

Pulling Together for Growth and Support

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Upcoming Events:

March 2 from 6-8pm the Willard Healthcare Center will offer a cooking class

A \$10 fee will be charged, which will benefit the Alzheimer's Association




The Chamber Welcomes Your Elected:

President: Linda Walton
Vice President: Jim Ludban
Trustees: Cinda Bretz-Wallace;
Joshua Gerber

From the Director:

A special thanks to Caid McKinley of

Choice One Realty  for providing the Chamber with a copy of an interview that took place in Downtown

Willard in 1947. A radio personality named "Old Grandpa" Berry came to Willard and interviewed the Director of the Chamber of Commerce and other residents concerning Willard. The interview sheds light on Willard in 1947. It is especially neat to here the high school band play and to hear talk of the former "Willard Ice House." To hear the interview, go to our website:

www.willardareachamber.com and click on



the record . It will be well worth your time and the interview is only about 14 minutes.

In other news, I have attached a survey that I hope you will take the time to fill out so that I can hear from the most important person, you the business owner. The Chamber is working to gather information so that changes can be made where they need to be. You can send the survey back by mail or email. If you have any questions, please contact me as always: 419-935-1888 or willardareachamber@yahoo.com

Ricky Branham
Executive Director