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VIRDEN COMMUNITY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

LUNCHEON

The Virden Community Chamber of Commerce is currently organizing their second luncheon of the year.

Tundra Oil and Gas will be the sponsor of this event with a guest appearance from STAR. STAR is a charitable organization that helicopter provides air services ambulance for those critically ill and injured.

Come out and learn more about this service and what they can offer your business and community at this upcoming luncheon. It will take place on May 9th from

noon until approximately 1pm at the Virden Legion Clubroom. Tickets will be available next week at Virden School and Office or through the Virden Community Chamber of Commerce.

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 2 – Chamber Board of Directors meeting

April 8 – Age Friendly meeting

April 15 – Canada Day Committee meeting

April 23/24 – Brandon Chamber Event

MEMBERSHIPS

Membership packages were sent out to numerous businesses in the Virden area. It included information about the Chamber, achievements, goals and benefits and incentives of becoming a member. Year after year we hope to increase the number of members and hopefully offer more "perks" to these individuals that choose to join our group. We offer businesses links to our website, which has now also been linked to the Town of Virden's site. Our focus this year is the growth of the Tourist Information Center which is located at the CP Station. Here, a list of our current members, their business addresses and contact number are available for visitors to view and utilize if needed. For more information of what the Virden Chamber of Commerce can do for you please visit our website at www.virdenchamber.ca or contact our office. You can also find a membership form and the required fees to join this active group and become part of our team.

CHAMBER AGM

Virden Community Chamber of Commerce would like to invite you to participate in our Annual General Meeting. Once again we will be hosting it in conjunction with one of our informational luncheon. It will take place on May 9th between noon and 1pm at the Virden Legion Clubroom. The Chamber is once again looking for individuals who would be interested in becoming a part of our active Board of Directors. We have roughly one meeting a month and do much of our correspondence through email. The Virden Community Chamber of Commerce hosts and participates in many events that take place within Virden and are always looking for new ideas. If you are interested in becoming a director and are unable to attend the meeting feel free to contact our chamber manager or go to our website at www.virdenchamber.ca (The Chamber, Board of Directors and scroll to the bottom of the page). Hope to see you all there!

NOTICE

We encourage all business owners to remind their employees to utilize designated staff parking areas and not park their vehicles directly in front of businesses. Thank You!