

Annual Meeting

At the request of members who attended last year, the Fox Cities Chamber of Commerce and Industry has invited economist and author Barry Asmus to return as guest speaker at its Annual Meeting on Wednesday, October 27 at the Radisson Paper Valley Hotel in downtown Appleton. The event gets underway with a social at 5 p.m. followed by the 6:15 p.m. dinner and program.

Asmus' topic will be "America's Economic Future," an extension of his presentation last year when he stayed well past the Chamber's formal program to continue talking with more than 200 who remained to hear him speak.



Highlights of the evening will include presentation of the Chamber's 2010 Manufacturer of the Year Awards recognizing successful firms from the area, sponsored by Baker Tilly. The Athena Award, recognizing a distinguished local business woman also will be presented. The award is sponsored by Bergstrom Automotive. Chamber member firms observing their 50, 75, and 100-year anniversaries in business will be feted, as will Chamber board leaders and volunteers.

Cost to attend is \$52.00 per person or \$520.00 for a table of 10. [To register click here.](#) For more information, contact the Chamber by calling (920) 734-7101 or by emailing information@foxcitieschamber.com

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Breakfast Networking -- 7:30 to 9:30 a.m.

Members have the opportunity to meet at the Chamber office and give a two-minute talk about their company and distribute materials if they choose. A maximum of 30 people may attend. Individuals from Chamber member firms can sign up for as many dates as they would like. The cost to attend is \$2.00 per person which includes a continental breakfast. All meetings are held at the Fox Cities Chamber office, 125 N. Superior Street, Appleton. Click on the date(s) below to register.

[Thursday, October 28](#)

[Thursday, November 18](#) -- last one for 2010

Morning Business Advice

Monthly small business events planned by the Small Business Committee. Registration is at 7:15 a.m. Cost is \$7.00 for Chamber members in advance or \$10.00 at the door and \$15.00 for non-members. Advance registration is accepted until noon the day prior to the event.

When: [Thursday, November 11](#)

Where: FVTC DJ Bordini Center, 5 Systems Dr., Appleton
Dan Koszalinski, CPA, CMA, of Schenck S.C. will speak about "Successful Financial Strategies to Improve Your Bottom Line." Koszalinski will cover the difference between leasing or buying equipment and vehicles. He'll explain when to hire a new employee or utilize a temp agency, and how to analyze the true cost of employees. He will explain the difference between cash flow and profit. The event is sponsored by [Epiphany Law, LLC](#).

Business Connections -- 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

A monthly, informal, after-hours event sponsored by a Chamber member. Bring your business cards and mingle! Cost for Chamber members is \$2.00 if registered and paid in advance or \$4.00 at the door. Non-member cost to attend is \$20.00.

November

When: [Tuesday, November 16](#)

Where: Outer Edge Stage, 303 N. Oneida St., Appleton

Co-Sponsored Events

Successful Cash Flow Management Strategies and Break-even Analysis Seminar

When: Friday, November 12 & 19,
8:30 to 11:00 a.m.

Where: Fox Cities Chamber of Commerce, 125 N. Superior St., Appleton
Tony Busch of Priora Cash Flow Management LLC will demonstrate:

- cash flow conversion cycle
- how cash is managed to improve the performance of the business
- cash flow between the income statement and the balance sheet
- effectively managing a working capital line of credit from the bank
- break-even terminology and how it benefits volume, pricing and profits

Cost to attend is \$25.00 for Chamber members and \$35.00 for non-members.

[Friday, November 12](#)

[Friday, November 19](#)

Save the Date

Economic Outlook Breakfast -- Wednesday, February 2, 2011
Small Business of the Year Award Luncheon -- Wednesday,
June 8, 2011

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