

## Calendar of Events

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February 8, 2026

**2026 MCHS Speaker Series: Wilbert Glasper**

**Main Street Community Center**

**1003 North Main Street**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**2PM**

Cindy Reinhardt, 618-656-1294

cindy.reinhardt@madcohistory.org

*The first MCHS Speaker Series of 2026 will be held on Sunday, February 8 at 2 p.m. at the Main Street Community Center in Edwardsville, Illinois. Wilbert Glasper will provide a program entitled "Are We on the Right Bus?" which will describe what it was like for Glasper and his brother, Allen, as they went through desegregation in the 1950s.*

February 10, 2026

**Business Book Club: Find Your Unicorn Space by Eve Rodsky (SESSION 3)**

**Ed/Glen Chamber Office**

**1 North Research Drive**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**12:00 PM - 01:00 PM CST**

Katie, 618-656-7600

membership@edglenchamber.com

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*Session 1 (January 27)*

*How To Identify Your Unicorn Space Using The Three C's Framework*

*Session 2 (February 3)*

*How To Give Yourself Permission & Set Boundaries*

*Session 3 (February 10)*

*How To Move Through Connection & Completion*

February 11, 2026

**Metro East Humane Society Giveback Day at EXO**

**EXO**

**2 157 Center**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**10:00 AM - 10:00 PM CST**

**EXO ,**

events@visitexo.com

*Share some X's and O's with shelter pets during this giveback day at EXO. Visit EXO on February 11 and 10% of all med spa, nail bar & food/beverage purchases will be donated to the Metro East Humane Society. Appointments and walk-ins welcome. DJ Swag will be playing music from 3-8PM.*

February 13, 2026

**Grey Goose Cocktail Class**

**Sav-On Liquor & Wine**

**6100 Center Grove Road**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**06:00 PM - 08:00 PM CST**

*With Valentine's Day right around the corner, we'd love to invite you to a fun and flavorful way to celebrate early—a Grey Goose Cocktail Class featuring Berry Rouge, hosted at Sav-On Liquor & Wine and led by the Illinois Bacardi Market Manager.*

*This interactive class is the perfect pre-Valentine's outing, whether you're planning a date night, a night out with friends, or looking for cocktail inspiration to impress at home. You'll learn essential mixology techniques, flavor-pairing tips, and expert tricks for crafting beautifully balanced Grey Goose cocktails.*

February 14, 2026

**3rd Annual Second Chance Dance: Hearts for Hunger**

**The Ink House**

**117 North 2nd Street**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**06:00 PM - 11:00 PM CST**

*Get ready for an unforgettable evening of connection, celebration, and community magic. This annual fundraising gala, hosted by the Glen-Ed Pantry, brings together generous hearts and compassionate leaders to support a mission that matters: ensuring no neighbor goes hungry.*

*Hearts for Hunger blends elegance with purpose — featuring a beautiful dinner, lively dancing, a chance to give, and meaningful moments that remind us why we show up for one another.*

*For 45 years, the Glen-Ed Pantry has stood beside families throughout our region, providing food, dignity, and hope. With your sponsorship or ticket purchase, you help continue that legacy -creating full plates, full hearts, and a stronger community for all.*

February 17, 2026

**Main Street Community Center Giveback Day at EXO**

**EXO**

**2 157 Center**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**10:00 AM - 10:00 PM CST**

**EXO,**

**events@visitexo.com**

*Grab your gal pals, experience the ultimate in self-care and support a great organization in our community - all at one time! Visit EXO on February 17 and 10% of all med spa, nail bar & food/beverage purchases will be donated to the Main Street Community Center. Appointments and walk-ins welcome.*

February 19, 2026

**Business After 4 @ SIUE Athletics w/ First Community Credit Union**  
**Cougar Pavilion (second floor of First Community Arena)**  
**Circle Drive, SIUE Campus**  
**Edwardsville, IL 62026**

