dec. 24th.

Artificial trees only.

For space reservation and information call
Mary Lou Smith at 729-6889

Decorations and trees must be removed
by January 9th

2009 Holiday Open House November 13 & 14

Visit the Salem merchants as they decorate for the Christmas Season.

You will find drawings and specials at nearly every store.

So ladies while the guys are spending that weekend at a very cold deer camp, you can be spending also.

A very warm and cozy weekend inside those stores beautifully decorated and loaded with lots of gift ideas.

The Salem Area Chamber of Commerce will be giving a prize for the business that has the most elaborately decorated store window.

So plan ahead to spend Nov. 13th & 14th

Shopping here in Salem

Holiday Craft Bazaar

November 7

**Salem Lutheran Church
and**

Salem United Methodist Church

This Annual event has become a favorite of many area residents to get those early handmade Christmas gifts.

For more information call the Salem United Methodist church at 729-4551 or The Salem Lutheran Church at 729-5512

46th Annual

Rose Holland Trout Derby

October 3

All proceeds benefit

The American Heart Association

Montauk State Park

Live Musical Entertainment Saturday Afternoon

Montauk Lodge Parking Lot

Guided Hikes 10:00a.m.-11:30 a.m. and
1:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Derby Hours Sat. 7:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

Sun. 7:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

Prizes Awarded at 12:00 Noon Sunday

in front of Montauk Lodge

Cruise In Car show Friday night Oct. 2

City Wide

Yard Sale

October 3

Maps will be available at
convenience stores,

City Administration Building and the
Chamber Office.

Copies of the map will be printed in the
Salem News.

Happy 150th Birthday Salem

In 2010 the City of Salem
will turn 150 years old.

The planning committee has been hard
at work to make sure that each month
has a different focus or direction.

January and February will focus on the
origin of Salem and it's early history.

March will focus on education.

April will recognize the area's government.
The month of *May* will focus on culture.
During the month of *June* we will look toward
nature.

**This year of celebration will have
something for everyone. .**

2010

100 Acre Wood Club Rally

February 26th & 27th

**More information will be
made available as we
receive it.**

Local volunteers will be needed to work along
with Club Rally staff to make this event a
success. Information on how to be a
volunteer will become available closer to Rally
dates.

You may visit their website at

www.100aw.org

October Chamber Membership Meeting
October 14th at the Salem TCRC
12:00 Noon

Salem Sesquicentennial Planning Committee will present some ideas and plans that have been discussed in previous planning meetings. This meeting is designed to inform & involve our local area businesses in the planning of Salem's 150th birthday celebration that will take place during 2010.

Please RSVP no later than October 12th.

Cost is \$8.00 per person.

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Calendar of Events

Oct. 3	City Wide Yard Sale	573-729-2428
Oct. 3	Rose Holland Trout Derby	573-548-2434
Oct.12	Pumpkins & Crows	573-729-0029
Oct.12	Columbus Day	
Oct.14	Chamber Membership Meeting	573-729-6900
Oct.24	"A Haunting at Montauk Mill	573-548-2201
Nov. 7	Holiday Craft Bazaar	
Nov.11	Veteran's Day	
Nov.12	Chamber Awards Banquet	573-729-6900
Nov.13	Catch & Release Trout Season Opens	
Nov.13-14	Holiday Open House (Salem Businesses)	
Nov.24	Trees & Trains Opens at Salem ONCRC	573-729-0029
Nov.26	Thanksgiving Day	
Dec. 5	Christmas Parade of Lights 5:30 p.m.	573-729-6900
Dec.25	Christmas Day	