

# THE HASTINGS AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ANNUAL MEETING & AWARDS



02.09.22  
**09<sup>TH</sup> OF**  
**FEBRUARY** CITY AUDITORIUM

# MENU

Mixed greens salad with bacon and glazed pecans and baslamic glaze

Chicken Cordon Bleu with raspberry chipotle sauce

Roasted garlic potatoes

Sugar glazed green beans

Dinner roll

Cheesecake



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## Invocation

Reverend Harold King

## Dinner

## Chamber Recognition

Mikki Shafer, Chamber President

## 2021 Board Report

Mark Funkey, Board Chair  
Central Community College

## 2022 Board Goals

Mat Habrock, Board Chair  
LandMark Implement

## Awards Presentation Video

# AWARD DESCRIPTIONS

**Business of the Year** - This award honors businesses that have made a significant impact on the local community and/or economy in one of three categories: Up to 25 Employees, 26 or more employees, and Non-profit.

**Max Award** - This award began when the LIED IMAX Theatre opened and the intent is to recognize people in our community who have made significant contributions to the Chamber or community in recent months.

**Outstanding Community Service Award** - The Chamber has been presenting its "Outstanding Community Service Award" since 1984. Our award winners have helped write the modern history of Hastings with outstanding credentials in business, education and community service.

**Pioneer Spirit Award** - This award was established to honor companies who have made significant contributions to the community in the areas of leadership and philanthropy for at least the last 20 years.

*Do you know a business or community member that is the perfect fit for one of these awards? Please take the chance to nominate that special person or business who has contributed so much to Hastings, the Chamber of Commerce, and the community!*

# 2021 AWARD WINNERS

## **BUSINESS OF THE YEAR, NON-PROFIT**

*Recipient: enCourage Advocacy Center*

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The Kensington Senior Living & Evergreen Court Memory Care

## **BUSINESS OF THE YEAR - UP TO 25 EMPLOYEES**

*Recipient: Jacobi's Carpet One Floor & Home*

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## **BUSINESS OF THE YEAR - 26 OR MORE EMPLOYEES**

*Recipient: The Kensington Senior Living  
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## **OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD**

*Recipient: Roger & Karen Doerr*

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## **MAX AWARD**

*Recipient: Hastings Police Department*

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## **PIONEER SPIRIT AWARD**

*Recipient: Kully Pipe & Steel Supply, Inc.*

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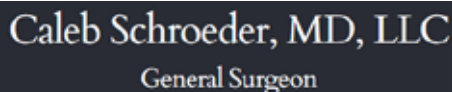
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