04:00 PM - 06:00 PM CST

*The February 2026 Business After 4 (BA4) is hosted by First Community Credit Union & SIUE Athletics.*

*Attendance at all BA4 events is included in your Ed/Glen Chamber membership investment. On the third Thursday of each month, we invite you to mingle and build rewarding relationships with fellow business leaders.*

*Bring plenty of business cards, and be ready to expand your business network! Announcements, a message from our host(s) and business card giveaway will occur after 5:15PM.*

February 21, 2026

**2026 Heart & Soul Gala**

**The Regency**  
**400 Regency Park**  
**O'Fallon, IL 62269**

06:00 PM - 10:00 PM CST

Ashlynn White, 6186881173

ashlynn.white@caritasfamily.org

*Caritas Family Solutions invites you to join us for a special celebration dedicated to creating healthy relationships, loving homes and stronger communities.*

*We can't wait to share the tremendous impact Caritas has had on our neighbors and community over the past year. With your support we can provide the services that help families, children, adults and seniors receive the care and refuge they need to live fulfilled lives.*

*This year we honor the clients who courageously move forward and the staff who walk beside them. Together they create moments of transformation that ripple across families and communities.*

*We're not just telling stories. We're living them together.*

February 26, 2026

**Ribbon Cutting @ Narwhal's Crafted of Edwardsville**  
**Narwhal's Crafted of Edwardsville**  
**400 North Main Street, Suite A**  
**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

03:00 PM - 03:30 PM CST

Katie Haas, 618-656-7600

membership@edglenchamber.com

*Celebrating the grand opening with owners Shawn and Ashley Beach!*

February 27, 2026

**Table for 10 @ EXO Lounge**

**EXO Lounge**

**2 157 Center**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST

Katie, 618-656-7600

membership@edglenchamber.com

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*This session will be co-hosted by Lori James with Spectrum Reach.*

March 7, 2026

**Junior Service Club's Masquerade Casino Soirée**

**The Ink House**

**117 North 2nd Street**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

06:00 PM - 10:00 PM CST

*The Masquerade Casino Soirée is an evening for supporters and friends of the Edwardsville and Glen Carbon community to come together for an exciting evening of giving back.*

March 14, 2026

**ARTini**

**Leclaire Room at the N.O. Nelson Campus**

**600 Troy Road**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

06:00 PM - 10:00 PM CST

Beth Browne, 618-655-0337

director@edwardsvilleartscenter.com

*ARTini presented by The Edwardsville Arts Center is a signature night where art meets mixology—local restaurants create one-of-a-kind cocktails inspired by original artwork, and you get to sip, sample, and vote for your favorites. It's bold, creative, and always a good time.*

*Your ticket supports EAC's mission to connect our community through the arts and helps make programs like art classes, exhibitions, outreach events, ARTEAST, and the Edwardsville Arts Fair possible throughout the year.*

*General Admission tickets (\$115) provide 8- 3oz drink tickets and appetizers. Standing room only.*

*VIP tickets (\$150) 8- 3oz drink tickets and appetizers, and a reserved seat. Limited availability.*

*All attendees must be 21+*

*USE THE CODE EARLYBIRD TO GET \$15 OFF OF THE TICKET PRICE! Expires Feb 15.*

March 19, 2026

**Annual Celebration of Business - General Admission**

**The Ink House**

**117 North Second Street**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**06:00 PM - 08:00 PM CST**

**office@edglenchamber.com**

*This annual celebration of business is the highlight of the Ed/Glen Chamber's year. It is an opportunity to celebrate the chamber's achievements, our vibrant business community, and present the Albert Cassens Award for Outstanding Community Achievement, the Lifetime Achievement Award, and the Tallerico Leadership Award. Business of the Year Awards are also presented.*

*5:30pm - Sponsors Welcome*

*6:00pm - General Admission Guests Welcome*

*\$150 - General Admission Entry Per Person (Table Seating)*

*CALL 618-656-7600 OR EMAIL [membership@edglenchamber.com](mailto:membership@edglenchamber.com) TO SECURE YOUR GALA SPONSORSHIP (INFO BELOW)*

