



May Newsletter

Enjoy Art, Food, Wine & Music: Art on Main!

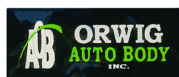
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JUNE 4 & 5, 2022



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May Spotlight: Graham Health System!



Canton Main Street is pleased to announce Graham Health System as the May Spotlight of the Month!

In 1909, Alice and Carol Graham gifted the original structure of the hospital to the community. It was their belief a hospital was needed to better serve the Canton community. Since then, Graham Hospital has continually grown into the progressive comprehensive Health System we know today.

[Read More!](#)

Giving back to the community!



Helping Hands Resale Shoppe gives away \$10,590 for the month of April! The Canton Area Heritage Center among the recipients!

Organizations receiving funds are as follows: Cuba Elementary & Youth Life: represented by Linda Ford; Canton Area Heritage Center: Jim Morgan; Health & Wellness Center: Missy Kolowski; and Stingers Wrestling: Chase Holloway.

Follow them on Facebook!

White Oaks Sports Bar Summer Concert Series! Sushi Roll May 21st!!



A poster for the Miller Lite Presents Summer Concert Series. The title 'SUMMER CONCERT SERIES' is in large, bold, multi-colored letters (yellow, black, red). Above it, 'Miller Lite PRESENTS' is written. To the left is a red electric guitar, and to the right is a pair of headphones and a can of Miller Lite. Below the title, it says 'AT WHITE OAKS IN CANTON'. The schedule lists five dates and corresponding acts: May 21st (Sushi Roll), June 24th (Fool House), July 16th (Off the Wall), Aug. 13th (Brushville), and Sept. 3rd (Hairbangers Ball). The bottom section features logos for various sponsors.

Miller Lite PRESENTS
SUMMER CONCERT SERIES
AT WHITE OAKS IN CANTON

MAY 21ST	—	SUSHI ROLL
JUNE 24TH	—	FOOL HOUSE
JULY 16TH	—	OFF THE WALL
AUG. 13TH	—	BRUSHVILLE
SEPT. 3RD	—	HAIRBANGERS BALL

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Holiday Light Show coming this year!



LINDSEY LIGHTSHOW COMING TO BIG CREEK PARK!

**Volunteer
Workshop**
May 21st
10am-Noon
Baker Center
Big Creek Park



**THE CANTON CHAMBER HAS TEAMED UP WITH THE
LINDSEY'S TO CREATE A NEW HOLIDAY LIGHT SHOW
FOR CANTON AND WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO HELP!**



Questions?
Contact the Canton
Chamber at 647-2677

*Seeking volunteers to help
with assembling lights,
hanging lights, and
maintaining lights*

**Become a member of Canton Main
Street today!**



MEMBERSHIP...

Become a business,
organization, or
individual member!

Become a board
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of our committees!



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Starting a new business?
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and connections to help
you get started!



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EVENTS...

Sponsor one, some or
all of our events; receive
advertising in return!

Volunteer through
planning or working at
one of our events!

[CMS Membership Form](#)

**A Message from the Spoon River
Partnership for Economic Development
(SRPED)...**

Fulton County Small Business COVID-19 Relief

Grant Program Outcomes

The snapshots of information listed below were pulled from the presentation given to the Fulton County Board members on May 10th, 2022.

Application & Award Overview

Applications were accepted by SRPED for the FCSBG Program from

February 14th, 2022 – March 31st, 2022 at 5 p.m.

Overview

Total Applicants – 80

Total Grant Awards – 63

Total Funding – \$757,500

Most Common Grant Amount – \$15,000

17 Applications Not Funded

8 Applicants – Received grant funding that excluded them from having a decrease in gross revenue of \$2,500 or more.

6 Applicants – Did not meet the program eligibility guidelines.

3 Applications – Deemed to be fraudulent.

The Fulton County Small Business COVID-19 Relief Grant Program made a significant impact for our Fulton County business owners. Take the time to thank a county board member for their support and efforts on this dynamic program. – Cole McDaniel

Industry Breakdown

- Bar/Restaurant/Food Service – 19
- Retail - 10
- Service – 15
- Health/Fitness - 3
- Agricultural - 1
- Tourism - 7
- Nonprofit - 7
- Manufacturing/Industrial - 1

Grant Awards by Location

32 - Canton
13 - Lewistown
6 - Cuba
2 - Farmington
2 - Banner
1 - Bernadotte
1 - Vermont
1 - Ipava
1 - Norris
1 - Fairview
2 - "Fulton County"



SRPED is dedicated to serving as a catalyst for economic and community development. Our mission is to create community partnerships, business opportunities, and implement programs and projects that foster growth and development.

[SRPED Website](#)



President: Dana Smith
Carol Kohler, Eric Duffield, Jason Coulter, Kevin Stephenson, Barry Blackwell, Ryan Spangler, and Jodi Wilcoxon.

Staff Members: Cole McDaniel and Amanda Woodruff

Canton Main Street is committed to the revitalization and preservation of Canton's historic downtown by promoting a positive community image, fostering downtown business growth and development, and encouraging ongoing efforts to improve the heart of our community.

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