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### UPCOMING EVENTS

September 27 4 to 8 pm  
**Jay County Food & Drink  
Festival**  
Jay Community Center

September 29 Noon  
**Networking Luncheon**  
PROGRAM: Sales Practices  
Speaker: Scott Inks, Director of  
HH Gregg Center for  
Professional Selling, Ball State  
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#### Chamber Officers

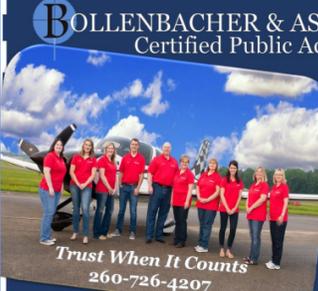
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## SENIOR EXPO - August 22



**Saturday, August 22**  
*Wellness, Lifestyle, and Resources*

8:00 am to 1:00 pm  
Jay Community Center,  
115 E. Water St., Portland

- \* Free to the Public
- \* Senior-Related Exhibits
- \* Educational Seminars on Senior Topics
- \* SilverSneakers Fitness Sampler
- \* Hot, Homemade, Nutritious Meal Sampling
- \* Giveaways
- \* Door Prizes

Check out our Facebook Page - "Senior Expo"

#### Event Sponsors:



Supported, in part, by a grant from: The Portland Foundation

## STARS IN THE PARK



Thank you to each of the contestants who participated in Stars in the Park. You provided weeks of quality entertainment and we are grateful for your time and talents. Congratulations to the winners:  
Grand Prize - Jamie Squared (Jamie Harshman and Jamie Razo)  
1st Runner Up - Nathan Brelage and Karaline Bolka  
2nd Runner Up - Bella Chorvas  
Fan Favorite 18 and Older - Paul Wickey  
Fan Favorite 17 and Younger - Karlie Bullard and Matalin Racster

#### MAJOR EVENT SPONSOR: Moser Motors of Portland

Also: Alexander Financial Group of Raymond James; Baird-Freeman Funeral Home; Berne Chamber of Commerce; Hartford City Paper; Jay County Visitors & Tourism Bureau; Progressive Office Products; State Farm - Karmen Ward, Agent.

## MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS FOR 2015

Attached is a list of Chamber members who have already renewed their membership for 2015 and are members in good standing. 2015 has been another great year for the Jay County Chamber of Commerce. Your continued membership is critical to our collective efforts to enhance our local economy and the well-being of Jay County. (see attached)

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## JAY COUNTY FOOD & DRINK FESTIVAL - September 27



**Tickets Now Available**

**Sunday, September 27**  
**4:00 - 8:00 pm**  
Jay Community Center, 115 E. Water Street, Portland

- \* Food Samples from Chamber Members & Jay County Restaurants
- \* Beer & Wine Pavilion (Extra Charge)
- \* Cooking Demonstrations
- \* Locally-Grown Pavilion
- \* Entertainment
- \* Win Restaurant Gift Certificates

**Fun with Food, Music, and More!**

## BICENTENNIAL JAY COUNTY LEGACY QUILT PROJECT



Get those quilt blocks finished and turned in. Projects are due as soon as possible. If you have any questions, contact Gyneth Augsburger at 260-726-3366.

## STAY CONNECTED ON

You may be missing out. The Chamber publishes a lot of community information on social media. If you aren't already a regular visitor, we invite you to visit and "Like" the following Facebook pages:

- \* Jay Chamber
- \* Jay County Chamber of Commerce
- \* Stars in the Park
- \* Senior Expo
- \* Jay County Food & Drink Festival
- \* Winterfest

**Stay Connected!**