## December 11th 2024, 8:00 AM @ Indiana Carton

Present Businesses: 16 – 1<sup>st</sup> Source Bank, TLCU, Town of Bremen, Bremen Police Department, Paul Davis, Indiana Carton, D&J Roofing, Cut-Rite Tree Services, bFACS, Fernbaugh Jewelers, B&M Builders, Dynamic Fleet Services, Bickel Heating & Cooling

- bFACS will host in January. 1st Source will host in February. Let us know if you'd like to host an upcoming meeting. Cut-Rite will host in April
- We would love to feature you in an article
  - January bFACS & Dynamic Fleet
  - February 1st Source & Indiana Carton

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- Chamber renewals have been mailed out, they're due in January please let us know if you would like a fresh sticker or to be added to the text reminder list. The text reminder list is something new that we're doing this year. Details to sign up will be on your confirmation letter after you send in your renewal information.
- Voting for board member spots will be in January, nominations will be accepted in December. Please email or text (574-360-8996) the person's name who is being nominated, and the position they are being nominated for. Descriptions for the positions are listed below.
  - o Only three positions can have nominees Treasurer stays the same each year
    - Presidential Nominees: The Board President shall preside at all meetings of the Chamber of Commerce and the board of directors. The President is allowed to miss no more than three chamber meetings within a service year. He/She shall perform all the duties and assume all the responsibilities consistent with the accepted concept of such an office.
    - Vice Presidential Nominees: Shall preside at all meetings in the absence of the President and assist the President with any responsibilities consistent with the accepted concept of such an office. The Vice President is allowed to miss no more than three chamber meetings within a service year.
    - Secretary Nominees: shall carry on the official correspondence of the Board, keep and preserve all records of Executive and board meetings, and act as custodian of all official communications and documents. Secretary is allowed to miss no more than three chamber meetings within a service year.
  - All current Chamber Board members who have fulfilled their roles during the 2024 year will be automatically on the ballot for next year (2025)
- Business/town updates?

- Carmen's Diner grand opening on the 31st, ribbon cutting at 8:00 am please join us to support her!
- For Heaven Sakes Bakery is hoping to become Chamber members when they are officially open and are looking forward to having the Chamber at their ribbon cutting (date - TBD)
- Carmen is running a special on gift certificates through 12/24 \$20 for \$25 gift card either at La Parilla or Carmen's Diner
- o Santa House under the pavilion Saturdays in December from noon three
- o Santa letters being accepted at the library for the rest of the week
- Lochmandy Chevrolet Open House thru Dec 14th. Toy Drive-bring in a toy, test drive to earn \$25 gift card, Red Tag Event, TODAY: luncheon from 11AM -1PM

## Old news

- View old newsletters at: https://bremenchamber-news.blogspot.com/
- o Send us events you would like added to the Bremen Town Events Calendar
- Send us photos/updates to be featured as our Business of the Week on Facebook
- o Business between business Chamber perks:
  - bFACS: 10% off rates
  - Bremen CarQuest: 10% off non-sale items
  - Siefer Services, LLC: 5% Hardware Purchase 10% Prof Services
- Indiana Carton discussion/tour Thanks for hosting!
- Have a wonderful Christmas and Happy New Year!