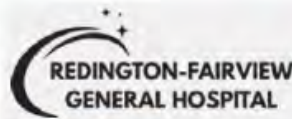


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# LETTER FROM THE SUPER RAFFLE COMMITTEE

**Hello all you high rollers!**

SAVE THE DATE: September 25, 2025 | 5–8:30 PM  
 Kennebec Room – Carter Hall, KVCC, Western Ave., Fairfield

Step into the glamour and excitement of **A Night in Monte Carlo** at our Super Raffle Dinner, hosted by the Mid-Maine Chamber of Commerce and Huhtamaki!

This unforgettable evening will transport you to the elegance of Monaco, complete with a Monte Carlo-themed dinner for two included with each \$135 ticket. You don't have to be present to win—but with the prizes, atmosphere, and entertainment in store, you'll want to be! And the best part? Everyone wins something.

**New this year, we're adding a live comedy show to keep the laughs rolling alongside the excitement of the night!**

Enjoy a cash bar with your favorite beverages, try your luck with games, and cheer as certificates, cash, and other prizes are awarded throughout the night. Dress to impress in your most elegant casino-inspired attire to truly embrace the Monte Carlo spirit and participate in our themed costume contest, sponsored by Huhtamaki.

Your ticket not only gives you access to an evening of fun and fabulous prizes, but also helps support the Mid-Maine Chamber of Commerce in its mission to strengthen our local economy.

Tickets are on sale now! To reserve your spot, call 207.873.3315 or email [cindy@midmainechamber.com](mailto:cindy@midmainechamber.com).

Don't miss this chance to roll the dice, laugh out loud, win big, and celebrate with our community at **A Night in Monte Carlo!**

**May the odds be in your favor!**

*Martha Wentworth and Linanne Gaunce*

*Super Raffle Committee Co-Chairs  
 Mid-Maine Chamber of Commerce*



# MMCC CALENDAR

Sept. 5	KV Connect Steering	8:00-9:00AM
Sept. 5	Public Policy Committee	8:00-9:00AM
Sept. 10	Executive Committee	12:00-1:30PM
Sept. 12	Marketing & Membership	8:00-9:00AM
Sept. 16	Board of Directors	7:45-9:15AM

## Mark your calendars!

**UPCOMING RIBBON CUTTINGS**

**SEPTEMBER 11: 3:30 PM**  
 Agren Appliance  
 6 Pond Rd., Sidney

**SEPTEMBER 30: 4:00 PM**  
 Kennebec Valley Community College & Educare  
 Campus Ctr., Upper Level, King Hall  
 KVCC, 92 Western Ave., Fairfield

**OCTOBER 2: 4:00 PM**  
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**OCTOBER 23: 4:00 PM**  
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**Chamber Advantage Discount Cards**  
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## Did you know?

Hamelin Furniture Co. offers a full array of area rugs produced right here in Maine! Known for great durability, these rugs are made by a company that supports employees with disabilities.

MBingo Mountain Coffee founder Churchill Elangwe-Preston travels to Colombia, Ethiopia, Rwanda and Uganda regularly to meet with his smallholder coffee farmers that hand-pick his coffee cherries.

The Windsor Fair is Maine's second largest agricultural fair, now in its 137<sup>th</sup> year and spanning 50 acres!

KMD florist hosts a weekly bouquet giveaway! Each Friday, they craft a unique arrangement and give it to someone for engaging with their social posts!

## PEOPLE NEWS

**Skowhegan Savings Bank** is pleased to announce the 7 high school recipients of its 2025 College Scholarship awards (\$2k each):

Aya Abdulmohsin, Cony HS; Jorja Brown, Evelyn LaCroix, Drake Turcotte, Skowhegan Area HS; Chase Farnsworth, Dexter Regional HS; Elijah Hoeft, Mt Blue HS; Brooke Laliberte, Rangeley Lakes Regional School.

FMI: <https://www.skowhegan.com/scholarship-program>.

Nate Pelsma has been onboarded as the new Executive Director of Business Innovation and Corporate Campus at **Thomas College**, replacing Mike Duguay who became the commissioner of Maine's **Dept. of Economic & Community Development**. **Thomas College** added Tawny Alvarez and Andy Dionne to its board of trustees.

The **Maine International Film Festival** announced Ken Elsen, the festival's co-founder and long-time programming director, received a "Lifetime Achievement Award."

