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Rock Koshkonong Business Association Membership Information and Benefits

About the Rock Koshkonong Business Association

The Rock Koshkonong Business Association was established in 2011 to support the efforts of the local Chambers of Commerce to promote the Rock Koshkonong area. RKBA seeks to be the lead representative in promoting and selling the **entire** Rock Koshkonong area as a destination for visitors. We support our members through various initiatives that will help them grow and flourish. We seek to partner with the Fort Atkinson, Edgerton and Milton Chambers of Commerce and the Rock-Koshkonong Lake District to create opportunities for the development and implementation of marketing for the entire region for the benefit of our members and the community at large. Through our efforts we want to be the catalyst for the development of increased tourism, attractions, events and promotions in our area.

2013 RKBA Special Events - 2013

Stand Up Paddleboard Races at Lakeview – July 14 Venetian Boat Parade – September 1 ABPA Hydro Boat Races – September 21-22

RKBA Marketing Initiatives

- Brand Development of KoshFun.
- Printed River/Lake Map with locations of member businesses. Map is distributed at the I-90/Beloit WI Tourism Center and throughout the regional area.
- Kosh Fun Posters printed for members to post in business
- Utilizing social media such as Facebook, Twitter accounts that promote our regional assets and businesses
- Development and maintenance of the KoshFun.com website that promotes our natural and historical assets, and businesses.
- Placement of promotional ads in Lakes Edition
- Development of a KoshFun merchandise "store" on CafePress with products that can be purchased that feature Lake Koshkonong. <u>Visit store.</u>
- Development of a photo library of the area businesses and natural assets to use for marketing purposes.
- Contracted with Firepoint Media to facilitate our marketing efforts and assist our members with their marketing efforts.
- Email database development and monthly KoshFun newsletter
- Seeking grant opportunities to fund events and signage.

Free Member Benefits

- Members receive listings in the appropriate categories of the Koshfun.com website with a link to the member's website.
- Marketing assessment provided by Firepoint Media
- Members may post their events on the KoshFun.com website calendar
- Member events can be posted on KoshFun's social media Facebook and Twitter
- Members businesses (Food, Tourism, Events, Activities) can be listed on <u>Wisconsin</u> <u>Department of Tourism Website</u>

Discounted Benefits

- Firepoint Media has been contracted to provide marketing assistance to Rock Koshkonong Business Association. Through that relationship members are provided:
 - Discounted design work
 - Discounted text marketing program
 - Discounted printing/banners/yard signs
 - Discounted web design and web hosting
 - Discounted mobile websites
 - Please contact Therese Oldenburg via email <u>therese@firepointmedia.com</u> or call 608-931-6895 with questions regarding these benefits.

Available Additional Benefits

- Banner Ads on the KoshFun Website additional fee
- Map Ads on Lake map printed every two years additional fee

Membership Fee

You receive all these benefits of being Rock Koshkonong Business Association Member for only \$75 per year. Our membership year runs from July 1-June 30. Please contact koshfun@gmail.com or register online.

Printed Map

Lakes Edition Ad

Website





