



GRANGER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



Winter 2022

Winter Calendar Events

January 5th Chamber Meeting 12:30 @ KDNA

February 2nd Chamber Meeting 12:30 @ KDNA

February 12th Parent's Night Out 6-10pm @ Living Water

March 2nd Chamber Meeting 12:30 @ KDNA

March 25th-April 8th Chamber Auction online

Upcoming Important School Dates:

January 17 – NO School – MLK Jr Day

January 20 – End of 1st Semester

January 21 – 3-Hour Early Release for All Students

January is School Board Appreciation Month

February 7-11 School Counselor Appreciation Week

February 18 – NO School (Snow Make-up day if needed)

February 21 – President's Day

March 7-11 – Classified Staff Appreciation Week

March 4 – NO School – Staff PD

March 31 – NO School – Spring Conferences

President's Note:

Happy New Year! I hope you had a good 2021 and I hope you are looking forward to 2022. As we begin a new year I am looking forward to working with our new board members and leaders as well as all of you faithful members of this Chamber. You are a huge part of what makes this community so great and I am honored to serve again as President of the Chamber.

One of our goals this year is to promote this community even more. We are once again partnering with the Yakima Tourism office in order to help promote the city. We are also growing our promotional item inventory so people can take home a piece of Granger and tell others about how incredible this place is. In doing so, we hope that people will visit your businesses and the community and they will experience the friendliness that we are known for.

For those who aren't aware, we have a monthly meeting on the first Wednesday of each month. Our meetings are held at 12:30pm inside the KDNA/NCEC located at 121 Sunnyside Ave in Granger. We would love to have you join us sometime. This year we will be reaching out to see if we can do some special meetings so we may have an opportunity to meet more of you.

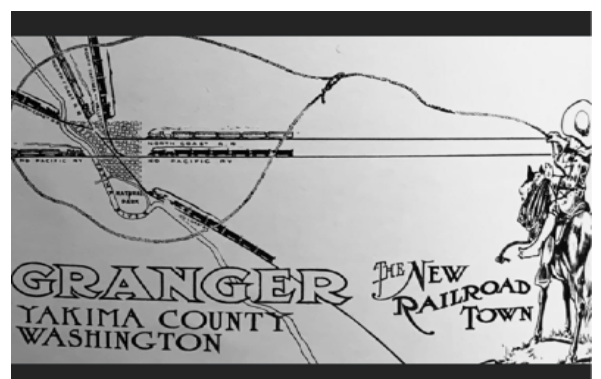
Thanks again for making this Granger community a special place to live, work and play. Blessings!

Laurence Guisinger - Chamber President

Did you know?

Before Granger was incorporated in 1909 it was the center of railroad activity. It had 5 rail lines crisscrossing the Granger townsite, including the Sunnyside Railroad Co., North Coast RR, North Yakima Valley RR, North Pacific RR, and OregonWashington Railroad & Navigation Co.

Source: Granger History Book -
GRANGER The Town...The Land...The People
Published 1975 by Granger Library Club
The City Hall used this design on official envelopes:



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Early Childhood Center
Fred Lopez Orchard
Granger Alumni Assn.
Granger Assembly of God
Granger Athletic Booster Club
Granger Clay Pits
Granger Farmers' Market
Granger Food Bank
Granger Grid Kids
Granger Historical Soc.
Granger School Dist.
Granger Self Storage
Granger Travel Plaza
Hagadone Directories
Heavenly Smoked BBQ Co
Hooked Up
Impact Directories
Inspire Development Centers
KeyBank
KlarichCreation
L V Credit Union
Leo's Auto. Service
Lions Club (Granger)
Los Naranjos Bakery
Metal & Iron Artistry
O. L. Luther Co.
Pacific Power
Queen Expresso
PMTNA
Spartan Sport Complex
State Farm Insurance
Su Mercadito #2
Safeguard Print
Velen Winery
We Finance Auto Sales
Yak Neigh Health Svc
Yakima Bait Co.
Yakima Housing Authority

February 12, 2022
6-10pm
Parents Night Out
*Free activities for kids up to
age 10.
We will provide pizza &
activities for your kids so you
can enjoy a night off.*
Register by Feb. 10th at:
livingwater-granger.com
225 3rd Ave
Granger, WA 98932

so you can feel safe leaving your kids with us. If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at (509) 854-1781.

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Parents you have had to handle so much lately and Living Water thinks you need a night off. On February 12th we will be offering FREE childcare for kids up to age 10 from 6-10pm so you can enjoy a night out (or in). Living Water is located at 225 3rd Avenue in Granger. We will have pizza and activities for your kids as you head on your way. We ask that you register by February 10th at livingwater-granger.com so we can ensure that we will have ample supplies. Our volunteers have had background checks done

The Granger Farmers Market is over for the season. But it was a good summer for the Market. We had more vendors and higher sales by almost 100%. The Market got a grant to match the SNAP dollars by one to one up to \$20 and this helped our market customers a lot. The grant also included money for a larger utility trailer to carry the canopies and weights, flags, bags, and signs. Now is the time to be thinking about planting some seeds for next year. Seed catalogs are being mailed and there are about 1000 items that we didn't have at the market last summer. Plant some of these and bring starter plants to sell in June 2022 or the produce to the Market all summer – open 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Thursdays from June through September. See you next summer!!

It's almost that time again! We are excited for our online auction coming up March 25th through April 8th. This is a great way to support the Chamber's community involvement. The proceeds of the auction help the Chamber support local businesses, community events, celebrate wonderful people who live and work here, and award a \$1,000 college scholarship to a Granger High School senior. Your support is highly valued and makes a difference in this community. See our website grangerchamber.net for more info on how we support Granger. Here are some ways you can help make this event a success:

- 1. Donate items for the auction.** *It can be something from your business or items that you purchase and contribute.*
- 2. Make a cash donation towards the procurement of auction items.** *You can send your donation to Granger Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 250, Granger, WA 98932 or bring it to our monthly meeting.*
- 3. Spread the word and participate in the auction.** *Once the auction is ready we will have the link ready to share with you. Help us by letting others know about the auction.*

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**ONLINE
AUCTION**
MARCH 25 - APRIL 8