

PACIFIC AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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Pacific Area Chamber of Commerce's Business of the Month **Ed's Service Center**

In 1978, Ed's Service Center opened its doors at the corner of E. Union St and N Columbus St. Original owner, Ed Bowers, sold the business to his son and daughter-in-law, Mike and Beth Bowers, in 1998. The Bowers continue to provide exceptional auto repair and service, as well as safety and emissions testing. "We do just about everything, but tires." Mike Bowers says. Mike also says the key to the business's 36 years of success is honesty.

Ed's employs four full time employees and is open Monday – Friday 8am-5pm.

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123 E Union St.
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Upcoming Chamber and Community Events...

Every Saturday thru Sept 20th – Pacific Farmers Market, Pacific Station Plaza, 8am-12pm

August 8th – Sunset on the Rails Concert, Pacific Station Plaza, 7pm <http://www.pacific-partnership.org/>

August 16th -- Tough Enough to JUMP! - Fall 2014, Purina Farms, 9am-5pm Email toughenuff4b@hotmail.com for more information

September 20th – Railroad Days, Pacific Station Plaza, 9am-8pm <http://www.pacific-partnership.org/>

September 25th – General Membership Meeting, Pacific Area Chamber of Commerce, Eagles, 12pm
www.pacificchamber.com

KNOW YOUR BOARD

Kim Barfield is a public servant, but she's also one of your directors for the Pacific Area Chamber of Commerce. This PHS graduate attended East Central College then began her career with the City of Pacific in the Municipal Court, Collectors Office, and Public Works.



Kim moved to mortgage banking for a short time before returning to the City of Pacific in 2000. She is currently serving as the City Clerk, earning the designation of Missouri Registered City Clerk and Certified Municipal Clerk. Kim is a member of the Missouri City Clerk and Finance Officer's Association, serving as the VP of the Eastern Division. She also serves on the Retirement Committee and the Scholarship Committee. She is also a member of the International Institute of Municipal Clerks.

As a director for our Chamber Kim chairs the Membership Committee and is on the Piano's for a Purpose Committee.

Coming up at the City of Pacific

Aug 4th – Park Board 6pm
Aug 5th – Board of Alderman 7pm
Aug 7th – Municipal Court 7pm

Mission Statement:

The Pacific Area Chamber of Commerce is a partnership with businesses, government and the community whose mission is to:

- Promote the community
- Be a voice for business
- Encourage economic growth of new and existing businesses

Sales/Deals Around Town

<http://www.taztmore.com/>
<http://www.mcdapp.com>

For Sale/Rent...

<http://www.6909eaglecrestdr.coldwellbankerpremier.com/>

<http://www.forrent.com/apartment-community-profile/1000057494.php%09>

Quote of the week...

The ultimate victory in competition is derived from the inner satisfaction of knowing that you have done your best and that you have gotten the most out of what you had to give.

Howard Cose

SHOP LOCAL!!!

MERAMEC VALLEY GIFT CERTIFICATES

- **GOOD LOCATIONS LISTED ON THE BACK OF THE GIFT CERTIFICATE**
- **SPEND JUST LIKE CASH!!!**
- **COME IN INCREMENTS OF \$5, \$10, & \$25**
- **BUSINESSES ARE REFUNDED DOLLAR FOR DOLLAR**

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PURCHASE YOUR MVGC TODAY!**



Local News Sources...

<http://www.emissourian.com/>
<http://www.currentnewsmagazine.com>

They Do What!?!

We drive or walk past the same stores, offices, and factories everyday. Have you ever wondered what was in them? What do they make? What do they do? I plan on finding out!!

This has been the most fascinating part of my new position here so far! I was born and raised in this town, and I'm finding out so much more about the place I live and work. Pacific is a great town with a lot of variety in our businesses. Each week I'm going to be randomly "spotlighting" a new chamber member.

As I visit the members and learn more about them I'll be tossing that company's name into the "hat". If I draw your company's name I will then be contacting you for a brief bio to add along side my own personal account of my visit with you. Thanks for opening your doors and sharing your knowledge with me.

This week's spotlight is on... **NettieSuze Home Decor**

Location: 113 W. St. Louis Street, Pacific, MO 63069

Contact Info: 636-257-3303

Website: <http://www.nettiesuzehomedecor.com/>

Facts: NettieSuze was opened in April 2012 by sisters-in-law, Annette Grimm and Susan Jones. They sell upcycled furniture, Chalk Paint® and Annie Sloan waxes, brushes, fabrics and the newly released home fragrance line (candles and diffusers). They also carry Zum Goat's Milk Soap, Beatriz Ball Metalware, and lots of home accessories to fill all the nooks and crannies of your home. Custom furniture painting and workshops are also offered out of their downtown Pacific location.

Tiffany's Account: Unique and Local!!

Each time I've entered the doors of NettieSuze Home Décor I've been greeted with a big smile and helpful hands. Annette and Susan, the owners of NettieSuze, are the women we go to when we need to find something perfect for our home. The talented ladies carry quality and very unique decorations and furniture, painted and decorated by them personally. NettieSuze is one of only nine shops in the state to stock Annie Sloan Chalk Paint®, waxes, brushes, fabrics, and more.

If you haven't visited their shop...I challenge you to! They carry things you didn't even know you needed and if you're a do-it-yourself kind of person they can help you select the right tools for your next home decorating project.

Remember NettieSuze the next time you're looking for a thoughtful, one-of-a-kind gift. It's definitely the place to shop!