Jim Dinkle, executive director of **FirstPark**, has recently retired after nearly 8 yrs. with the **Kennebec Regional Development Authority**. With more than 3 decades of experience in economic development and public service from around the country, Dinkle led the business park through a period of steady growth and progress selling 7 lots.

**KVCAP** welcomed its newest employees: Mike Betts, Automotive Technician; Sara Cates, Julieanna Fitch, Elayni Harford, Austin Kelley, Malinda Richards, Teacher Aides; Brittney Cayford, Teacher I; Charity Chillington, Teacher II; Michaela Demers, Jennyfer Guckin, Sub Aides; Paige Dutterer, Family Coach II; Steve Grover, KV Van Driver; Kelsey Mehuren, Early Childhood Education Supervisor; and Gerry Michaud, Scheduler/Dispatcher.

**Kennebec Savings Bank** is pleased to welcome Tommy Johnson as its new Community Giving & Engagement Manager.

**Mainebiz** proudly announced the 7 recipients of the 2025 Outstanding Women in Business, which include: Shannon Haines, president & CEO, **Waterville Creates**; Katie Richards, CEO & founder, **Maine Laboratories**; Maryna Shuliakouskaya, franchisee of 12 **Aroma Joe's** locations & founder, **Aspire ME Group + COO**, Acadia Management Group; Kelly Flagg, Exec. Dir., **Asso. General Contractors of ME**; Soo Parkhurst, president & CEO, **O&P Glass**; Torey Penrod-Cambra, co-founder & CCO, **HighByte**; Katie Shorey, director of engagement, **Live + Work in Maine** & president, **Startup Maine**. To view all award profiles and register, visit [www.mainebiz.biz/OWB25](http://www.mainebiz.biz/OWB25).



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- Identifies you as a major participant among area businesses

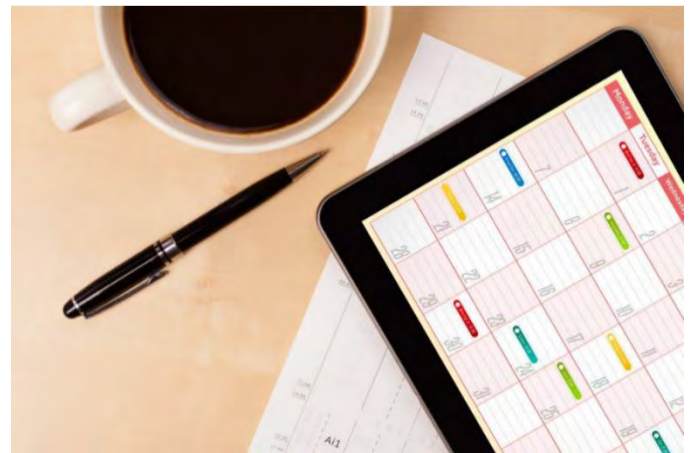
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Enjoy a truly memorable experience during Super Raffle "A Night In Monte Carlo," where **EVERYONE** is a winner.

Tickets are on sale now for \$135, which includes dinner for two and a prize. Enjoy delicious food, a cash bar and some new and exciting entertainment.

Prizes start with \$25 gifts or certificates and continue to cash prizes of \$500, \$750, \$1500 and \$3,000. Best of all, you do not need to be present to receive your winnings. However, you will want to experience the whole evening as there is a 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance Prize drawing for those tickets pulled before the top prizes are drawn. (You must be present to win the \$500 in cash.) With all of these great winnings, this won't necessitate a 'gamble' on your part in purchasing a ticket.

There will be a 50/50 (generally exceeding \$1K), and a chance to win a beautiful piece of jewelry for yourself or a special someone.

Prizes will also be awarded for the best themed costume - so come experience Waterville's version of Monte Carlo and join a night of fun you won't soon forget.

Reserve your tickets or a full table today (seats 8), by calling 207.873.3315 or emailing [Cindy@midmainechamber.com](mailto:Cindy@midmainechamber.com).

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Chamber Chatter is a professionally produced video segment featuring local businesses, shot by Epic Vue Studios. It's your chance to spotlight what makes your business special and share your story with the community.

