

# ABOUT TOWN

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## NEWS FROM THE CHAMBER OFFICE

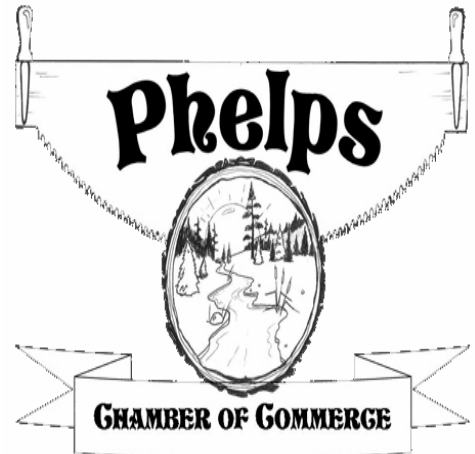
### Upcoming Chamber and Community Events:

June 12th, Community-Wide Rummage-A-Rama

June 20th, Hank Lesniak's "Valley of the Giants" Fishing Tournament

June 26th, "Kick It In Phelps" Kickball Tournament

Watch your email and the Chamber's Website for more details about these events!



Stop in to the Chamber Office and purchase your spot on the official Rummage-A-Rama map. The cost is \$10.00 and includes a yard sign. The deadline to purchase a spot is Monday, June 7, 2010

## A PEEK INSIDE A LOCAL BUSINESS: NAKAPAGLAJA WEB DESIGN

Nakapaglaja Web Design, owned and operated since 2005 by Tuckey Requa, began as recreational therapy, evolved into a hobby and has gradually developed into a small cottage industry. The very strange name is taken from the family cottage, built on Long Lake in 1902 by Tuckey's great grandfather. He named the cabin after his five children, Nancy, Katherine, Patrick, Gladys and Janet and Tuckey borrowed the name for her website design company.

Tuckey is the Computer Technician at the Phelps School and is also employed by NETWORKS Presentations, LLC in Columbia, MD. She began designing websites for local businesses shortly after moving to Phelps in 2005 and now maintains

sites for The Sand Lake Pub, Northlakes Cabins, Jerry's Northwoods Properties, The Great Escape, The Long Lake of Phelps Lake District, North South Twin Lakes Riparian Association, the Phelps Chamber of Commerce and the Town of Phelps. Tuckey can be found at [www.nakapaglaja.net](http://www.nakapaglaja.net) and [www.trequa.com](http://www.trequa.com)

## News and Notes From Chamber Members

*“Sunrise Lodge has been  
fortunate to host...”*

*“American Legion Post  
548 will be....”*

### Sunrise Lodge: What To Do In The Northwoods in April

April is not usually a booming month for Northwoods businesses. Raking, painting, cleaning, etc.. are normal activities for the local business owner. We sometimes have an occasional ice fishermen or summer resident visit Sunrise Loge but the customers and revenues are usually sparse.

Sunrise Lodge has been fortunate to host a couple of Creative Memories Scrap booking retreats the past couple of Aprils and we are currently pursuing birding, bicycling, photography, artist, needlepoint and quilting groups. Sunrise offers a unique package to include lodging, meals, maid service and a facility to spread out to do their crafts. It is the off season so we can offer a low package price and it ends up being a win-win situation. These ladies also spend money at the local shops, bars, winery, casino massage and salon services etc.

The summer months fill themselves but we sometimes need to think outside the box to entice people tri visit our area during other seasons. Business is definitely still not booming in April but any revenue we get to our business and the local area in the off season is definitely appreciated.

### Sand Lake Pub To Host Flag Day Ceremony

Sand Lake Pub will be hosting a flag day ceremony on June 14th at 6:00 p.m. American Legion Post 548 will be retiring old unusable flags. After the ceremony a luncheon will be served at Sand Lake Pub.\There is no cost for the luncheon although a free-will offering is suggested. The money collected will be donated to the American Legion Post. For more information, please call Sand Lake Pub at 715-545-3200.

Please consider submitting an article for our June  
newsletter. Thank you!

# May 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
30	31 Memorial Day					1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 Women's Club Meeting, 1:00 p.m.	18	19 Phelps School Board Meeting 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.	20	21	22
223	224	25 Community Development Committee Mtg. 6:00 p.m.	26	27	28	29

- May 17, Women's Club Meeting 1:00 p.m.
- May 19, Phelps School Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- May 25, Community Development Meeting 6:00 p.m.

# June 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 Chamber Meeting, Town Hall 6:00 p.m.	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 Phelps EMS Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Fire Hall	9 Planning Commission Public Hearing 7:00 p.m.	10	11	12 Community-Wide Rummage-A-Rama 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
13	14 Town Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Fire Hall	15	16 Phelps School Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m.	17 VC Chamber Meeting, 1:00 p.m. St. Germain/Lions Club 6:00 p.m.	18	19
20 Hank-Lesniak's Valley of the Giants Fishing Tournament	21 Women's Club Meeting, Luncheon at Holiday Lodge Noon	22	23	24	25	26 "Kick-It-Phelps" Kickball Tournament
27	28	29 Community Development Committee, 6:00 p.m.	30			

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- June 1, Chamber Meeting, Town Hall 6:00 p.m.
- June 8, Phelps EMS Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Fire Hall
- June 9, Planning Commission Public Hearing, 7:00 p.m.
- May 12, Community-Wide Rummage-A-Rama 9:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- May 14, Town Board Meeting, Town Hall 7:00 p.m.
- May 16, Phelps School Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- May 17, VC Chamber Meeting, St. Germain 1:00 p.m.
- May 17, Lions Club Meeting, 6:00 p.m.
- May 20, Hank Lesniak's Valley of the Giants Fishing Tournament
- May 21, Women's Club Luncheon, Holiday Lodge, Noon
- May 26, "Kick It In Phelps" Kickball Tournament
- May 29, Community Development Meeting, 6:00 p.m.

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NEXT ISSUE:

*June 15*

DEADLINE  
FOR  
"NEWS AND NOTES"  
ARTICLES

*June 12*

## Chamber Office Hours:

Monday: 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Tuesday: 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Closed

Thursday: 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Friday: 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Saturday: 10:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Sunday: Closed

## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT



Chamber Board President, Marti Primich

There is a certain amount of excitement in the air this month as we all begin to notice more activity around town. It is definitely a reminder that summer is just around the corner. Soon there will be visitors from all over looking to enjoy the north woods in many different ways and we will be waiting to provide them with several outlets both individually and as a chamber.

June is a big time for rummage sales after a nice spring cleaning and we try to coordinate those

efforts with Rummage-A-Rama. You should encourage anyone you know to get a spot on the map and be a part of the event. It is also a great opportunity for you to have a sidewalk sale or gift shop closeout sale to get people to visit your business. Why not give it a try?

Later in June we gear up our inner athletes for our Kick it in Phelps kickball tournament. Everyone should try to get a team together and join the competition against local friends and visitors alike.

time is precious and it can be hard to participate in events or attend all of the meetings, but we still would like to hear from you. If you ever have an idea for an event or how to improve an event jot it down and email it to us. We will do our best to make it happen. The more we can do to bring people to Phelps the better it is for all of us.

Respectfully,  
Marti Primich  
Chamber President  
North Twin Lodge

We also know that your