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Reminder

No Monthly Luncheon in July!
See you in August.

Monthly Luncheon

August 17th, 2023

Doors Open 11:30am Program
Begins: 12:00pm

Location: Orchard Hills
605 39th St
Washougal, WA

\$30 members / \$40 guests.

C-W Chamber Looking For Volunteers For The 47th Annual Camas Days

It's that time again! The Camas-Washougal Chamber of Commerce is gearing up for the 47th Annual Camas Days July 21st and 22nd in Downtown Camas

It's going to be a great event this year with some old favorites and new additions.

This year Camas Days will have more vendors than ever before! There are 15 food vendors scheduled for the event. This year Killer Burger has signed on as a new vendor.

The C-W Chamber is currently looking for volunteers to help with The Beer and Wine Garden, Kids Street and The Grand Parade. If you are interested in volunteering, please email info@cwchamber.com.

If you are interested in advertising at The Beer and Wine Garden, there is still room available. Hang your companies banner for \$500. Please email info@cwchamber.com for more information.

We can't wait to see everyone at the 47th annual Camas Days.



Friday & Saturday, July 21-22

- Children's Parade Friday at 12:15pm
- Grand Parade Saturday at 11am
- Beer & Wine Garden Friday & Saturday 5-11pm
- with Live Music by The Sonny Hess Band 5-7pm
- and The Caddies 7-10:30pm
- Street Festival with Artisans & Vendors 10am-8pm
- Family Fun with Kids' Street 11am-8pm
- Steak Feed at Grove Field Airport Saturday at 5pm

Visit CWChamber.com to download full schedule of events.
For more information, contact Camas Washougal Chamber at 360-834-2472
Thank you to our community partners: City of Camas & Camas Public Works Department

"A Fairytale"
Celebrating 100 years of the Camas Library

The 2023 Camas Days Full Schedule of Events

Camas Days: "A Fairytale" Celebrating 100 years of the Camas Library

FULL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, July 20th

12:00 pm - 12:30 pm **CONCERT** at the Park in Cross Park

FRIDAY, July 21st

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **VENDOR BOOTHS OPEN** (in City Center, downtown Camas. Includes gifts, food and more)

1:00 pm - 8:00 pm **FOOD BOOTHS** (in City Center, downtown Camas. Includes gifts, food and more)

11:00 am - 12:00 pm **BEER & WINE GARDEN** (in City Center, downtown Camas. Includes gifts, food and more)

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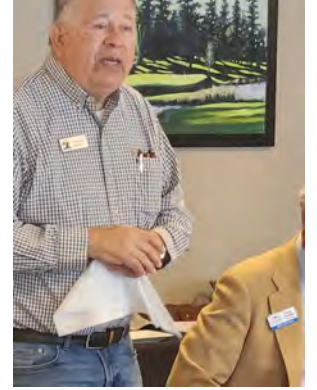


Thank You To Our Host





Thank You





MID-WEEK MIXER July 12

Networking Event:

Join the C-W Chamber for our mid-week mixer. Every second Wednesday of the month a different C-W Chamber Member will host a networking event from 4pm-6pm.

Thank you to this month's Mid-Week Mixer Host:



Business to
Business Networking

Refreshments
Provided By
Lily

Every Second
Wednesday

4pm-6pm



Camas First Friday

Art, Activities, Dining, and After Hours Shopping

July's theme will be the 17th annual:

"CAMAS POKER TOUR and Game Night!" with an Alice in Wonderland Theme!

First Friday, July 7th 5-8 pm

- ◆ Collect "playing cards" from participating merchants and see what kind of hand you've been dealt! Prizes to 5 highest hands!
- ◆ Play the "Down the Rabbit Hole" Trivia Game to win prizes!
- ◆ Ribbon Cutting for the new Historic Building Panels & History Tour! 6pm
- ◆ Alice in Wonderland themed games, crafts and photo ops!
- ◆ Dress in Alice in Wonderland inspired attire & enter to win!
- ◆ Art Gallery Shows and Receptions
- ◆ Shop, dine, enjoy art & music, more!

