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NOTICE

The new Chamber office
is now open at
101 So. L.L. Males Ave.

Chamber Breakfast

Thursday, Mar. 5

7:00 AM

@ Rockin' S

Speakers:

>Tiffany Lynda<
PSO Comm. Affairs Mgr.

>Gary Purdy<
NWTF

C of C Board Meeting

Thursday, Feb. 5

12:00 PM

@ Chamber Office
101 So. L.L. Males Ave.

NEWS

At our last meeting, our guest speakers were J. E. Merritt, our local Farm Bureau insurance agent, Marty Creach, Fire Chief, and Richard Adams, City Manager. These gentlemen held an informative discussion concerning our ISO ratings. Our present rating is 8 and we are trying to lower that so we can get lower insurance premiums. Marty and Richard are trying very hard to purchase a newer pumper truck. This truck will greatly improve our chances of lowering the current rating.

The Chamber has selected two people for the Volunteer of the Year Award. These awards will be presented at the Annual Banquet, Friday, March 27, at Croton Creek Guest Ranch.

The banquet speaker will be Pat Chalfant, author. Pat is a graduate of Cheyenne High School.

Entertainment at the banquet will be Paula Isch and her group, 'One Heart.'

We urge everyone to become a member of the Chamber so we can all work together toward the betterment of our community. Join now and help. If you have not yet sent in your renewals for 2009, please do so as soon as possible.

On Tuesday, February 17, Richard Adams and I went to the state capital to a meeting of the State Travel and Tourism Committee. Hardy Watkins, manager/director of the committee, spoke to about a dozen or so of us attending. That night we attended a legislative banquet sponsored by the electric cooperatives of Oklahoma. This travel and tourism committee wants to come to the Cheyenne/Roger Mills area again in the near future. We visited with Rep, Purcey Walker, Lt. Governor Jari Askins, Sen. Mike Schultz, and several others.

Our next breakfast will be Thursday, March 5th, 7:00am at the Rockin' S. We will have two guest speakers. Tiffany Lynda, Community Affairs Manager for PSO will speak about her work with schools and communities. Tiffany lives in Weatherford and has offices in Elk City, Norman, and Weatherford. Also, Gary Purdy, Regional Director for the National Wild Turkey Federation, will speak about the local NWTF chapter and their upcoming events.

Remember some of our other coming events:

>New raffle for 52" plasma TV (tickets will be \$5 or 6 for \$25)

>Rodeo (still in committee)

>Free-Wheel Bicycle Tour here on June 9th (Meeting March 3rd 5:00pm City Hall)

>Youth and Family Strengthening Coalition meeting (March 10th 4:00pm City Hall)

-- Steve

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, March 3

Metcalfe Museum
opens for the season.

March 16-20

School Spring Break

Tuesday, March 17

St. Patrick's Day

Friday, March 20

First Day of Spring

Saturday, April 11

Cheyenne-Strong City

Alumni Banquet

6:00 PM

@ Cheyenne HS

Sunday, April 12

Easter

HAPPY
ST. PATRICK'S
DAY



Points to Ponder

"Be slow in choosing a
friend, slower in changing."

"Three may keep a secret, if
two of them are dead."

"Well done is better than
well said."

Benjamin Franklin

1706-1790