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Chamber of Commerce

**North Scott
Area Chamber
Of Commerce**

October 2008

CHAMBER CHAT



**North Scott
Business Fair**

**FREE
ADMISSION**

**DOOR
PRIZES**

**Thursday, October 9, 2008
4—7 p.m.**

**Eldridge Community Center
400 S. 16th Avenue—Eldridge**

Sponsored by:



ecotrustenergy.com/Barb



New Members

Mark's Place of Photography 218 N. 2nd St Eldridge, IA 285-4991

In 1995 Mark's Place of Photography was opened in downtown Eldridge as a full-service photography studio offering a variety of photography services, along with custom framing, restoration, design & printing services. Mark has been a long-time member of the Professional Photographers of America and the Professional Photographers of Iowa. He has been recognized by both groups for being a leader in the industry through many state and national awards. Mark's Place continually strives to offer the most creative services and highest quality products in photography today.

For more information, contact Mark at 285-4991, or visit their website at :

www.marksplacephoto.com.



Down By the Creek

Debbie Wallace has started a companion animal and rescue business in the North Scott area. Established in 2006, she offers a service where companion animals in need of homes are used to teach humane education, science education, offer therapy and fun.

Debbie will go into schools and nursing homes to provide this service, but she is expanding her business to include other venues, such as children's parties, churches and community groups. She believes that such a service can help bring healing to all in a stressed out world, as well as a smile.

While therapy dogs as companion animals are a fundamental staple of her business, she also hopes to create an awareness of threatened species. Debbie provides "hands-on" education with exotic animals, aptly titled "Fur, Feathers, and Scales".

Down By the Creek's business hours are by appointment. Call **340-6943** for more information.

Eldridge Barber Shop 211 W. Franklin St. Eldridge, IA Hours: M-F (8AM—6PM) Sat. (8AM—2PM)

We're pleased to also welcome Terry Keith and Eldridge Barber Shop to the North Scott Chamber. Terry opened her newly remodeled shop in September, 2007 on Franklin St, offering haircuts and services for the entire family. There are 3 chairs to serve her clients, and appointments & walk-ins are welcome.

Terry has over 20 years experience in the business and is a lifelong resident of Eldridge, Eldridge Barber Shop is the home of the "\$10 Haircut", a bargain for any customer. The shop also has a playroom available for children while parents are being served, equipped with a big screen TV and X-Box. Complimentary refreshments are also provided. Stop by and see Terry and Michelle.



Member News

Sorry we missed listing the following businesses as Golf Hole Sponsors in our September newsletter::

Beert-McCoy Insurance
Overtime Bar & Grille
US Bank
Eller Construction

We thank these and all the sponsors who contributed to this annual Chamber event!

First Dollar....

A Chamber First Dollar was presented to GT Sports new owners Chris Konrady and Laura Konrady. Making the presentation are Chamber Ambassadors: Lynnette Olson, Sue Anderson, and Lynelle Anderson.



Correction

The phone number for LMI (Lighting Maintenance, Inc.) should be 322-2023 in the 2008 Business Directory.

U.S. Department of Labor new "elaws" tool

The U.S. Department of Labor new FirstStep Recordkeeping, Reporting and Notices Advisor, <http://www.dol.gov/elaws/FirstStepRRN.htm>, helps employers determine which of the department's recordkeeping, reporting, and notice requirements (including posters) apply to them.

Upcoming Events.....

Scarecrow Row

Kuhl's Under the Sun
1850 South 1st St. Eldridge, IA 52748
Friday, Oct. 10th 9 am—6 pm
Sat., Oct 11th 9 am—4 pm
Sunday, Oct 12th 10 am—4 pm

Antiques, one of a kind gifts, handcrafted gifts, Tabor Home wines, pumpkins, gourds, corn shocks, baked goods, food tent and more!

Come spend the day with us. You'll be glad you did!

FREE PARKING

FOOD TENT
285-4214

Friends of Scott Co. Library Fall Book Sales

Thursday, Oct 9, Preview for Friends Members 4—8 pm

Friday, Oct 10, 8 am—4:30 pm
Saturday, Oct 11, 9:00 am—4:30 pm
Sunday, Oct. 12, 12:30-4:30pm
Week of October 13—17
Shop during regular library hours

Left over Sale—on Saturday, Oct 18
FILL-A-BAG FOR A BUCK

North Scott Craft Show

Art and Craft show featuring local artisans
North Scott High School
Commons and Cafeteria
200 S. 1st St., Eldridge, IA

Oct 25-26

9:00 am - 5:00 pm Sat
10:00 am - 4:00 pm Sun

Come and visit this unique and beautiful gift shop with homespun pottery, baskets, florals, artwork, furniture, and many more one-of-a-kind items.

Cash or Checks only
All admission proceeds go toward scholarships for seniors at North Scott High School

Eldridge-North Scott Chamber of Commerce
220 West Davenport Street
Eldridge, IA 52748

Address Service Requested



BUSINESS FAIR
October 9
4-7 pm
Eldridge Community Center

Chamber Holiday Mixer
December 18
Lancers Grille

Sponsors need:

We are looking for a few companies that would like to sponsor our "Hors d'oeuvres and Drinks" for the evening.

This is a great networking opportunity that is well attended.

Please contact the Chamber at 285-9965.

Moonlight Chase Grants totaling \$8,000 will be awarded that night

November
Learning at Lunch

When: Thursday, November 20, 2008
11:30 am—1:00 pm

Where: First Amendment Room
Scott Country Library, Eldridge

Topic: Advertising on a Shoestring
Budget

Speaker: Charlie Honold from OhFrenzy
Advertising

Cost: \$10.00 per person, includes
lunch

RSVP: (563) 285-9965 or
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