

# CHAMBER CHATTER



## *April 2023*

**April 27<sup>th</sup> – Spirit of Springfield/Business of the Year Banquet-tickets on sale now**

**May 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> – Spring Plant Giveaway**

**May 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> – Spring Garage Sale**

**June 21<sup>st</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Chamber Golf Tournament**

**June 21<sup>st</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> – Riverside Days**

\*Please share the Chamber Chatter Newsletter with your employees. The newsletter is also now available on the Chamber website at <https://springfieldmnchamber.org/chamber-chatter/>. It will also be posted on Facebook when the current newsletter is available on the Chamber Website.

If there are additional email addresses you would like me to add to make sure our newsletter is getting to all who are interested, please let me know by emailing me at [spfdchamber@newulmtel.net](mailto:spfdchamber@newulmtel.net) and I would be happy to add them to the email list.

Springfield Chamber of Commerce

Thank You and Welcome  
to Our New Members

Mediacom Communications  
United Prairie Insurance Agency

WE LOOK FORWARD TO MAKING 2023 AMAZING

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER OR HAVE ANY  
QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL THE CHAMBER OFFICE 507-723-3508

**RETAIL COMMITTEE MEETING** will be meeting on Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at 12 pm at the Springfield Community Center



Springfield Area  
Chamber of Commerce Invites  
You To The

**SPIRIT OF SPRINGFIELD  
&  
BUSINESS OF THE YEAR  
AWARDS BANQUET**

**to honor  
Dotty de Lambert  
&  
NAPA Glen's Auto Parts**

THURSDAY, APRIL 27TH, 2023  
AT 6 EAST

\*6:30 PM RECEPTION & CASH BAR \*7 PM DINNER  
PROGRAM TO FOLLOW

**ADVANCE TICKET SALES**

**\$35 Per Person**

*Through April 17th  
(tickets will NOT be sold at the door)  
purchase tickets at:*

**Chamber Office  
F&M Bank**

**SouthPoint Financial Credit Union  
Springfield Advance-Press**

spfdchamber@newulmtel.net  
507-723-3508



2023 Recipient  
Dotty de Lambert

**Business**  
*of the* **Year**

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NAPA Glen's Auto Parts



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723-4257

A hand is holding the handle of a large, light-brown woven basket. The basket has a diamond-shaped weave pattern and a rope handle. The background is a plain, light gray.

# **SHOP SPRINGFIELD FIRST BASKET**

at the  
**Spirit of Springfield & Business  
of the Year Awards Banquet**

**SEEKING DONATIONS**

**Help Support the Chamber  
by Donating LOCAL  
MERCHANDISE, GIFT CARDS,  
or a Cash Donation**

**Contact the Chamber Office at (507) 723-3508 by  
Friday, April 21, 2023 to arrange pick up**



# **WINE PULL & BOOZE BASKET**

at the  
**Spirit of Springfield & Business of the Year  
Awards Banquet**

**SEEKING DONATIONS**

**Help Support the Chamber  
by Donating Bottles of Wine,  
Liquor, or a Cash Donation**

**Contact the Chamber Office at (507) 723-3508 by  
Friday, April 21, 2023 to arrange pick up**

**Join us in kicking off Riverside Days at the  
15th Annual Springfield Chamber Golf Tournament**

**Wednesday, June 21st  
Springfield Golf Club**

**9 Hole 4-Person Scramble**

**\$55 Per Person**

(Includes 9 Holes of Golf, Lunch, and Door Prizes)

(cart not included)

**Sports on  
the Course  
Theme**

**Advance Meal Tickets  
TACO BAR**

(Available June 1-14): \$12

Available at Chamber Office,  
F&M Bank,

SouthPoint Financial Credit Union,  
& Springfield Advance-Press

At the Door: \$13

**12 PM Registration**

**12-1 PM Lunch**

**1 PM Shotgun Start**

**Prizes & Games**

**to Follow**

**Registration Forms Available at the Chamber Office &  
Springfield Golf Club**

**Awards for 1st, 5th, & 9th place teams**

**Big Skins Game - 50/50 Payout**

**Mulligans - 1 Per Person \$5 Each**

**Golf Pong - 50/50 Payout**

**Heads & Tails Game**

**Open to the  
Public**





# SPRINGFIELD AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

*Open to the Public*  
*9-holes 4-person Scramble*  
*Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup>*

Registration at 12 pm

Shotgun Start at 1 pm

Lunch 12 pm - 1 pm

Games and Prizes around 3:30 pm

**Registration:**

**Golf & Lunch = \$55**

**Lunch Only = \$12 Advance**

**Lunch at the Door = \$13**

**Golf Registration Includes: Taco Bar**

**Sports on the Course Themed Prizes!** Come in your sports attire-Prize for Best Dressed Team

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Check Appropriate Lines:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Lunch ONLY (Taco Bar)

\_\_\_\_\_ Gluten Free (If needed)

(\$12 per person advance tickets)

\_\_\_\_\_ Golf and Supper (\$55 per person)

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to be a sponsor (\$350 **Gold**, \$250 **Silver**, \$150 **Bronze**)

**\*\*Gold** receives four free entry fees; **Silver** receives two free entry fees; **Bronze** receives one free entry fee \*\*

\_\_\_\_\_ I will need a golf cart (cost NOT included in registration fee)

\*Contact the Springfield Golf Course at (507) 723-5888 to reserve your cart. \$25 paid to Springfield Golf Course

\_\_\_\_\_ I have my own golf cart

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like the Chamber to assign me to a team

\_\_\_\_\_ I have a team of the following players:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I am unable to attend, but I would like to contribute \_\_\_\_\_ to the Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce and/or the Springfield Chamber Golf Tournament.

