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## January, 2016

This year's Annual Dinner is quickly approaching. Please join us on Monday, January 25th at the [Jefferson Area Business Center](#) for a night of celebration and networking. If you have not R.S.V.P.'d please do so immediately. The cost of attending this year is \$40, which includes: Dinner with a choice of Prime Rib or Chicken Marsala and three raffle tickets. Hope to see you all there.

Also, just a quick reminder that notices for your 2016 dues went out in December, if you have not already renewed your dues please do so as soon as possible. Thanks.

### President's Corner



Happy New Year from the Chamber!

I'm Robin Baker, Director of Marketing for St. Coletta of Wisconsin and I'm happy to serve as the Board President for the next 12 months.

A big thank you goes out to Gail Vogel, former President, for all the hard work and dedication she has given to the board in 2015. Your new Executive Committee consists of myself, Jim Pratt (JDP HVAC) as President-Elect and Julia Chady (INDECO Interior Design Company) as the Vice President. If you have a comment or concern regarding the Chamber, please don't hesitate to contact us. We are here to serve the businesses in our community and your membership is important to us.

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### Events

**January 23, 2016**

[Council for the Performing Arts](#)

presents **Jenn Bostic** at 7PM. Jenn is a Minnesota native, currently living in Nashville, Tennessee. She has performed across the United States, as well as the United Kingdom, including venues such as The

The Chamber had a busy holiday season with both the Santa House and the Jefferson Lights Parade having another successful year. We are thankful to all the businesses, service organizations and community members who participated in the parade because without you, this could not be possible! Also, a special thanks goes out to all the volunteers who worked the Santa House, our cookie sponsors Subway and Kwik Trip and to Amanda Damp for the coordinator of both events.

As most of you know our past director, Janet Werner, retired back in November and the Board has spent many hours dedicated to finding a candidate that will not only carry the Chamber into the future but will focus on growing the value of the services we provide to our members. I'm happy to report that we have an accepted offer for the position and we will be announcing this individual soon.

Stay warm this winter season and stay tuned next month for more details.

See you all at the Annual Chamber Dinner on Monday, January 25<sup>th</sup>!

Sincerely,

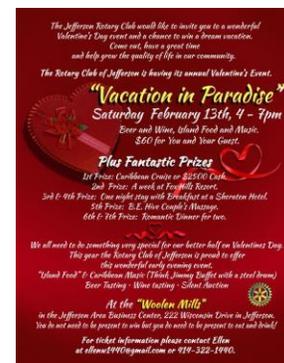
Robin Baker

**Santa House**

Grand Ole Opry, The Ryman Auditorium, The Bluebird Cafe and Jazz at Lincoln Center, and she has opened for artist such as The Band Perry, Randy Travis and Christian Kane. Jenn's emotive songwriting and powerful vocals have been touching hearts around the world.

**February 13, 2016**

**[Jefferson Rotary Club](#)**



**February 14, 2016**

**Cab Rides for the Elderly**

**All-U-Can-Eat Breakfast**

Serving from 8:00 a.m. till Noon at the VFW-1420 S. Main St., Jefferson. Tickets: \$6 in advance, \$7 at the door. Kids 5 & under eat FREE. Tickets available at Jefferson financial institutions or River Crest Apartments.

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# Santa House

Thank you to Xcel for being the Home for the Santa House again this year.

The decorations looked like a winter wonderland.



The Santa Train never looked so good.

We appreciate all of the wonderful helpers we had throughout the month of

December.

This year 257 kids came to visit with Santa and tell him their wish list. Santa hopes you all had a great Christmas.

See you next year!!

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