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OUR MEMBERS & OUR COMMUNITY

We serve our membership as a catalyst – the organization through which business and professional people work together for the common good of the community.

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Join your family, friends and neighbors at the 18th Annual Taste of Orchard Park from 5:30 - 9:30 pm on Wednesday, July 26th in the beautiful Village of Orchard Park. There is something for everyone at the Taste! Kids and adults of all ages can eat and play the evening away. Come stroll up and down the street while enjoying music and a variety of food and drink served by area restaurants and food trucks. Stop by and visit with our Sponsors and see everything that our Chamber Members have to offer.









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depends on your performance as a Director.

It is our hope that you would find involvement as a Board Director productive and rewarding knowing your participation will contribute to keep the Orchard Park Chamber of Commerce at the forefront of our business community. The role as a Director is significant, demanding and visible. You must commit to attending all monthly Board meetings, all Chamber events and take an active role in at least one committee. The Chamber has a commitment to its members; it is an important organization in the community and influential throughout the region and State.

If you are an active member of the Orchard Park Chamber of Commerce and would like to serve on the Board, please email your intent to don@OrchardParkChamber.org for consideration by the Nominating Committee.

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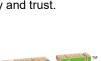












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