### Why Participate in Chamber Chatter?

- **Incredible Value** - Normally a video shoot could cost hundreds, but with shared costs through the Chamber, businesses only pay \$150 for a high-quality production.
- **Professional Production** - Filmed by the experts at Epic Vue Studios, ensuring your business looks its best with sharp visuals and clear sound.
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- **Tell Your Story** - Use your voice to explain what sets your business apart. Whether you're new, expanding, or celebrating something big – this is your platform.
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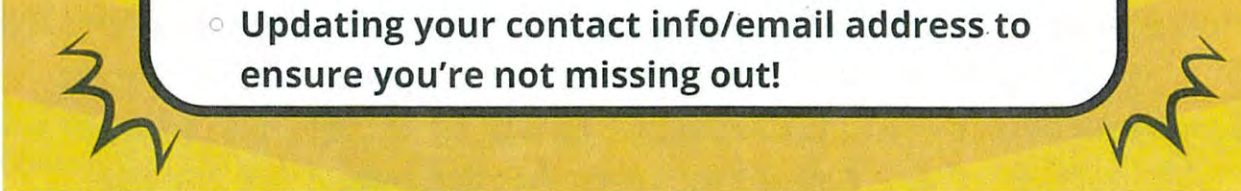
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**Register for upcoming Chamber events to connect with other local professionals and grow your network.**

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# CALENDAR NEWS

- Sept. 4-7:** **Clinton Lions Agricultural Fair, multiple events/times**  
Clinton Fair Grounds, 1450 Bangor Rd., Clinton
- Sept. 5:** **First Friday-Downtown Block Party, 5-7 PM**  
Downtown, Waterville
- Sept. 5-6:** **Performance: Deathtrap, 7:30 PM**  
Waterville Opera House, 1 Common St., Waterville
- Sept. 6-7:** **Maine Book Fest, 10 AM - 3 PM**  
Head of Falls, Front St., Waterville
- Sept. 9:** **Community Collab: Support & Education Event, 12 PM**  
Head of Falls, Front St., Waterville
- Sept. 10:** **MaineBiz's 2025 Outstanding Women in Business, 5 PM**  
Halo at the Point, 20 Van Aken Way, Portland
- Sept. 11: AM** **MMCC Business Breakfast: Business Exit Planning, 7:15**  
Best Western Plus, 375 Main St., Waterville
- Sept. 11:** **MMCC Ribbon Cutting: Agren Appliance, 3:30 PM**  
6 Pond Rd, Sidney
- Sept. 11:** **Main Street Provisions Wine Tasting, 5-7 PM**  
62 Main St., Waterville
- Sept. 12:** **Concert: Start Making Sense (Talking Heads Tribute), 8 PM**  
Waterville Opera House, 1 Common St., Waterville
- Sept. 12:** **Free Shred Event—KVCOG (Council of Gov.), 8 AM-12 PM**  
17 Main St., Fairfield
- Sept. 13:** **Kennebec River Ramble, 10 AM-3 PM**  
Cleaver Landing, 264 Canaan Rd., Skowhegan
- Sept. 15:** **A Taste of Ireland Performance, 7:30 PM**  
Waterville Opera House, 1 Common St., Waterville
- Sept. 17:** **MMCC Business After Hours: Camp Tracy, AYCC, 5:30 PM**  
Camp Tracy, 302 McGrath Pond Rd., Oakland
- Sept. 17:** **Concert: Shaun Cassidy, 7:30 PM**  
Waterville Opera House, 1 Common St., Waterville
- Sept. 18:** **Waterville Housing Summit, 9 AM—3 PM**  
Greene Block + Studios, 18 Main St., Waterville
- Sept. 18:** **Afternoon Grief Support Group, 1:00-2:30 PM**  
Hospice Volunteers of Waterville Area Community Ct.,  
304 Main St., Waterville
- Sept. 25:** **MMCC Super Raffle Dinner, 5 PM -8 PM**  
KVCC, Kennebec Rm., Carter Hall, 92 Western Ave., Fairfield
- Sept. 26:** **Matt Fraser-Live Readings by a Medium, 8 PM**  
Waterville Opera House, 1 Common St., Waterville
- Sept. 26-28:** **Thomas College Homecoming, multiple events/times**  
Thomas College, 180 W. River Rd., Waterville
- Sept. 27:** **Concert: Shemekia Copeland, 8 PM**  
Waterville Opera House, 1 Common St., Waterville
- Sept. 30:** **MMCC Ribbon Cutting: KVCC, Educare Classroom, 4 PM**  
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## Block Party!

