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From the Chamber Office

We have busy assisting with the color cruise island festival. Fielding lots of calls and helping with the volunteer list.

Our winter coat drive has started, the pile of winter coats, and apparel is building up. If you have anything that you can donate please drop it by the chamber office. All items will be taken to the Grand Ledge Food Bank for those in need.

The fall Food Drive for the Grand Ledge Food Bank will be held on Oct. 15th Saturday. It will be held at Family Fare from 9:00-4:00. We need two workers for the 9:00-11:30 shift and two workers for the 1:30-4:00 if you can help please call Susan Sasse 290-3933.

Christmas Parade: We are all ready getting applications for the Christmas parade. If you plan on having a float or entry in the parade you must submit a application. The parade is Dec. 2nd (Friday night). You can go to the chamber web site www.grandledgechamber.com and get the application and waiver. Or call the chamber office we can send or fax one to you.

We have had several ribbon cuttings recently. It's so nice to see new businesses open their doors here in our community. We have included pictures of those ribbon cuttings. Stop by and welcome them.



Annual Grand Ledge Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing 2011



A **BIG** thank you to those who donated to the Chamber Golf Outing

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RIBBON CUTTING



PAXTON COUNTERTOPS & SHOWERS



Chamber of Commerce hosts a ribbon cutting for Paxton Countertops and Showers. Paxton's have made their new home right downtown Grand Ledge, at 319 S. Bridge St. Phone (517)627-3688. Their store hours are Monday-Friday 9:-7:00 and Saturday from 10-5. They specialize in countertops, showers, sinks, fireplace surrounds and tub surrounds. Pictured are some of the owners Stephen Paxton, David Paxton, Mathew Purves, Emily Heaton, Joe Croley, Jeff Holland, Rachel Paxton Schroeder and RJ Siegrist, along with chamber members Karla Chamberlain, Eric Dean, Ethan Childs, Susan Sasse and Mayor Smith. Please take a moment to stop by and see their wonderful display of countertop products and more.

VALVOLINE INSTANT OIL CHANGE



Grand Ledge Chamber of Commerce hosts a ribbon cutting for Valvoline Instant Oil Change. They opened their doors at 930 E. Saginaw Highway to serve your comprehensive preventive maintenance needs. For more than 25 years, drivers have trusted Valvoline Instant Oil Change to keep their vehicles running at peak performance. Valvoline Instant Oil Change uses only Valvoline motor oils, No appointment needed, Certified team of professionals will do the job in 15 minutes. Stop by and welcome this new business to our community.

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What's Happening in Grand Ledge?

Grand Ledge Opera House

October 30: Lansing Theater Organ Concert –
Silent Movie: “Nosferatu” (1922) Scott Smith-accompanist

November 5: Singers on the Grand Concert 7:30pm
“Mostly Movies”

November 6: Singers on the Grand Concert 7:30pm
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November 16: Grand Ledge Community Band Fall
Concert

December 15,16: 22nd Annual Holiday Wishes
Concert 7:00pm

Ledge's Playhouse Restoration

It looks like we have a theater company for next summer's season. Joe Dixon, president of Over the Ledges Theater Company has signed a lease.

They intend to produce three comedies and two musicals, plus host local and area bands and other groups for one night programs on the dates there are no theater performances.

The restoration goal this year is to restore and reupholster 50 theater seats. They would be removed this fall, restored this winter and be returned by April 1.

We have the funding for 43 seats and still need 7 seats to be sponsored at \$230,.00 per seat. Please consider sponsoring a seat for your business or group, in honor of or in memory of someone so we can proceed this fall. There will be an appropriate plaque on the seat.

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