



From the President...

Dear Members,

As announced last month, the Fall Parade of Homes will not be held this year. While we're disappointed not to showcase your incredible work this season, we're already looking ahead with excitement to the possibility of hosting a **Spring or Fall Parade** in 2026. If you're interested in featuring your craftsmanship in next year's event, please reach out to Kristie at dbqhba115@gmail.com or call 563.582.4553 to express your interest.

Back by popular demand! Our second annual **Hockey Night Out** returns on **Friday, January 30th** featuring the Dubuque Fighting Saints and the Cedar Rapids RoughRiders. This is a family-friendly event—a great way to enjoy an evening out with loved ones and connect with fellow members in a relaxed, spirited setting. More details will be shared in future communications, so stay tuned!

We also hope to see you at our **Holiday Party** on **Thursday, December 11th** at the Diamond Jo Casino! We have a lot to celebrate—our organization has grown by welcoming 17 new companies as members, we hosted an extremely successful golf outing with over 300 people enjoying dinner together after a day on the course, and we saw record participation at the most attended Trap Shoot in years. The official invitation is included in this month's newsletter—be sure to RSVP and join us as we wrap up the year in style.

Thank you for your continued support and engagement. We're grateful for the community we've built together and look forward to all that's ahead.

If you have news or updates you'd like to share with our group, we'd love to hear from you! Feel free to email us at dbqhba115@gmail.com—we're always happy to pass along member highlights and announcements to the full membership.

Regards,

Brian Bowles
Board President



Key Dates...

October 2025...

Monday, October 6th,
Board Meeting

November 2025...

Monday, November
3rd, Board Meeting

Friday, November 21st
- Holiday Party RSVP
due

December 2025...

Monday December 1,
Board Meeting

Thursday, December
11th, Holiday Party

Upcoming Sponsorship Opportunities



Christmas Party - December 11th

- Platinum Sponsor (limited to 1 sponsor) ~ \$1000 **SOLD**
- Gold Sponsor ~ \$500 includes 2 tickets
- Dessert Sponsor ~ \$400 includes 2 tickets
- Appetizer Sponsor ~ \$300
- Give Away Basket Sponsor ~ \$50

Hockey Game - January 30th

- Power Play Sponsor (limited to 1 sponsor) ~ \$500 includes 4 complimentary tickets, & company logo on each household ticket envelope picked up from will call.
- Hat Trick Sponsor ~ \$300 includes 2 tickets
- Goal Sponsorship ~ \$200 includes 2 tickets



Sponsoring our events puts your brand at the heart of a thriving community—driving visibility, goodwill, and meaningful connections that last beyond the night.

Contact Kristie @ dbqhba115@gmail.com for details and to secure your spot.



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Mission Statement..

Dubuque Homebuilders and Associates is a non-profit trade organization formed to promote and enhance the professionalization of home building and associated businesses in the tristate area. Our goal is to achieve continuity and communication among builders, sub-contractors, suppliers, financial institutions and local government to network for community growth and development

2025 PARADE OF HOMES



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SAVE THE DATE

Family Event



**DUBUQUE
FIGHTING SAINTS**

Friday,

JANUARY 30, 2026

7:05 PM PUCK DROP



From the Dubuque Area Chamber of Commerce:
We are happy to introduce: "Let's Unpack That"
Join the Dubuque Area Chamber for the "Let's Unpack That"
"where we dive into the issues shaping Dubuque's business community - and explore what they mean for tomorrow."
For the first episode, we sat down with our partner, Rick Dickinson, CEO of Greater Dubuque Development, to talk about the future of air service in our region. From connecting Dubuque to the world to what's next for local business and workforce, this is a conversation you don't want to miss."
To listen to this episode, or any of their following episodes, search "Let's Unpack That Dubuque" on youtube.

