

Hello, everyone. There are a lot of things happening in the coming months, so I'll try to make this brief.

EXCEL Adult Degree Program

L.H. Carpenter Center

January 29, 2009 @ 6:00 pm-8:00 pm

February 5, 2009 @ 6:00 pm-8:00 pm

Deborah VanMeter has been able to push back the start date for Spring classes, so she will be holding two more FREE Information Sessions on Thursday, January 29th, and Thursday, February 5th at 6:00 p.m. She also brings snacks!

Northfield Key Club "Battle of the Bands" Committee Sponsorship Discussion

Northfield Cafeteria

February 9, 2009, 7:00 pm-? (maybe 9:00 pm)

The Northfield's Key Club are handling a Battle of the Bands this early / middle summer to raise funds and awareness for the severe and very real issue of sex trafficking that still exists in this world, surprisingly, even here in the United States.

They are an ambitious group, but need our help. They need equally ambitious adults to volunteer their time and effort to help guide them through the organization of this event.

An eVite on this light discussion / meeting will be sent soon.

We need at least one volunteer per committee:

Marketing - Alyssa Eckerley

- Brochure
- Press Releases
- Radio & Newspaper
- Posters
- Prizes (Businesses)
- Public Relations
- Speaking For Organizations

Bands - Addie Ratcliff

- Recruitment Of Bands
- Band Auditions

- Scheduling
- Band Communication – Who Needs What
- Stage Management
- Bouncer

Venue - Taylor Snavely

- Location
- Set Up
- Tear Down
- Staging
- Capacity
- Communication With Venue
- Technical Needs

Merchandising – Heather Davenport, Erika Easterday

- Band Sales
- Organization Sales
- Food Sales, If Needed

Tech – NEED CHAIR

- Sound (Sound Checks Included)
- Lights
- Other Electrical Intermission (BAHT)

Finance – Tanner McCarty, Ciara Keffaber

- Ticket Sales
- Donations
- Payments
- Budget
- Allocation (Distribution Of Funds To Organizations)

Management – Shannon Brown

- Coordinate Chairs
- Emcee
- Itinerary
- Invitations & Thank Yous To “Big Wigs”

Volunteers – Melissa Newsome, Madison Kroh

- Organization
- Recruitment
- How Many Volunteers Needed, For What
- Call Reminders
- Thank Yous To Volunteers

A Night of Comedy featuring Wabash's Own Michael Palascak

Wabash Middle School Auditorium

February 23, 2009, pre-show @ 6:30 pm, comedy @ 8:00 pm

Tickets: \$5.00, \$3.00 for Students

I and the board are proud to announce that the date and venue have been set for our first major YPN event: A Night of Comedy featuring Wabash's Own Michael Palascak. Due to the charity of our sponsors and the kind Mr. Palascak, we are able to offer this show for the VERY low price of \$5.00 a ticket, \$3.00 a ticket for students.

All pre-sale tickets give you a chance to win one of our fabulous (yes, fabulous) door prizes. Our door prizes this event are a \$100, a \$50, and two \$25 Wabash Chamber certificates, usable at any Wabash Chamber member location. I told you these prizes would be fabulous. Just show up to the show and let us tear your pre-sale ticket. Then, you are eligible for our prize drawings! Only so many pre-sale tickets will be sold, so don't procrastinate.

We have also prepared a special music pre-show from the local band Barely Beating. So it's really a night of comedy AND music. Two shows for one price. Now, ain't that a bargain?

So buy your tickets for you, your family, and your friends! ..although tickets aren't available YET, but we'll be distributing them to the locations below as soon as we have them:

- First Merchants Bank
- State Farm Insurance: The Brian Mallow Agency
- First Farmers Bank & Trust
- Visionary Web
- Wabash County REMC
- City of Wabash
- Wabash Chamber of Commerce
- Economic Development Group of Wabash County

Here is the full flyer to the event:



Young Professionals Network



The Brian Mallow Agency

Presents
A Night of Comedy
Featuring



Wabash's Own
Michael Palascak

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The BOB and TOM



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Musical
Entertainment
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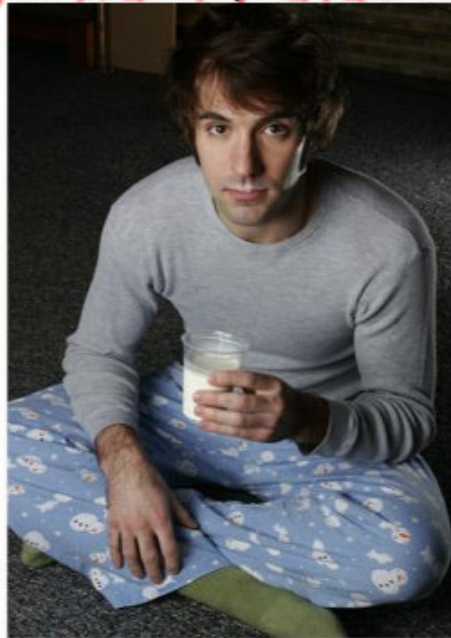


BEATING

Monday, February
23rd 2009
Wabash Middle School
Auditorium
Band Starts at 6:30pm
Comedy Starts at
8:00pm

Adults - \$5.00
Students - \$3.00

Great Door Prizes For
All
Pre-Sale Ticket Holders



www.wabashchamber.org/ypn www.michaelpalascak.com

Get Your Pre-Sale
Tickets At:



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Home & Business Expo 2009

Honeywell Center

February 28, 2009, 10:00 am-6:00 pm

"Your Wabash County Chamber of Commerce is proud to present the Home & Business Expo 2009 — "The Greatest Show on Earth." This exciting event will be held in the Honeywell Center using the gym, Skating Rink and new lobby for exhibit space. Building on the over 2,000 guests we had in attendance last year, we encourage our vendors to use the "Greatest Show on Earth" theme to maximize interaction with potential customers and clients. We encourage interactive displays and demonstrations. We also have plaza and Market Street display space outside for anyone with large items to display — Boats, RVs, Modular Homes, Cars, etc."

We are setting up a booth at this year's expo, and are looking for some volunteers. We are also interested in getting the Northfield Key Club members involved (if they are interested). Once we get more information, we'll send out an eVite.

P.S. You can find all these events without most of my lovely commentary @ <http://wabashchamber.org/ypn/meetings-agendas.php>