



Committee Involvement

Business & Community – Evolve & Succeed Together!

The success of your Chamber, business and community depends upon your ability and willingness to be involved. Becoming involved in a Chamber Committee gives you a voice, reinforces your business' commitment to the community and helps you make Algonquin/Lake in the Hills a better place to live, work and do business.

We know your time is valuable and sparse; **committee meetings are kept to one hour and always have an agenda.** To learn more about these opportunities, contact the Chamber at 847-658-5300.

Standing Committees (meet monthly)

Ambassador Team (works in conjunction with MAC)

The Chamber's official public relations committee promoting good will and understanding about the Chamber to its members and the community at large. The Team encourages participation within the Chamber to assist local businesses grow and prosper. Meetings typically held the 3rd Wednesday at 9am at the Chamber Office.

Membership Awareness (works in conjunction with MAC)

This committee works to retain Chamber membership through awareness, recruitment and the continuous evaluation of benefits and services. Members implement plans using quantitative goals and deadlines for a membership drive campaign, benefit/services evaluation and retention recommendations. Meetings typically held the 3rd Wednesday at 9am at the Chamber Office.

Legislative & Economic Development

This committee monitors legal and political issues within the community, county and state. They keep the Chamber Board informed of items that directly affect local businesses and encourage action, if appropriate. The committee also acts as a forum for the exchange of ideas between business and local, state and federal government. Meetings typically the 2nd Tuesday at 8:45am at the Chamber Office.

Event Committees (meet based on the duration of the event/project)

Call the Chamber at 847-658-5300 to learn when meetings will begin

Annual Awards Dinner and Dance

This committee works to help plan and publicize the semi-formal dinner and dance held in February. The committee determines award recipients for New Business, Business of the Year and Volunteer of the Year.

Annual Golf Outing Scramble

This committee works to help plan and publicize a golf outing in September where Chamber members invite special clients or employees to a fun day of golfing, lunch, dinner, prizes, raffles and awards.

Chamber's Corn Roast Booth

Held in July during the Algonquin Founder's Day & Sunset Festival, this committee recruits other Chamber members, staff and family members to work in the booth selling hot buttered corn.

Home & Business Expo

A two-day event held in January bringing together 100+ exhibitors and thousands of residents who are interested in products and services available in their community. The committee works to coordinate marketing efforts for the Expo.

Scholarship

This committee reviews applications from graduating high school students and determines the recipients of two \$1500 scholarships.

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