



**St. James Chamber of Commerce
2021 Membership Form**

100 State Route B or P.O. Box 358
St. James, MO 65559

Please be sure to return these next 2 pages to the St. James Chamber of Commerce P.O. Box 358, St. James, MO 65559 or by email to director@stjameschamber.net

2021 MEMBER INFORMATION:

Type of Membership: (check one) Individual Business Number of employees _____

Please be sure all information is filled out as you want it to appear in our publications!

Company Name		Phone	
Address		City, State & Zip	
Website		Facebook Page	
1 st Point of Contact		Title	
Email Address		Phone	
2 nd Point of Contact		Title	
Email Address		Phone	

Please list your business category or categories below (Example: Accountant, Book Store, Pharmacy, etc.). Feel free to list more than one category. You can find a complete list of the categories currently in use on the Chamber website at www.stjameschamber.net.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

The Chamber depends on its volunteers to work at the events and serve on committees that are such a vital part in promoting growth to our businesses and community. Please check the line next to those that you would be most interested in volunteering for:

- Opening Trout Day
 Sip N Savor
 4th of July Fireworks
 Grape & Fall Festival
 Helping Heroes
 Christmas Parade
 Golf Tournament
 Marketing & Tourism
 STJ Concert Series
 Board of Directors
 Merchants/Membership Committee

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

GFF Sponsorships	Silver \$250	Gold \$500	VIP Corporate \$1,000	Platinum \$2,000	Elite \$3,000
1 Year Free Web Ad on GFF webpage					
Sponsor Recognition on GFF FB page					
Booth space at the festival or street market					
Display your own banner at the event					
Mention of sponsorship in press releases					
Promotion of Business in E-newsletter					
AD space at the Tourist Information Center				8X 10	10X13
Business included on banner in the parade					
Logo on the back of season pass					
Season passes	2	2	4	6	6

4th of July: All sponsors will be recognized under the categories listed below on a banner displayed at the event. If any advertising or marketing is done for this event, sponsors will be recognized where appropriate.

FINAL STEP:

Having completed the forms, finish with selecting your membership level and select any of the sponsorship opportunities you would like to participate in. Please mail these forms in with your payment.

Membership Level (select one):			Amount
	Tier 1 (5 or fewer employees) & non-profit (C3, C6 or tax exempt)	\$100.00	
	Tier 2 (6-11 employees)	\$150.00	
	Tier 3 (11-49 employees)	\$200.00	
	Tier 4 (50 or more employees)	\$275.00	
	Individual (not affiliated with a business)	\$30.00	
	Senior Citizen (not affiliated with a business)	\$15.00	
Sponsorship Levels:			
Grape & Fall Festival			
	Silver (\$250)	Gold (\$500)	VIP Corporate (\$1000)
	Platinum (\$2000)	Elite (\$3000)	
4th of July			
	Bronze (\$100)	Silver (\$250)	Gold (\$500) (Logo on the banner)
Total Amount:			

Note: A receipt will be created and sent to you for any sponsorship funds you have added to your dues.

Company Name: _____ **Signature:** _____ **Date** _____



Thank you for your membership in the St. James Chamber of Commerce!

The growth we have seen in our community has been extremely exciting and we are thrilled to be working with our Chamber members as we continue exploring avenues to further promote our community, its supporting businesses, and our surrounding area. The activities and functions sponsored by the Chamber are planned to showcase our community, and to ultimately benefit our businesses.

Several special events are held each year to promote St. James and to draw visitors to the community. In 2021, the Chamber will sponsor the following activities: the annual Membership Dinner, Sip n' Savor, the 1st Annual Chamber Golf Tournament, Fourth of July Fireworks, Grape and Fall Festival, the Helping Our Heroes Community Challenge, and the annual Christmas Parade featuring a visit from Santa Claus! In addition to these events, the Chamber will provide support to the James Foundation for the following activities: Trout Season Opening Day and Kid's Fishing Day. Additional events may be planned as the year progresses.

Another special event overseen by the Chamber are ribbon-cuttings for business Grand Openings and Milestones. Throughout the year, evening dinners and social events are hosted by the Chamber in conjunction with our local businesses to provide opportunities for our membership to network and come together as a part of the community. Quarterly luncheons, featuring our local restaurants, offer yet another chance for our members to gather and share what is going on around town. Guest speakers provide education and entertainment at these functions. Our annual Awards Dinner allows us to recognize many community members with awards such as: Outstanding Organization, Business of the Year, Citizen of the Year, Future Leader, Chamber Volunteer of the Year, and a Lifetime Achievement Award. These award winners are submitted by the community, then voted on by our Executive Board to honor those who stand out in our community.

As the Chamber expands its efforts to market St. James and the surrounding area, we are also hoping to continue increasing our membership. There is no better time to join the Chamber or invite others to join, participate in the growth of St. James, and to have your voices heard. Chamber members receive many benefits as part of their membership – including, but not limited to reduced advertising rates at the Tourist Information Center and shared-expense advertising with the Chamber. This year, the Chamber is printing a new Membership directory wherein members may purchase additional advertising spots from the printer and further feature your business to its distribution. Our website www.stjameschamber.net works as a customizable tool for each member business to update and a community calendar to submit special events you would like featured. The Chamber Facebook page (www.facebook.com/STJChamber) promotes local events, with the focus of bringing more people to our town. For those interested, make sure to inquire about the cost-saving MEWA Group Health Insurance plan offered through the Missouri Chamber Federation.

Without the efforts of our individual community members and our businesses working together, we would not have the successful events that continue to promote St. James as a tourist destination. Whether you are an individual or business, we invite you to join us in 2021 as we work together to promote our community and the surrounding area. For more information, please feel free to call the Tourist Information Center at 573-265-6649 or email director@stjameschamber.net.

Again, we thank you for your membership in the St. James Chamber of Commerce. We look forward to working with you to better our community.

Sincerely,

The St. James Board of Directors