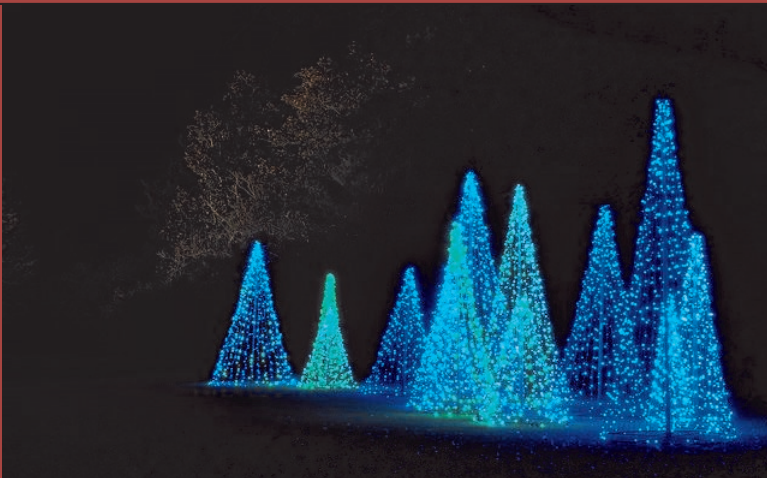


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Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of Commerce December 2014

Serving Tillman's Corner, Theodore, Irvington, and the Greater Mobile Area

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“In Step With Progress”

Our Chamber’s mission is, to foster, promote, advance, and improve the civic commercial and general business interests of Tillman’s Corner and the surrounding areas and to cooperate with other communities promoting objectives for the improvement of our business and the welfare of our community.



5055 Carol Plantation Rd.
Mobile, AL 36619

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New Horizons Credit Union

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www.tillmanscornerchamber.com

Message from the President



We want to thank our November Speaker Richard Lindsey of Zevac and Lindsey, CPA for enlightening us on new laws and guidelines that must be followed in the upcoming Tax Year.

A primary goal of the Chamber is to help promote area businesses to support and grow our community. We are always looking for new ideas to make this happen. If you have any suggestions please feel free to bring them to our attention.

We want to encourage you to take a few minutes to view our website and “Like Us” on Facebook. They are great tools to keep abreast of what’s happening at the Chamber and perhaps you may see a picture of your company being featured for the month.

We are looking forward to seeing you at the holiday festivities on December 6th at the Community Center. The Breakfast with Santa begins at 8:00 and the Christmas parade will kick-off at 10:00 a.m.

This is a time to give thanks for the Harvest we’ve gathered from the seeds we’ve sown. It’s also a time to reflect on our blessings in having faith, family and friends to help make our lives more fruitful. Let us be mindful of charitable giving during this “season of Thanksgiving”.

Happy Holidays!

“In Step with Progress”

Alesia Davis

December Events

2nd

Lion's Club 12:00-1:00
Lions meet the needs of local communities and the world.
New members are always welcome.
Doyle Patrick 652-8040

3rd

Business Luncheon 11:30am - 1:00pm
Area businesses meet to network with other local businesses.
R.S.V.P. 666-2488

4th

County Line Band of Mobile 7:00 - 10:00pm
Live Country music \$5 donation at the door.
Dumas McLaney 661-5827

6th

Breakfast with Santa 8:00am - 9:00am
Free pancake breakfast for children under 12 and \$5.00
for adults and all others. Free photos with Santa.
Information 666-2488

Christmas Parade 11:30am - 1:00pm
Area businesses and local civic organizations celebrate the
Holiday Season by giving back. Fun for the whole family.
Information 666-2488

11th

Country Sounds Band 7:00 - 10:00pm
Live Country music \$5 donation at the door.
Melvin Farmer 675-4388 or Wayne Goff 895-3554

16th

Lion's Club 12:00-1:00
Lions meet the needs of local communities and the world.
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Doyle Patrick 652-8040

18th

County Line Band of Mobile 7:00 - 10:00pm
Live Country music \$5 donation at the door.
Dumas McLaney 661-5827

24th

Community Center Open 1/2 Day
Closed for the Christmas Holiday

25th

Community Center Closed
Closed for the Christmas Holiday

31st

Community Center Open 1/2 Day
Closed for New Year's Eve

December Luncheon

Let's get together
for some holiday cheer,
for Christmas day is very near!

please join us for our
**December Business
Luncheon**

Wednesday, December 3rd

Area businesses meet to network with
one another. Open forum and swearing
in of 2015 Officers and Board Members.