Start the night at DCA tables at Journey, 4th & Birch
Sponsored by Camas Antiques and
hosted by the DCA & downtown merchants!
www.downtowncamas.com

Camas Gallery:

Featured Artist:
Randy Cole.
Beer and wine
served from
5pm-8pm

Attic Gallery:

Featured Artist:
Resale Exhibit
Featuring works
from Estates and
Private Collectors
Chocolate and
wine served from
5pm-8pm

Second Story Gallery:

Artwork from
students at all 3
Camas High
School's, Hayes,
Discovery and CHS

CAMAS FARMER'S MARKET

Welcome to the market!

Your weekly invitation to fresh

Every Wednesday 3-7pm May 31 to September 27

Join us in Downtown Camas on 4th Ave
Between Everett and Franklin

COMMUNITY
LOCAL PRODUCE
ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS

MULTICULTURAL CUISINE
LIVE MUSIC
TREATS

Camasfarmersmarket.org
info@camasfarmersmarket.org
360-838-1032

4th of July Concert AND FIREWORKS!

Live Music at 6:00pm & Fireworks at 10:00pm!

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| OPENER: Shades of Huey 6:00-7:30pm | HEADLINER: 5 Guys Named Moe 8:30-10:00pm |
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Let's celebrate Together!
Marina Park
LIONS BEER GARDEN & FOOD VENDORS

Presented by - -
In partnership with - City of Washougal

Book Donations Needed

AT THE CAMAS PUBLIC LIBRARY
FOR THE JULY USED BOOK SALE

The C-W Chamber is looking for volunteers for the 4th of July at the Port from 3pm to 11pm, contact info@cwchamber.com.



[CLICK HERE For Showtimes](#)

The Camas Washougal Pickleball Club will be sponsoring
The Camas-Washougal Community Chest
in a special Pickleball event Fundraiser featuring
very popular "8-Minute Scramble"

CAMAS-WASHOUGAL COMMUNITY CHEST
The Camas-Washougal Community Chest collects donations from individuals and businesses and distributes them to nonprofits providing services in our community.

Saturday, July 29th, 2023 • 8am
Wolfe Courts at Hathaway Park • 732 25th Street Washougal, WA 98671
This address is on the west side of the courts in the park. Additional parking is at 25th & I Street
There is a suggested minimum \$20.00 donation. Proceeds will go directly to the CAMAS / WASHOUGAL Community Chest. Checks, cash or CC accepted

8-MINUTE Scramble
Players will draw a new partner for each 8-minute round.
Highest individual total points earned from 5 rounds of play will determine the winner.

COME JOIN THE FUN AT THIS LOCAL FUNDRAISER
We'll provide the food, the fun, and even a few prizes.
Show up by... 8:00 am for Breakfast Burritos
check in by 8:45am to play. Start time is 9am
Bring a chair and your water bottle. We will be supplying extra water.

IF YOU PLAN ON ATTENDING PLEASE RSVP TO: lynda.boesel@gmail.com or
use playtimescheduler.com (Look for the special event header
"FUNDRAISER" on July 29th, 2023)

You do not need to be a member of CWPC to participate, but we want to invite all non-members to join our club. Memberships are \$25/yr, \$60/3 yr, or \$150/lifetime member.
You may sign up at: www.combinetierpickleballclubs.org
To join the Camas / Washougal chapter look for the pull down menu for chapters

downtown camas
Summer Nights sips & bites

A TROPICAL THEMED EVENING OF
FRUITY COCKTAIL SIPS, TANTALIZING BITES,
FUN LIVE MUSIC & SIZZLING
SUMMER SHOPPING SPECIALS!

THURSDAY AUGUST 17th
21+ / 4PM-9PM / TROPICAL DRESS!
TICKETS \$25

A FUNDRAISER FOR THE DOWNTOWN CAMAS ASSOCIATION

FEATURING LIVE STEEL DRUM
BY TERRY BABER

[DOWNTOWNCAMAS.COM/EVENT/SUMMER-NIGHTS-SIPS-BITES](https://www.downtowncamas.com/event/summer-nights-sips-bites)

A BEER AT A TIME PRESENTS
TACO FEST
CAMAS WA 2023

LIVE MUSIC ALL DAY **AUGUST 12TH**
RPM
THE SOUTHERN SONS
ACDC PDX
TACOS IN HELL

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK AND
INSTAGRAM TO STAY UP TO DATE ON
ALL THE EVENT DETAILS!!
MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON

