

## **MARCH NEWSLETTER - 2015**

### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

It's been a long, cold winter but it has still been a busy time at your Chamber of Commerce. Last Saturday night the Annual Genesee County Chamber of Commerce Awards night was held at The Clarion Hotel. Nearly 300 people attended as we recognized some of the outstanding businesses and individuals who make Genesee County such a great place to work and live.

March promises to be another busy and exciting month with two major events taking place. On Saturday, March 21 the Celebrate Agriculture dinner will be held at the Alexander Fire Hall. This event is always a sell-out and is exactly what its name entails – a celebration of the local agricultural community, Genesee County's number one industry. And as you would expect, the food is plentiful and delicious!

The weekend of March 27-29 brings us the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Genesee County Chamber of Commerce Home Show at the Falletti Ice Arena. Last year's initial Home Show was a great success with a sell-out of over 80 vendor booths and over 2,000 people attending the event. This year's show looks like it will be another sell-out and attendance is expected to be high again as look to shake off the winter blues by strolling through the vendor aisles.

What's great about all these events is they all focus on the Chamber of Commerce's core mission – to create an environment for business success and improve the quality of life for the citizens of Genesee County.

I hope to see you at one of these events. Until then – think Spring!

*Tom Turnbull*

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