Lunch provided by Chef Rob.

RSVP by calling 251.666.2488



Luncheon Food Provided By:



Rob Stephens
Executive Chef & Owner

3585 DeSirrah Dr
Mobile, AL 36618
251-382-7497
chefrobstephens@yahoo.com

Menu:

*Sliced Roast Beef w/ gravy
Green Beans w/ baby carrots
Red Bliss Potatoes
House salad w/ trio of
dressings
Rolls
Assorted Desserts
Sweet and Unsweet Tea*

The Luncheon price for members is
\$8.00 and \$10.00 for non members.

Citizen of the Year Nomination

You are invited to nominate a candidate (man/woman) to be honored as this year's Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year. The award will be presented at the Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of Commerce luncheon in December.

ACHIEVEMENT AND NATURE OF SERVICE:

(Submit details, bearing in mind that judging will be based on the following points)

- 1) Contributions to the welfare and betterment of the community.
- 2) Evidence of lasting contribution to the community.
- 3) Participation in community activities and civic enterprises.
- 4) Evidence of personal and business progress.
- 5) Cooperation with individuals and civic organizations.

RULES:

- 1) Award will be conferred for achievements, leadership and service to the community.
- 2) Nominations must be in the Chamber of Commerce Office by December 1st. They must be in writing and signed by the individual or group making the nomination. Seal in an envelope marked "Citizen of the Year", they will be held in the strictest of confidence.
- 3) Selection will be made by a committee.
- 4) Nominee must live in the greater Mobile area.

Stop by and pick up your nomination form so that deserving someone you know can be nominated and possibly the next Citizen of the Year.



EXPRESS PHARMACY



RX Express Pharmacy opened its 6th store at 5638-A Three Notch Rd (next door to First Baptist Church of T.C.) with a Grand Opening on November 10, 2014. The Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of Commerce Board President, Alesia Davis, along with First Vice President, Della Wade, Second Vice President, Donna Abercrombe and Treasurer, Theresa Orrell, were on hand to welcome Pharmacists/Owners, Rick Partridge, R.Ph. his wife, Michelle Partridge. Scott Holston, R.Ph. and their employees, Lauren Pace, Dalton Stewart and Luana Madden, all Pharmacy Techs along with friends and

customers, with a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony.

RX Express's first store opened in 1993 in Pascagoula, MS. Theirs is a small drug store, with a "home town" atmosphere, where they fill prescriptions and get to know their customers on a first name basis. They also offer Flu shots and accept insurance. They are members of a buying club, which gives them the buying power of a large chain drugstore.



GRAND OPENING

WREATHS FOR CHARITY

This is the 2nd annual Wreaths for Charity event sponsored by the Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of Commerce along with local businesses. The wreaths will be made by area schools, churches and civic organizations sold to raise money for families in need. We want to invite you to participate in this event. It is your participation that enables us to raise the funds necessary for our community programs.

Each wreath will be showcased at our December business luncheon and the breakfast with Santa. During which they will be offered for sale. There are no established size guidelines for the wreaths. All wreaths must be artificial and suitable for hanging on a front door or inside a home or business. There will be a committee judging each wreath and prizes will be awarded to winners of each category. Winners are chosen by creativity and keeping with the Christmas Theme.

Thank you for your friendship and support to the Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of Commerce. Together we can make our community a better place. So come out and look at the wreaths and purchases one or more for your home or office.



**Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of
Commerce**

*Breakfast
with Santa*

December 6th 8:00am – 9:00am

5055 Carol Plantation Rd.
Mobile, AL 36619



Children under 12 eat FREE \$5.00 for all persons age 13 and over.

Children will be able to pose for pictures with Santa. So parents feel free to bring your camera. There will also be a photographer on site to take pictures that will be available on our web site:

www.tillmanscornerchamber.com

2014 CHRISTMAS PARADE

Sponsored by:

Tillman's Corner Area Chamber of Commerce

**5055 Carol Plantation Road
Mobile, AL 36619
251-666-2488**

Saturday, December 6, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.

Float sign in will begin at 8:00 am. All floats must be in line by 9:00 am the day of the parade.

**ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED FOR THE
CHRISTMAS PARADE**

NO LATER THAN Wednesday, NOVEMBER 26, 2014

As always, the Chamber sponsors the Santa Claus and asks that no other organization include a Santa Claus on their float. This eliminates confusion with children participating and viewing the parade.

The entry fee for cars, trucks, floats or a group is

\$25.00 and \$5.00 for motorcycles.

If you have any questions regarding the parade, please contact the Tillman's Corner Community Center at 251-666-2488.

Congratulations

To the Star Students

Ava Quinones from Meadowlake Elementary
Peggy Lou Sons from Pearl Haskew Elementary
Lauree Lassere from St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School

And not pictured
Gage Stephens from W. C. Griggs Elementary

Thank you to sponsors of each school.
Mobile Memorial Gardens
Karen Simmons CPA
Holiday Inn 110
Polysurveying



Community Votes Help Win \$60,000

The Walmart Foundation provided \$3 million in funding to the Feeding America network through a social media voting campaign. Bay Area Food Bank along with 127 other Feeding America food banks participating in the campaign. The top 50 food banks with the most votes received a \$60,000 grant in support of their hunger relief initiatives.



We are pleased to announce that because of your votes, we won \$60,000! Thank you to everyone in the community who rallied to make sure we stayed in the top 50, and thank you to the Walmart Foundation for providing this funding. We will use the funds to expand our Cooking Matters Workshops as well as provide an additional 335,000 pounds of food to our most impoverished and rural counties.

This is designed to motivate participants to develop and enhance their leadership skills through this educational process. We will have business men and women to our community mentoring through lectures, field trips and hands on experience. T.A.L.L. will be a three month program and attendance is mandatory. If you know a high school senior who wants to apply then ask them to come by the Community Center and pick up an application.

Applications due by December 12th

T.A.L.L. 
Program
Tillman's Corner Area Learning Leadership

The Community Holiday Events

18th Annual Country

Christmas Festival Open House & Parade of Lights
November 30th and
December 1st Held in the town of Grand Bay

December 1st 6:00 p.m. **38th**

Annual Dog River

Christmas Boat Parade

December 2nd 7:30 p.m. USA
Concert Choir and

University Chorale Holiday Choral Concert

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December 5th Jerrod Nieman
7:00 p.m. Saenger Theater

Magic Christmas in Lights

Bellingrath Gardens Open
thru January 3rd Stroll
through over 3 million
sparkling lights and over
1,000 displays

Christmas Nights of Lights

Hank Aaron Stadium Open
thru January 3rd Drive thru 7
Nights a Week

December 2nd **Lights of Love**

Tree Lighting at USA
Children's & Women's
Hospital 6:00 p.m.

December 9th Tanner Williams
Community Christmas Tree
Lighting 6:30 p.m. at Historic
School Building

December 13th **Christmas on the Bayou**

December 14th **Semmes
Christmas Parade** 10:00
a.m.

December 18th **Trace Adkins**
Saenger Theatre

December 21st 1:30 p.m.

Mobile's Christmas & Holiday Parade

Downtown Mobile

Staff

Executive Director

Tina Poiroux
tpoiroux.tccc@bellsouth.net

Rental Specialist

Serena Cawthon
tillmanscornerco@bellsouth.net

Building Supervisor

Ryan Walker



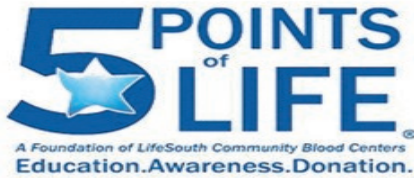
Don't forget to follow us on Facebook for up to date news on the Chamber and Community Center.

Greetings from the Director:



Merry Christmas from the Community Center. We are thrilled to be celebrating the birth of our Savior. I am excited about the upcoming Christmas Parade and the Annual Pancake Breakfast with Santa. Invite all your friends and family to come and have breakfast at the Community Center before the parade and make it a morning of fun for the entire family. We are planning on Santa's arrival in his sled so stop by and see what he has in store for the kid's. Breakfast is a first come first serve basis so come early and get your photo made with Santa and his elves. We will also be selling our beautiful Christmas Wreaths that were donated by students and individuals from the community. All wreaths will be sold for \$25.00 and the proceeds will go to feed needy families in our area. We are also helping many people plan their Christmas Parties so book your date and celebrate the holidays with the help from the Community Center. We are also booking rentals for New Years, so don't put off planning in advance. It's truly going to be a great holiday season and the weather is feeling like a Winter Wonderland already.

