

Bremen Chamber of Commerce

Meeting Minutes – March 6, 2020

14 attendees

April member spotlight: Yoders Hardware

April Community Spotlight: BPL Holocaust survivor

May member spotlight: ACE Hardware

May community spotlight: Bremen Food Pantry

March 20th is Bremen Basketball benefit to help support local families in need.

2020 Chamber decals have been mailed. If you have paid your membership dues & have yet to receive your decal, please contact the Bremen chamber.

Please continue to send your business events to chamber email so we can list it on the website community calendar. please DO NOT wait until the last minute or your event WILL NOT be posted.

Marshall county is offering free paper shredding April 4th 8am–noon at Marshall County Solid Waste Management at 1900 Walter Glaub Drive in Plymouth.

H&R block would like to sponsor a Spring Egg contest where the kids can find "The Lucky Golden Egg" & win prizes. If your business would like to participate March 30th to April 11th along with a \$10 donation, please contact Rhonda Cassel or Lisa Sott at 574-546-2440 for further details.

Downtown Bremen will start revamping the day after the Fireman's parade. This means downtown streets will be down for rear access to local businesses for a few days. Also, the bridge going out of town by the VFW will be closed as well for new decking. All work should be completed by September.

The new Elkhart Aquatic Center will be sponsoring the Illinois State swimming championship

Amish Acres has been old & will now be called "The Barn".

Southwire is doing a 46 million dollar expansion this year in Bremen. This means more jobs for the local community!!

April 8th at the Town Hall is holding a meeting with a special Service Dog event. Also, the Military Working Dog Team Support Assoc are sending out care packages for deployed dog teams.

Oktoberfest will be held at Sunnyside Park this year on the 25th & 26th due to the downtown construction. All vendors will be inside. The two bands featured at the Oktoberfest is 1985 & Autumn Leads band, The cost for each vendor is \$75 & the event will be held Friday 4–9 & Saturday 10–9.