April 7, 2026

**Business Book Club: Never Eat Alone by Keith Ferrazzi (SESSION 1)**

**Ed/Glen Chamber Office**

**1 North Research Drive**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**12:00 PM - 01:00 PM CST**

**Katie, 618-656-7600**

**[membership@edglenchamber.com](mailto:membership@edglenchamber.com)**

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*Session 1 (April 7)*

*How To Build Strategic Relationships Without Feeling Salesy*

*Session 2 (April 14)*

*How To Expand Your Network Beyond Your Comfort Zone*

*Session 3 (April 21)*

*How To Maintain Relationships That Matter Over Time*

April 14, 2026

**Business Book Club: Never Eat Alone by Keith Ferrazzi (SESSION 2)**

**Ed/Glen Chamber Office**

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**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

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April 16, 2026

**Business After 4 @ (DATE AVAILABLE)**

**TBD**

**04:00 PM - 06:00 PM CST**

*The April 2026 Business After 4 (BA4) is available for booking! If you're interested in hosting, contact Katie at 618-656-7600.*

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**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

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April 24, 2026

**Table for 10 @ Busy Body Meals**

**Busy Body Meals**

**1010 Enclave Boulevard, Suite B**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST**

**Katie, 618-656-7600**

**membership@edglenchamber.com**

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May 21, 2026

**Business After 4 @ (DATE AVAILABLE)**

**TBD**

04:00 PM - 06:00 PM CST

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May 29, 2026

**Table for 10 @ 1818 Chophouse**

**1818 Chophouse**

**6170 Bennett Drive, Suite A**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST

Katie, 618-656-7600

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June 18, 2026

**Business After 4 @ (DATE AVAILABLE)**

**TBD**

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July 10, 2026

**Table for 10 @ Clean Eatz**

**Clean Eatz**

**316 South Buchanan Street**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST**

**Katie, 618-656-7600**

**membership@edglenchamber.com**

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July 16, 2026

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August 11, 2026

**Business Book Club: Burnout by Emily & Nagoski (SESSION 1)**

**Ed/Glen Chamber Office**

**1 North Research Drive**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**12:00 PM - 01:00 PM CST**

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*Session 1 (August 11)*

*How To Build Complete The Stress Cycle*

*Session 2 (August 18)*

*How To Combat 'Human Giver Syndrome'*

*Session 3 (August 25)*

*How To Redefine Success & 'Enough'*

August 18, 2026

**Business Book Club: Burnout by Emily & Nagoski (SESSION 2)**

**Ed/Glen Chamber Office**

**1 North Research Drive**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

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August 20, 2026

**Business After 4 @ (DATE AVAILABLE)**

**TBD**

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August 21, 2026

**Table for 10 @ Twisted Biscuit Brunch Company**

**Twisted Biscuit Brunch Company**

**1071 South IL Route 157**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST

Katie, 618-656-7600

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August 25, 2026

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September 17, 2026

**Business After 4 @ Heartland Bank and Trust Company**

**Heartland Bank and Trust Company**

**10 Terra Verde**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**04:00 PM - 06:00 PM CST**

*The September 2026 Business After 4 (BA4) is hosted by Heartland Bank and Trust Company.*

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October 9, 2026

**Table for 10 @ Peel Wood Fired Pizza**

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**32 South IL Route 157**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

**11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST**

**Katie, 618-656-7600**

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October 15, 2026

**Business After 4 @ 1st MidAmerica Credit Union**

**TBD**

**04:00 PM - 06:00 PM CST**

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November 13, 2026

**Table for 10 @ Edley's Bar-B-Que**  
**Edley's Bar-B-Que**  
**2392 South IL Route 157**  
**Glen Carbon, IL 62034**  
11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST  
Katie, 618-656-7600  
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December 17, 2026

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**TBD**

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