Tina Poiroux



LifeSouth Community Blood Centers
Five Points of Life Foundation
4039 Newberry Rd
Gainesville, FL 32607
352-224-1600
www.fivepointsoflife.org

[Kids Marathons](#) | [Race Weekend](#) | [The Five Points](#) | [Donate](#)

Five Points of Life Kids Marathon Mobile in conjunction with the Servis1st Bank First Light Marathon **PRICE INCREASES DECEMBER 1**

Sunday, January 11, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.
NW Corner of Bienville Square
(St. Francis and Conception Streets)

FREE until December 1
\$5.00 until December 31
\$10.00 until event day

Participants will receive the following:
LifeSouth Community Blood Centers bag
Five Points of Life Kids Marathon t-shirt
Five Points of Life Kids Marathon medal
Complimentary items from our sponsors



Packet Pickup

Saturday, January 10 from 12 to 6 p.m. at Mobile Government Plaza - Atrium. If you cannot attend during these hours, race numbers can be picked up prior to the race on Sunday, January 11 beginning at 12 p.m. ([read more](#))



Event Day

Participants need to arrive at the start line at the NW Corner of Bienville Square (St. Francis and Conception Streets) at 1:45 p.m., on January 11, with their race numbers on. ([read more](#))

New Members:

Weinacker's Montessori School
5739 Old Pascagoula Road
Mobile, AL 36619
(251) 653-4707

Carolyn Hunt
6121 Lindholm Dr. S.
Mobile, AL 36693

David Hunt
6121 Lindholm Dr. S.
Mobile, AL 36693

Howell & Associates Insurance
6677 Three Notch Rd., Ste. E
Mobile, AL 36619
(251) 661-3276

Rx Express of Tillman's Corner
5636-A Three Notch Rd.
Mobile, AL 36619
(251) 662-2525

Panera Bread
750 Schillinger Rd.
Mobile, AL 36695
(251)634-9604

Mary Kay Cosmetic - Ruth Robinson
3875 Pelham Dr.
Mobile, AL 36619
(251) 604-6854

Alabama Metal Recycling
5551 Todd Acres Dr.
Mobile, AL 36619
(251) 443-7360

Your participation in the Chamber is what allows us continue to do good works in the community.

Events such as our Christmas Parade and Breakfast with Santa , our Scholarship Program, the First Responders Breakfast and many more are all made possible with your involvement.

So join today and be a part of our community.



**SUPPORT THE
COMMUNITY THAT
SUPPORTS YOU BY
JOINING THE
TILLMAN'S CORNER
AREA CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE.**

For information on
becoming a member
call
251-666-2488.

If you are already a
member, pass the word
along to help promote
our community!

Spotlight Member of the Month:

Southwest Mobile Health Center



(251) 666-7413
5580 Inn Road
Mobile, Alabama 36619



Mission Statement

"The Mission of the Mobile County Health Department is to promote, improve, and protect the health of Mobile County."

- Adolescent Services
- Adult Services
- Family Planning
- Immunizations
- Pediatric Services
- WIC (251) 602-8451



Teresa Taylor

AIM Mail Center #153
6300 Grelot Road, Ste G
Mobile, AL 36609

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F: 251.666.6434

aim153@aimmailcenters.com

Independently Owned and Operated

Christmas
Luminary
Presentation
*A Celebration
in Light*

*Saturday, December 6th,
From 6 to 8 PM*

Please join us...

See the illuminated story of Jesus as told in beautiful Carrara Marble artwork as you wind through the candlelit roadways. From the birth as presented by a live Nativity to the Cross in the Garden of Crucifixion to the statue of the Risen Christ as you enter, it's all there this one special night of the year.

Enter at the traffic signal on Three Notch Rd.



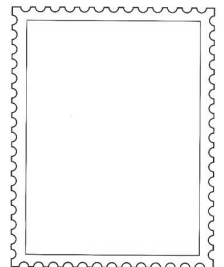
Illuminated features:
Jesus in the Temple
Garden of Gethsemane
The Last Supper
The Transfiguration
Sern on the Mount
The Crucifixion
Plus:
Garden of Devotion
Garden of Peace
Garden of Honor

Rain date: December 13

We are now accepting credit cards for your payment needs.



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& Community Center
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