2026

GREATER DUBUQUE
Home & Builders Show

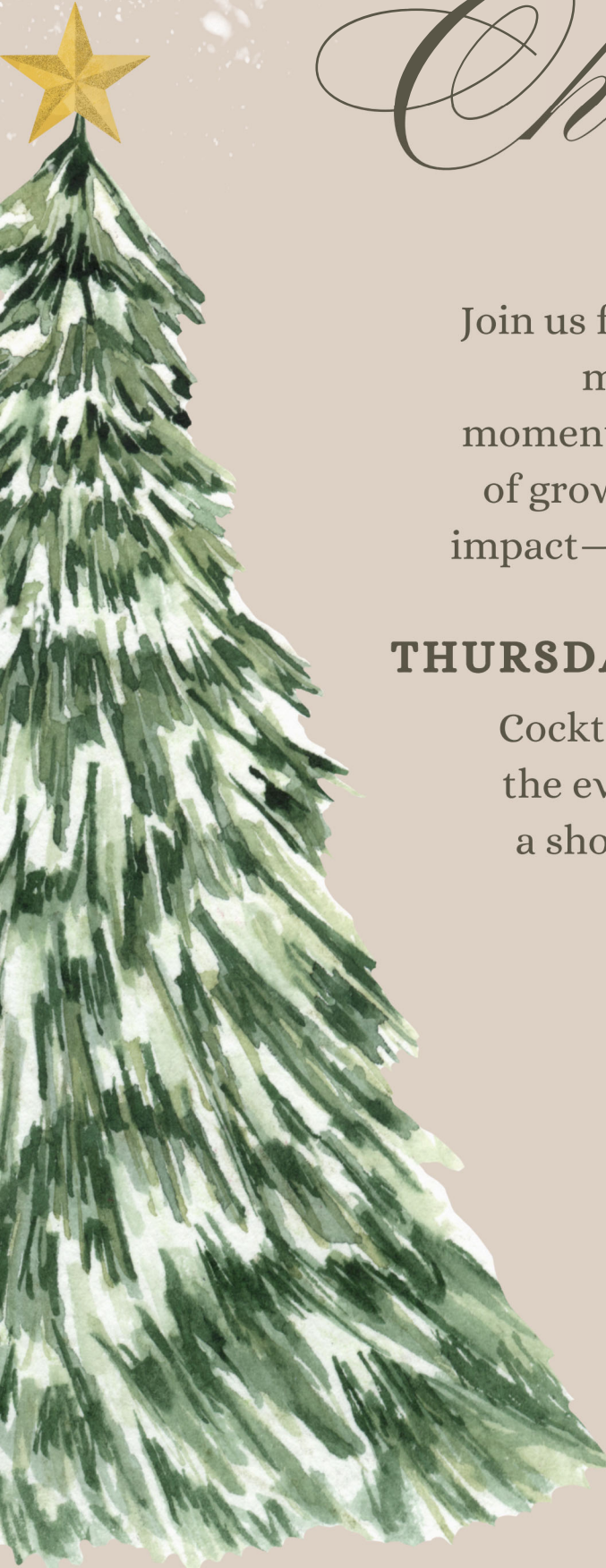
February 13-15 at Grand River Center

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Email Lisa@events-inc.com for more details!



Get ready to jingle and mingle!
DUBUQUE HOMEBUILDERS & ASSOCIATES

Christmas

PARTY

Join us for a night filled with festive cheer,
meaningful connections, and merry
moments. Let's celebrate a successful year
of growth, collaboration, and community
impact—alongside the magic of the season.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11TH, 2025

Cocktails and appetizers at six o'clock in
the evening, dinner at seven o'clock and
a short program immediately following

DIAMOND JO CASINO

Harbor Room

301 Bell Street,
Dubuque, IA 52001

RSVP information on the back.

DUBUQUE HOMEBUILDERS & ASSOCIATES

Christmas Party Invitation

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11TH, 2025 6PM-11PM DIAMOND JO CASINO HARBOR ROOM
COMPANY: _____

CONTACT: _____ PHONE: _____

Dinner will be served buffet style. Please list guest names in your group. Tables are up to 10 guests per table, and a complete table can be reserved below. Please print clearly.

Reservations are due to Kristie at dbqhba115@gmail.com on or before
Friday, November 21, 2025. RSVPs can also be mailed to Dubuque
HomeBuilders and Associates, PO Box 1352, Dubuque, IA 52004-1352.



Name	Name	Name

Should you wish to sit with a specific guest not listed above, please indicate below (name and company) & we will do our best to accommodate your request.

Total Number of Guests: _____ x \$45 each = \$ _____

Total Number of Tables (up to 10 at each): _____ X \$400 each = \$ _____

_____ I would like to be a **Gold Sponsor** (includes 2 tickets): \$500

_____ I would like to be a **Dessert Sponsor** (includes 2 tickets): \$400

_____ I would like to be an **Appetizer Sponsor**: \$300

Number of **Giveaway Basket Sponsorships**: _____ X \$50 each = \$ _____

Total Sponsorship: \$ _____

GRAND TOTAL: \$ _____

All sponsorships include **signage** at the event, **newsletter** mention and **social media** shout out.

NO REFUNDS AFTER NOVEMBER 21, 2025



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