SAVE THE DATE

IN A BEER AT A TIME'S PARKING LOT
216 NE 3RD AVE. CAMAS WA 98607

Fern Prairie ART FEST

Sat. & Sun., July 29-30
10am-4pm at Shangri-La Farm / Free public event!
Park at Grove Field Airport; Take free shuttle to the farm.
13 Artist Booths; Diamond Dogs & CW Chamber Beer & Wine Garden

FINE ART TWO DAY ART FEST

Park at rented Grove Field Airport parking lot,
632 NE 267th Avenue, Camas, WA 98607
Walk the quarter mile trail through the woods to Shangri-La Farm
or take the free Sunflower Mobile shuttle service to the farm!
Come see original art in the peaceful and tranquil setting
of Shangri-La Farm, just 1.5 miles north of Lacamas Lake.

13 Artists: Sarah Bang / Bev Birdwell / Matt Clarkson / Cheryl Folkers
Dave Garbot / David Gerton / Charlene Hale / Amy Jan Ernst
Cheryl Mathieson / Liz Pike / Keith Russell / Hiroko Stumpf / Roxanne Turley

Oils / Acrylics / Coasters / Watercolor / Pastels / Mixed Media / Pottery / Fused Glass / Pen & Ink

PRESENTING SPONSORS:
Pike art GALLERY, Sip & PAINT for FUN!, ART FARM, Shangri-La Farm, Camas Washougal CHAMBER

ARKTANA NEWS RELEASE

Arkana opens third store in Ridgefield on July 6th; grand opening set for July 12th

Ridgefield, WA – Building on the monumental success of its stores in downtown Camas and Felida, Arkana Women's Boutique will open its third location in Pioneer Village on July 6th.

"My main goal is to serve our community," said Ann Mathews, Arkana's owner and proprietor. "Clark County is large. We draw customers from all over, so we had a lot of requests from our Ridgefield shoppers to open a location here, and we're very excited."

Arkana opened in 2014 in the heart of Camas' business district. Focusing on the "coastal" side of fashion, White Mathews has held fast to that mission, she has diversified the stores' offerings as well, adding clothing, accessories and gifts to her product lineup. Arkana carries many well-known shoe brands such as Dolce Vita, Seychelles, Soft, Piketown and Mia More; handbags from Hammet, HEDSTU and Latice, and clothing from Elton Fisher, Sincerely, Tribal, AG, Spans, Pure Anais, Rishi and so much more in each category.

Mathews offers styles from all over the world. "Arkana features items from The USA, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Israel and Brazil - she is passionate about shopping local and keeping an "organic, neighborhood feel" in all of her stores. For the past, Arkana participates in many fundraisers, fashion shows, pop-up shopping events and allows her parties to show its community support.

Given the recent pandemic and its effects on many retailers, Mathews realizes it's an interesting time to expand. "We did well during the pandemic. We stayed afloat because we already had a "organic, neighborhood feel" in all of her stores. For the past, Arkana participates in many fundraisers, fashion shows, pop-up shopping events and allows her parties to show its community support.

Arkana's grand opening in Ridgefield will be 12-7pm on Wednesday, July 12th. Features: refreshments, raffle, and gifts with purchase. 4312 S. Sottler Drive, Ste. 100 Ridgefield, WA 98642.
Contact: Ann Mathews, Arkana Owner and Proprietor: 568-688-1192; www.arkana.com

JOIN US!

4th Friday Coffee at the Chamber
The last Friday of every month

Join the C-W Chamber for coffee and networking Friday, August 25th from
9am-10am
422 NE 4th Ave

Event Sponsored by:
CHAMBER, **Mathews' CAFE**



Beer and Wine Garden Volunteers
Needed from 10am-4pm for The
Fern Prairie Art Fest. Email:
info@cwchamber.com for more info.

Self-care at the Camas Boutique Hotel during July
Yoga with LiveWell Camas on July 1st, 15th, and 29th
donation based class from 8:30-9:30 in our beautiful atrium



Thank You To Our Sponsor :



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