



**CHAMBER E-
NEWSLETTER**

April 2008

OFFICERS:

Sasha Poell, President

D J Sims, Vice President

Scott Soderstram, Treasurer

Brad Heyen, Secretary

Shane Coelho, Advisor

Mark your Calendars!

Next Regular Meeting: May 1st

Business Breakfast: May 20th

Business Showcase: May 5th

***Chamber e-newsletter will be
sent to you on the fourth Friday
of every month.***

Fellow Members:

June 30 will mark the end of another successful year for the MACC Board. As we embark on a new beginning effective July 1, we have several opportunities to serve in a leadership capacity in our organization. As the immediate past president, one of my responsibilities is to guide our board's efforts to recommend a slate of officers to lead us in 2008 & 2009.

We need the following officers:

President
Vice President
Treasurer
Secretary

If you would like to serve in one of these roles, or would like to find out more please feel free to contact me @ 722-9001. I would encourage you to consider how you might give back to the organization and enjoy a rewarding and challenging experience.

Thank you,
Sasha Poell

*You are invited to set up a booth for the
Maize Area Chamber of Commerce
Business Showcase Event*

May 5th, 2008

***Maize City Hall 10100 Grady Ave.
Maize, KS 67101***

6pm to 7pm

(set up at 5pm and tear down after city hall meeting)

***For details and to RSVP by May 1st, 2008,
Email: spoel1@amfam.com or 316.722.9001***

***If you are a current member of MACC
this event is FREE! \$50.00 for any non-member.***

New Member & Exposure Opportunities!

Goin' Postal Wichita

Goin' Postal Wichita is a full service shipping store. We offer variety: DHL, FedEx, UPS, and Post Office services. We will show you the rates from all the carriers before you ship so you may decide which carrier to use that fits your needs. You can bring in your item ready to go or you can let us package and prepare your item for you. We sell a variety of boxes and packaging material and we never charge a packing fee- only the cost of material. Call us for a quote the next time you ship! We also offer copying, printing, faxing, binding, laminating, and notary services at very low prices. You can even rent a mailbox, only 60.00 per year. We are located in the Northwest Centre at 13th and Tyler across from Northwest High School.

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American Legion

The Post is about 5 years old. It consists of about 40 members. There is no Post per say because the property is so expensive in this area. The contact person is Jim Hawthorne which is the adjutant of the post. All work is done at my residence. We meet monthly at Hometown Buffet on West Central the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30pm.

We started with about 20 members and have doubled that in five years. The members of the Post have worked with Connie Woodard and the Maize Cemetery. On Memorial Day and Veteran's Day we put out about 135 flags on veteran's gravesites and have purchased new flags for her this year.

Last year Post 419 gave out 2 scholarships to HS students for the Legions "Boys State" and awarded academic and citizenship award to a Maize Middle School student and will also be doing this again this year.

Post 419 is also working with the Maize and Northwest Wichita business communities to form an ongoing scholarship in the name of Eric Palmer, a graduate of Maize High School in 2004. Eric died in Iraq this pass year. We are hoping that this will continue on a yearly basis

We are trying to begin a chapter of the American Legion Riders and Patriot Guard at our Post this spring. We are out in the community helping veteran's and children of the Maize/NW Wichita areas. We want to get more exposure in both of these communities. We are "Veteran's helping Veteran's!!!!

Thanks,
Jim Hawthorne

First Choice Credit Union

Location: 1401 N. Maize Road (at the corner of Maize Road and 13th)

Contact Person: Mike Ronen, Vice President of Operations

We are a full service financial institution offering savings, checking, loans retirement/certificates, over 7,000 members strong, serving Wichita for over 50 years. Membership can include anyone residing in Sedgwick, Butler, or Harvey counties.

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Mike

