

Youngsville Chamber Luncheon 03/12/19 Minutes:

- Prayer & Pledge
- Chief Boudreaux is out of surgery and doing well. As of now, he is planning to attend the coffee tomorrow morning.
- First Assembly is having their 1st Annual Cruisin' for Christ event on Sat, April 20th, 9am-3pm
- We have 6 applications for the Youngsville Chamber Scholarship, the most ever.
- Leadership Youngsville deadline for applications is March 15th. Please get your application in if interested.
- Round Table Introductions
- Mayor Ritter's report - Chemin Metairie Pkwy will be closing for 60 days for resurfacing between Detente and Guillot. Please remember to patronize Cajun Market Meats during this time. Traffic will be allowed to that business during construction. Last night there was an outstanding coaching clinic. Today there is a pre-bid conference for the sand volleyball court at the Youngsville Complex. Looking at a 5 month window for completion. Mardi Gras was a success and the city received some constructive feedback. If you have any suggestions, send them to Mayor Ritter. Ten tons of trash was picked up after the parade. We had inmates working to pick up litter, but the Youngsville Beautification Committee met on Saturday to help in cleaning up the city. Thanks to them. Youngsville now has an active directory and interactive map of business's online on the Youngsville Chamber website.
<https://www.youngvillechamber.org/about-youngville/interactive-map-of-youngville/>
- VFW Gumbo Cookoff – March 30th, 10am-4pm at the Youngsville Sports Complex Recreation Center, \$5 entrance fee, Veterans free with ID
- Youngsville Chamber Banquet-April 9th at 6:00 pm. Hollis Conway is the guest speaker. Mandi Pooler helped to get the speaker. Shannon Bares is heading up the committee. Presenting sponsor is Acadiana Security Plus and City of Youngsville. If you are interested in becoming a Partner in Business, a sponsorship for the banquet or individual tickets, go to our website www.youngvillechamber.org.
- Guest speaker – Lance Strother- LEAD Professionals Group
- The Focal Point Vision Clinic and Optical Ribbon Cutting- this Friday, 3/15 at 4 pm
- Adjourn 12:55