

SALEM AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

4th Quarter NewsLetter 2010

CASEY'S General Stores, Inc



Front Row - left to right: Mayor Gary Brown, Sharon Tubbs, Salem Chamber Board Member/Salem Economic Development, Mindy Gibbs, Casey's Store Manager, George LaJoie, Salem Chamber President, Air-Evac, Philip Giacomelli, Chamber Board member/Southwest Baptist University, Angie Harrison, Casey's staff member, Jennifer Brown, Casey's staff member, Kayla Sutterfield, Casey's staff member
Back Row - left to right: Carol Lacy, Chamber Board member/Salem Memorial District Hospital, Damon Robertson, Casey's staff member, Bo Rictor, Casey's staff member, Genie Zakrzewski, Salem Chamber Director, Elizabeth Cooper, Casey's staff member, Nicole Stidham, Casey's staff member, Angela Huff, Casey's staff member and Brad Nash, Chief, Dent County Fire District.

Future Events:

- October 14** – Noon, Southwest Baptist University
Host: **Intercounty Electric Cooperative Association**
- November 4** – 6:00PM, Chamber Awards Banquet, Salem City Hall
- December 8** – Noon, Southwest Baptist University
Host: **St. John's Clinic**
- December 4** – 5:30 PM, "Christmas Parade of Lights"
- November 12/13** - Holiday Open House Downtown Salem
- November 22** - "Trees and Trains" Salem ONCRC

New Members

- James & Gahr Mortuary (7/14/2010)
- Three Rivers Hospice South (8/13/2010)
- Casey's General Stores (8/20/2010)
- AT&T-Missouri (9/21/2010)
- Steelville Silkscreen Studio (9/29/2010)

AT & T - Missouri

Salem Area Chamber of Commerce, Montauk Lodge-Montauk State Park and Mobile Gateway-Authorized AT&T Retailer welcomed AT&T – Missouri "**Rethink Possible**" as a new member and held a ribbon cutting for the latest AT&T Tower bringing improved coverage and data services in and around Montauk State Park.



Featured in August 21st ribbon cutting picture, Front Row from left to right are Denny Bopp, Missouri Dept. of Natural Resources, Dan Paige, Missouri Dept. of Natural Resources, Genie Zakrzewski, Salem Chamber Director, Marsha Haskell, AT&T Regional Director-External Affairs, Senator Frank Barnitz, Representative Jason Smith, Cassandra Penny, AT&T, Monica Wagoner, Mobile Gateway, and Philip Giacomelli, Salem Chamber Board member/Southwest Baptist University. Back Row from left to right, George LaJoie, Salem Chamber President/Air-Evac, Tony Sesti, AT&T, Albert Hamilton, Mobile Gateway, Rick Stallings, Dent County Sheriff, Dave Ingram, Agent-Missouri Dept. of Conservation.

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- *Progressive Ozark Bank - **Hole-In-One Sponsor**
- *Progressive Financial Group - **Hole-In-One Sponsor**
- *Bank of Salem - **Attendance Prizes**
- *Fleming Variety – **Attendance Prize**



Eggs and Issues

CenturyLink, the Salem Area Chamber of Commerce and Southwest Baptist University hosted the “Eggs and Issues” program on September 28th. Fifty individuals enjoyed a breakfast and an information exchange with Senator Frank Barnitz and Representative Jason Smith. Doug Galloway, Sr. Legislative Affairs Manager and Claudia Sands, Government Relations Manager from CenturyLink, were present to discuss current and future company operations.

**Visitor Center Requests for Information
May -September**

- 958 For information regarding Salem Area - Businesses, Local Events, etc.
- 99 Email requests for tourism

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Chamber Board of Directors

George LaJoie, President, Air Evac Lifeteam
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Philip Giacomelli, Southwest Baptist University
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Stacy Medlock, The Bank Of Salem
Julie Warren, Progressive Ozark Bank
Missy Williams, Common Grounds & Village Gallery
Sharon Tubbs, City of Salem
Genie Zakrzewski, Chamber Director

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