

PACIFIC AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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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

Quote of the week...

“I’ve been very lucky, from the beginning. I’ve found that as long as you’re fundamentally good – as long as you’re not being bad to people – people give you a lot of room to be yourself, because being yourself is being honest. And that’s what people want to see.”

Andrew Mason, CEO of Groupon

Upcoming Chamber and Community Events...

July 10th-13th — Franklin County Fair, Union, MO www.franklincountymofair.com

July 16th – ALIVE drawing for Cardinals tickets, visit <http://www.alivestl.org/> now to find out how to purchase your raffle tickets

July 26th – Blue Grass Benefit Bash, City of Pacific, Pacific Station Plaza, 2pm-10pm

July 26th – Piano Jam, United Way, Immaculate Conception Parish Center, 7pm-11pm
<http://spankyentertainment.com/schedule/piano-jam-0>

July 28th – 18th Annual St. Bridget Golf Tournament, Birch Creek Golf Club, Contact Kenny Payne 314-276-0811

July 31st – Alive night at Orange Leaf, Orange Leaf Frozen Yogurt, Phoenix Center Drive, Washington, MO 4pm-9pm

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

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

Let me introduce Lisa Meier! Lisa was born in Pacific to Bill Meier and Belinda Devine (Stueve). She attended St. Bridget's, and then graduated from Eureka High School. Lisa earned her BS degree in Business Administration from Maryville University.



Lisa is a busy professional, but also a wife, mother, and health and fitness expert. She is Sales Manager of The Meier Shoe Company, Inc. (Red Wings Shoes) here in Pacific. She is also the Business Manager of Aussie Pet Mobile of Greater St. Louis and a Plexus Worldwide Independent Ambassador.

This was Lisa's second year as a Director for the Pacific Area Chamber of Commerce. She is very active and currently sits on both the Rodeo Committee and the Scholarship Committee.

Coming up at the City of Pacific

July 15th – Board of Alderman 7:00pm
July 17th – Municipal Court 7:00pm

Please email me your links if you want your ads or websites added to the newsletter.

Sales/Deals Around Town

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

Website Updates!!

The Chamber website, www.pacificchamber.com, is going to be updated frequently, so keep visiting for all the up-to-date news with the Chamber.

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For Sale/Rent...

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

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

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... **BRISTOL MANOR!**

Location: 2049 Rose Lane, Pacific, MO 63069 (Corner of Lamar Pkwy and Rose Ln)

Contact Info: Greg Burton, 636-257-8020

Web Address: <http://www.bristol-manor.com/index.cfm>

Their Mission Statement:

Bristol Care, Inc., through the operation of Bristol Manor, is committed to providing an alternative source for the long-term care of senior adults in small, rural communities.

We commit to meet or exceed all guidelines established by the Missouri Department of Social Service, Division of Aging.

We commit to tirelessly protect the right of each resident to remain as independent as possible, while assisting them with their basic needs.

We commit to maintain a safe and secure atmosphere allowing each resident to enjoy dignity and respect in their daily lives.

Facts: Bristol Manor has been providing Residential Care since 1990. It is not a Nursing Home. Instead, it is a facility which offers personal care services such as meal preparation, housekeeping, laundry services, and medication distribution, activities and staffed 24 hours a day. According to the definition provided by the Health and Senior Services, anyone who can mentally and physically negotiate a path to safety in the event of an emergency is eligible for a Residential Care setting. Many residents choose a Residential Care setting for recovery from an illness or for the cold months of the year. Generally a month to month arrangement is acceptable. Bristol Manor can accept up to 12 residents at a time.

Tiffany's Account: It was like walking into a home, not a business.

I'm very happy to report that Bristol Manor was nicely decorated, clean, and very welcoming! From the comfortable looking family room to the cozy kitchen table, Bristol Manor reminded me of walking into someone's home. The manager, Greg Burton, took the time to talk to me about the company and what they specialize in. I think its fantastic Pacific has somewhere our seniors can live independently, but yet aided by professionals. I can only imagine the peace of mind that must give to the residents loved ones when they can't be there to help take care of them.

I was informed that they have long term and short term residencies at Bristol Manor. If you know of anyone who needs extra care recovering from an illness, or someone who may need a helping hand long term please call Bristol Manor today!