**Registrations Due June 1<sup>st</sup> 2023**

**Return Registrations to:**

Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce

Golf Committee

33 South Cass

PO Box 134

Springfield, MN 56087

(507) 723-3508

[spfdchamber@newulmtel.net](mailto:spfdchamber@newulmtel.net)

*\*Thank you for your support!*





**June 21st – June 25<sup>th</sup>  
2023**

**EVENT SIGN UP**

Day of Event: (complete ONE sheet for each day event is scheduled)

6/21  
Wednesday

6/22  
Thursday

6/23  
Friday

6/24  
Saturday

6/25  
Sunday

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Activity/Event sponsoring (Please be descriptive):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Registration Deadline is Friday, April 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2023**  
**This must be submitted to be included in Advertising**

**EACH ORGANIZATION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR:**

- Finding their own volunteers
- Setting up and taking down their own activity/event
- Decorating their activity
- Clearly listing their prices, if applicable
- Cleaning up their area after the event is done



33 S. Cass Avenue  
P.O. Box 134  
Springfield, MN 56087  
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*~~Springfield Golf Club~~*

# FISH FRY

**Friday, April 7, 2023**

**Serving from 5:00pm - Until Sold Out**

*\*Golden Brown Fish*

*\*Potato Salad \*Coleslaw \*Bread*

**Purchase your Tickets in Advance for  
Dine In OR Take Out**

*\*Tickets available from Board of directors*

**Adults 12+ \$15.00      Children 5-11 \$7.50**  
**Children 4 & Under FREE**



**Easter Buffet - Sunday April 9th**  
**Serving Buffet from 11:00am-2:00pm**

- Broasted Chicken
  - Roast Beef
  - Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
  - Green Bean Casserole
  - Dinner Rolls
  - Coleslaw
  - Pasta Salad
  - Dessert by Lisa's Sweet Treats
- Adults \$18.95

Children 10 years and under \$12.95

\*Beverages not included in buffet price

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Lunch menu available from 2:00pm-9:00pm



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# **St. Paul Lutheran Church**

303 N Cass Ave, Springfield

## **GERMAN SUPPER**



**Wednesday, April 26, 2023**

from 4:30 – 6:00 or Sold Out

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Advance Tickets \$12 per meal

At the Door Tickets \$13 per meal

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APRIL 1-15



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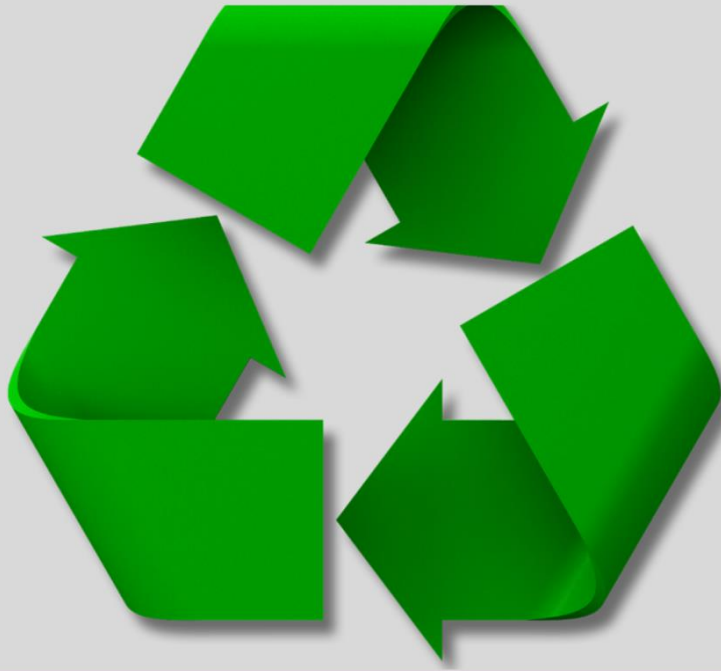
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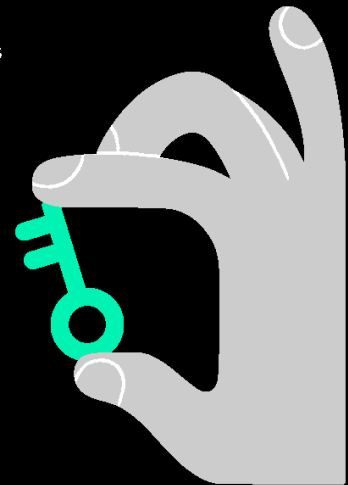
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# Celebration of Faith

Burger/Hotdog Meal

Wednesday, April 19, 2023

5:00-7:00 p.m.

St. Raphael School Gymnasium

Menu: Burgers, hotdogs, chips, cookie & drink

\$6.00 per meal

Dine in or take out

Following the meal join us in St. Raphael Catholic Church for the Children's Choir and Praise & Worship Choir Concert at 7:00 pm led by Lori Kretsch and accompanied by Nick Dauer & Kathleen Goedtke

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## MEN'S DINNER

**Sunday, April 16, 2023**

**9:30am-12:30pm**

Sausage, Homemade Sauerkraut,  
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Meal Price            \$ 12.00



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SPRINGFIELD AREA COMMUNITY  
**EASTER EGG HUNT**

Located at St. John's Circle of Care  
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**Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup>**

*Bring your baskets, event starts at*

**10:00 am, ages 0 to 2**

**10:10 am, ages 3 to 5**

**10:20 am, ages 6 to 12**

**SPECIAL GUEST:**  
**The Easter Bunny**

*Event is held outside,  
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