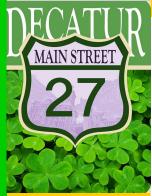
## **Decatur Main Street's Newsletter**

### **What's New!**

3-3-2025

**March Edition** 



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Façade Program Awards

Decatur Main Street is proud to announce the recipients of the 2025 Façade Program Awards. Congratulations to the following businesses for their dedication to enhancing the community's vibrancy and appearance:

• Adams County History Society

• EF Gass Salon

• Famous Monster Pizza

• Stoppco

• The Next Page Bookstore

• Vinnie's Bar

• Yvonne Marie's Antique Mall

Thank you for your continued commitment to making Decatur a better place for all!



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## **Chamber Luncheon**

Mayor Dan Rickord will deliver the State of the City Address on Monday, March 17, 2025, at 11:45 AM at the Woodcrest Dining Hall. During this event, Mayor Rickord will provide updates on the latest developments in Decatur and share his vision and plans for the year ahead.

The event is \$20 per person, and reservations are required by Thursday, March 13, 2025, by 1:00 PM. To RSVP, please email the Chamber of Commerce at <a href="mailto:lmorris@decaturchamber.org">lmorris@decaturchamber.org</a> or call 724-2604.

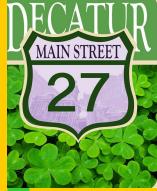
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### **Featured Members of the Month**

## **Galley**

The Galley, a cherished family-owned restaurant, is celebrating its 47th anniversary this year! Founded in 1978 and still owned and operated by the Meyer family, The Galley has become a staple in the Decatur community. Over the years, they've sold more than 3 million pounds of their legendary Cod, but their menu also offers a wide variety of seafood, chicken, steaks, sandwiches, and an outstanding salad bar. Whether you're grabbing a meal to go with their carry-out menu featuring fish by the pound or hosting an event with their banquet menu for up to 100 guests, The Galley has something for everyone. Join them in celebrating nearly five decades of great food and service at 622 N. 13th St., Decatur, IN. For more information, give them a call at 260-724-8181.

" A wish for a kiss on St. Patrick's Day! Catch a Leprechaun but don't let him run. Nay, kiss him right away!"-

Richelle E. Goodrich



### **Decatur Hardware and Rental**



Decatur Hardware and Rental is a trusted, family-owned business that has proudly served the community since 1972. As a comprehensive hardware store, they offer a wide range of top-quality products and exceptional service across various departments, including Hardware, Tools, Paint, Electrical, Plumbing, Lawn & Garden,

and more. Conveniently located at 1480 Winchester Road, Decatur Plaza, Decatur, IN 46733, Decatur Hardware and Rental is your go-to destination for all your home improvement needs. For inquiries about their products or services, feel free to reach out at 260-724-9543.



## **Highlights of the Month**

#### **March Pub Crawl**

The St. Patrick's I'm Feeling Lucky Pub Crawl will be March 15 from 7 pm to 11 pm! Make sure to dress like a leprechaun or wear your lucky green to enjoy the festivities! Our participating pubs have great featured drinks and food in store for the crawl, so please watch out on our Facebook page for more information coming soon!





"Never iron a four-leaf clover, because you don't want to press your luck."

- Irish proverb

## **Downtown Decatur Day**

We're thrilled to announce that the highly anticipated 2025 Downtown Decatur Day is just around the corner! Mark your calendars for Saturday, June 21st, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., as we come together to celebrate in the heart of Downtown Decatur.

This year's event promises to be bigger and better than ever, with exciting activities for all ages, including our beloved merchant sidewalk sale, a fun-filled kids' zone, and much more!

We're currently seeking talented vendors to help make this event unforgettable, and we'd love for you to be a part of it. Please find the event details and vendor application form <a href="here!">here!</a>





# Highlights of the Month Fort Wayne Philharmonic's Patriotic Pops

To Our Decatur Friends, Partners, and Colleagues,

We are excited to share the opportunity to bring the Fort Wayne Philharmonic's Patriotic Pops back to YOU!

The Fort Wayne Philharmonic's Patriotic Pops, a musical celebration of America, is the perfect way to experience the spirit of Independence Day.

With an average turnout of around 900 people, these free concerts unite your local community and region with patriotic pride! Help us bring this incredible concert series back to YOUR county this summer! To learn more about how you can get involved, please contact Craig Coshow or Linda Morris at the contact information listed below.

#### Craig Coshow

Executive Director of the Chamber of Commerce Decatur Indiana Email: <a href="mailto:ccoshow@decaturchamber.org">ccoshow@decaturchamber.org</a> Phone: 260-724-2604

#### Linda Morris

Executive Assistant of the Chamber of Commerce Decatur Indiana Email: <a href="mailto:lmorris@decaturchamber.org">lmorris@decaturchamber.org</a> Phone: 260-724-2604



## **Decatur Artisan Craft Market**

The Decatur Artisan Craft Market will have 105 tables of handmade, one-of-a-kind items this month including pottery, baked goods, jams and jellies, honey, soaps, home décor, wood bowls and boards, birdhouses, and so much more! The Decatur Artisan Craft Market happens the 2nd Saturday of every month from October through April.

- " To be interested in the changing seasons is a happier state of mind than to be hopelessly in love with spring."
- George Santayana



## **Decatur Main Street's Board of Directors**

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Mayor Dan Rickord

#### **Board of Directors Meeting:**

-When: Second Thursday at 8:30 am

-Where: Chamber of Commerce

125 E Monroe St

-Who: Board of Directors meetings are

open to the public.

-Committees:

**Economic Vitality** 

Promotional

Organizational

Design

## **Upcoming Events**

#### March 4

#### Fat Tuesday at the Pig!

At Soul Pig from 4 pm to 9 pm For information click here.

#### March 8

#### **Decatur** Artisan Market

At the Riverside Center from 9 am - 2pm

#### **Bowl for Kid's Sake**

Event by Big Brother Big Sister of Northeast Indiana

At Villa Lanes from 12 pm - 3 pm For more information click here.

#### Dark Hours Dinner Theater - from **Dusk Till Dawn**

At Famous Monster Pizza and starts at 10:30 pm. For more information click here.

#### March 15

#### St. Patrick Pub Crawl

At Downtown Decatur Bars and starts 7 pm

#### St. Patty's No Tap Doubles

At Villa Lanes and starts at 12 pm For more information click here.

#### St. Patrick Hootenanny 2025!!

At the Mirage Event Center from 6 pm - 10 pm. For more information click here.

#### March 16

#### Sunday Matinee and Pizza Buffet-TMNT **Mutant Mavhem**

At Famous Monster Pizza and starts at 1 pm. For more information click here.

#### Trivia Sunday - How I Met Your Mother

Presented by The Old 27 Ice Cream Shop and Famous Monster Pizza. The event is at Famous Monster Pizza and starts at 5 pm. For more Phone: information click here.

#### March 20

#### Thursday Trivia - Harry Potter Night

At D-Town Energy and start at 6 pm. For more decatur.mainstreet@gmail.com information click here.

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