September 5

5-7pm

Opening Reception for Wild Maybes!  
Celebrate Waterville's newest playful sculptures in Levine's Park by artist Chris Miller. Enjoy light bites on the Lockwood Miller Room patio while mingling with fellow art lovers.

Main Street will be closed from Temple to Spring Streets for a night of art, music, food, and fun to kick off the new school year! Events are FREE unless otherwise noted.

## Head of Falls September 6 & 7

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## Thomas College October 19

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# MEMBER NEWS

Congratulations to US Cellular which is now officially part of **T-Mobile**.

Sens. Susan Collins and Angus King announced that 29 ME orgs will be getting more than \$20MM from the Northern Border Regional Commission. MMCC members are as follows: **Eastern ME Dev. Corp.**, \$500k; **Main Street Skowhegan**, \$500k; **Dept of Labor** - \$500k; ME Outdoor Brands, \$500k (work w/**KV Tourism Council**); ME Community College System, \$497,537; Arnold Trail Snowmobile Network, \$403,409 (work w/**KVTC**); and **GrowSmart Maine**, \$388,700.

**Hammond Lumber Company** announced acquisition of **Ware-Butler Supply**.

New Balance Foundation, the charitable arm of **New Balance Athletics**, announced that it has donated to the following MMCC members: **JMG** (Jobs for Maine Grads), **Maine Children's Home**, and the **Travis Mills Foundation**.

A total of 143 companies have been named to this year's list of the "Best Places to Work in ME." Of those, the following are MMCC members: **Maine Tech Group**, **Summit Natural Gas**, **Allen Insurance and Financial**, **Day's Jewelers**, **Finance Authority of ME**, **LifeFlight of ME**, **Maine Savings Federal Credit Union**, **Maine State Credit Union**, **Renewal by Andersen of Greater ME**, **Sheridan Construction**, **Skowhegan Savings Bank**, **Cianbro**, **Colby College**, **Hammond Lumber Co.**, **Kennebec Behavioral Health**, **TD Bank**, and **T-Mobile**.

**KVCOG** is seeking dedicated community leaders with financial expertise to join its Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Committee. If interested, please send a letter of interest or questions to Maggie Camden at [mcamden@kvkog.org](mailto:mcamden@kvkog.org).

Of a record 505 nominations, the 2025 Maine Family Business Awards featured two MMCC members that advanced to the semifinal round: **Cayer Security Services Inc.** and **Lafayette Hotels**.

**Belgrade Lakes Association** is pleased to announce its '25 Raffle Winners. 1<sup>st</sup> prize **Hamlin's Marine** Pontoon Boat, motor & trailer: Robert Williams; 2<sup>nd</sup> prize **Hammond Lumber's SHOREMASTER®** Boat Lift: Sherrilynn Smith; 3<sup>rd</sup> prize 3 Hammond Lumber's SHOREMASTER® dock sections: Heather Cole; 4<sup>th</sup> prize **Mainely Handrails** Fire Pit: Ed Charles; 5<sup>th</sup> prize \$500 **Lynch Landscaping**: Chip Rooney; 6<sup>th</sup> prize Farmers' Mkt \$300 Gift Basket: Ruth Muenzen; 7<sup>th</sup> prize **Day's Store** \$300 Gift Certificate: Robert Burgoyne.

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## MEMBER SPOTLIGHT: Waterville Community Land Trust

### Waterville Community Land Trust: Expanding Affordable Homeownership

The Waterville Community Land Trust (WCLT) is committed to making homeownership more attainable for low and moderate-income individuals and families. By owning the land and selling only the buildings, WCLT lowers purchase costs and opens the door to affordable homeownership. A long-term lease ensures responsible ownership and includes a resale formula to keep homes affordable for future buyers.



Since its incorporation in 2013, WCLT has successfully sold renovated homes to several families, turning the dream of homeownership into reality and demonstrating the lasting impact of this model, ensuring Waterville remains a vibrant, affordable place to live.

More than a housing model, WCLT's mission is about strengthening the community. Beyond housing, WCLT invests in community spaces like Lashus Park in Waterville's South End. Two riverfront houses beyond repair were replaced with a park featuring a gazebo and gardens—creating a welcoming space for neighbors to gather and enjoy the outdoors.

Through affordable homeownership and community investment, the Trust helps revitalize neighborhoods, strengthen the local economy, and foster a deeper sense of belonging in Waterville.

Want to get involved? Contact WCLT to volunteer, join the Board, or make a donation:

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