



The Mission of the Gladstone Area Chamber of Commerce is to develop our community by being the voice for small businesses.

#### FEATURED MEMBER\*

### GACC Newsletter - January 2011



The Northland Catholic Schools are comprised of six grade schools and one high school. They focus on the intellectual, spiritual, moral, physical and social development of each child.

#### Fast Facts about the Northland Catholic Schools:

- Serving nearly 2,500 students
- Teaching faith and values in the Catholic and Christian tradition
- Providing highly qualified and experienced teachers
- Preparing students for their future
- 98% of our Catholic high school graduates go on to college
- Serving the community - with over 20,000 hours of volunteer community service annually.



#### A Message from your Chairman of the Board 2011 - Sid Robbins

The Chamber of Commerce is essentially a business organization, but one of the unique and amazing things about the Gladstone Area Chamber of Commerce is how it brings together business owners, elected city and state officials, school administrators, church leaders and private citizens to cooperate in making the Northland a wonderful place, not just to do business, but to live.



I am continually inspired by Chamber members who take extra time, effort and thought to help others and improve the community. The connections and networking that the Chamber provides build business opportunities, but also build friendships.

I am deeply honored, delighted and excited to be serving as Chairman for 2011. I look forward to working with all of you as we progress in fulfilling our mission and realizing our vision.



**Maximize your Chamber Membership!  
Plan to attend these upcoming events ...**

**Thursday, Jan. 13, 6:00 PM**

2010 Award Celebration - Hilton Hotel KCI

Reservations Required - Call your GACC office Now!

[Click Here to see the Winter St. Pius X Newsletter.](#)

St. Pius X High School  
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*The Gladstone Area Chamber of Commerce wishes to thank Balano Jewelry for their generous support of the Chamber during December 2010!*



*Get started today!*  
Call 816-436-4523

**Wednesday, Jan. 19, 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM**  
Business After Hours - Life Change Nutrition  
6512 N Oak, Gladstone, MO 64118

**Thursday, Jan. 27, 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM**  
Membership Luncheon - Smokehouse BBQ  
6305 N Oak, Gladstone, MO 64118  
Sponsor: Lawn & Order  
RSVP Deadline: Friday, January 21

For Newer Members Who Want to Know More about Maximizing your GACC Membership ...  
**New Member Reception - Tuesday, February 8**  
Faubion United Methodist Church, 7113 N Troost  
3:30 to 5:00 PM, 72nd & N Troost (lower east side)

**Members Renewing Their Memberships!**  
We thank the following members for their confidence in our Chamber through their membership renewals. Together we can do more than any one business alone. Whatever your service needs, search for GACC members first!

Autobahn Motorwerks, Inc.  
Bargain Barn Furniture  
Edward Jones Investments - John Bellau  
First Bank of Missouri  
Gladstone Dodge, Jeep, Chrysler, Ram  
Dean Gromer - Individual Member  
James K. Garnett, CPA  
Jim Stoufer - Individual Member  
Kaw Valley Engineering, Inc.  
Lawn & Order - Bill Durand  
North Kansas City Beverage Co.  
Northland National Bank  
Northwoods Chiropractic - Dr. Gerald Witt  
Smiles Delivered - Nancy Washburn  
The Hide Out Blues Club - Mike Vogt

**Who do you know that should be a partner with the GACC?**

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