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# Carroll County Connection

## MAY 2010

### Calendar of Events:

- SATURDAY MAY 8TH, CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS 2010!**  
 Downtown Delphi on Washington Street, the Courthouse rotunda, The Opera House Gallery, The Artisan's Gallery and the Delphi Community High School. Free trolley rides 9:00 am-4:00 pm
- SATURDAY, MAY 8TH 13th Annual Kiwanis Auction**  
 2:00 pm, rain or shine at the Burlington Community Center
- WEDNESDAY, MAY 12th—Business Plan Workshop & Luncheon** at Wabash & Erie Canal Center, Delphi. 11:00-1:00, Small Business Development Center, \$15 per person. RSVP to the Chamber office by Monday 10th.
- FRIDAY, JULY 23RD**  
 2nd Annual "Evening of Elegance" at the Canal Center
- WEDNESDAY, SEPT 15th**, Chamber Golf Outing, Angel Hill

"We keep moving forward. Opening new doors, and doing new things, because we're curious and curiosity leads us down new paths."  
 ~Walt Disney

## Mission Statement

*The mission of the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce is to expand and unite the commercial, industrial, civic, agricultural and natural resources of Carroll County, Indiana and all the communities therein.*

### Thank you to following New Chamber Members:

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## Carroll County Chamber of Commerce

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## Note from the Director

What an amazing month! The Chamber of Commerce is still reeling from our largest Women's Celebration Luncheon to date. We had approximately 130 women in attendance. There was a fashion show hosted by Grapevine Boutique located in Flora, and hairstyles and makeup by Sassy's in Delphi. Dr. Cherie Goble from the Camden Health Clinic explained to us how the body responds to stress, and that women are very susceptible to stress related problems. She also shared some really nice images for us to keep in mind to help us feel better during the day. The meal was catered by Porcupine Truffle, and the Canal Center made us all feel at home. Get ready for next year as we plan some extra special surprises.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the sponsors of this event: Duke Energy, NIPSCO, Lafayette Bank & Trust, Salin Bank, and Security Federal. We are fortunate to have supporters who believe in the work of the Carroll County Chamber and who support and encourage the efforts of all women.

The Cinco-de-Mayo Celebration was the hit of the spring. Focus on the Future and the Diversity Taskforce hosted its' first celebration of the Mexican defeat of French troops at the Battle of Pueblo in 1862. This is a historical event for Carroll County and if you missed it this year then be prepared to attend next year. Wear bigger clothing so that you can eat at all of the vendors...everything was wonderful.

The Economic Development

Corporation and the Chamber of Commerce are partnering to present a workshop facilitated by The Small Business Development Corporation. On May 12<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. Ms. Susan Davis will present this workshop on How to Write a Business Plan. This workshop is for any one who has a business, or interested in starting a business. Come out and join us at the Canal Center from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and learn more about the importance of writing and revisiting your business plans. The cost is \$15 per person with lunch provided. Make your reservation as soon as possible with a deadline date of Monday, May 10<sup>th</sup> at noon. Please bring a friend.

Your Carroll County Chamber will be offering several training opportunities throughout the year so please return your membership applications as soon as possible.

Thank you for your continued support of the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce.

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Daryl Smith, the Executive Director of the Carroll County EDC has decided to retire. His last day will be Friday, May 28th. Daryl has made great strides for our county and all of his hard work and dedication will be missed. We wish Daryl the best of luck and congratulate him on his upcoming retirement! You will be missed.

## Search for the Grain of Truth in Others Opinions

If you enjoy learning as well as making other people happy, you'll love this idea.

Almost everyone feels that their own opinions are good ones, otherwise they wouldn't be sharing them with you. One of the destructive things that many of us do, however, is compare someone else's opinion to our own. And, when it doesn't fall in line with our belief, we either dismiss it or find fault with it. We feel smug, the other person feels diminished, and we learn nothing.

Almost every opinion has some merit, especially if we are looking for merit, rather than looking for errors. The next time someone offers you an opinion, rather than judge or criticize it, see if you can find a grain of truth in what the person is saying.

If you think about it, when you judge someone else or their opinion, it really doesn't say anything about the other person, but it says quite a bit about your need to be judgmental.

I still catch myself criticizing other points of view, but far less than I used to. All that changed was my intention to find the grain of truth in other positions. If you practice this simple strategy, some wonderful things will begin to happen: You'll begin to understand those you interact with, others will be drawn to your accepting and loving energy, your learning curve will be enhanced, and, perhaps most important, you'll feel much better about yourself.

Richard Carlson, "Don't Sweat The Small Stuff...and it's all small stuff"

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