

NORTH POLE COMMUNITY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Mission Statement

The North Pole Chamber's mission is to enhance local economic opportunity, promote business relationships, improve general quality of life and increase public awareness of North Pole as a unique community with many assets of value to both visitors and residents.

2015 Members Benefits and Services

Advocates for Business:

The Chamber works with business leaders and local nonprofits, advocates potential customers, is a referral service to visitors and to those interested in relocating to the North Pole area and is a voice of the community on local, borough, state and national issues affecting North Pole.

Visitor Information Cabin:

The North Pole Visitor Information Cabin is a connection for thousands of travelers who stop by each year seeking information about our community and services provided. The Visitor Cabin provides high visibility for local craftspeople and artists to display and sell their work on consignment. Chamber memberships include priority verbal recommendations, rack card placement and discounted consignment rates.

North Pole Visitor Guide:

The North Pole Visitor Information Guide features local events and attractions unique to North Pole and the surrounding area, includes a dining directory, visitor information and placement for business advertisements. This free guide is available via print and online and provides the opportunity for you to showcase your business and inform community members and visitors who you are.

Internet Exposure:

The North Pole Community Chamber of Commerce website <http://www.northpolechamber.us> promotes North Pole and the surrounding communities as a unique destination market and provides links to local and Chamber events and other business resources.

- North Pole Chamber members receive free business listing displayed in the Members Directory of the Chamber website
- Free advertising to chamber members via Facebook and front page of website: publicize your open house, management changes, grand openings, or other special events or announcements.
- Options for front page featured banner advertisements and logo placement
- Members without their own website may contract with the Chamber to have a single dedicated web page created and linked from the Chamber's website.

Member Sponsorship of Chamber Events:

Several events are hosted by the Chamber each year, including the Winter Festival's Holiday Bazaar, Candle Lighting Ceremony, Fireworks display and operation of the Visitor Information Cabin in the summer. High visibility and advertising value is offered to members who would like to sponsor a Chamber event.

Board of Directors:

Chamber board members meet monthly on the 2nd Wednesday at 5:30 pm at Mt. McKinley Bank in North Pole. The board takes action to perform Chamber business, plan events and consider issues of concern to the business community. This meeting is open to the public, though voting is limited to board members only. If a meeting is rescheduled or cancelled, a notice will be posted on our website front page under Announcements.

Committees:

Chamber committees are open to any member interested in joining. Committees can address current issues affecting business and commerce or can be formed to help accomplish Chamber events and projects.

If you have any questions, please visit our website or contact the Chamber:

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