La Porte County Association of REALTORS August 2023

# PCAR

**Economic and Residential Real Estate Update with NAR** Chief Economist Lawrence Yun & IAR CEO Mark Fisher

Wednesday, August 16, 2023 Blue Chip Hotel & Spa, Michigan City, Indiana (Fremont Ballroom in the Stardust Event Center)

> Affiliate Expo: 10:30-11:30 a.m. Luncheon Presentation: 11:30-1:30



Lawrence Yun

Tickets: \$35 per person (Ticket sales will close on August 4, 2023)

To Purchase Tickets Visit: https://bit.ly/Aug16BlueChip

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Mark Fisher



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#### **Letter From Board President**

August is here. Almost time for Back to School. Several events are happening this month. On August 16, 2023 we have Lawrence Yun coming to speak to us on the economic and real-estate update for the housing industry. He always has such a great insight to share. Please make reservation online if you have not already. You can purchase tickets at http://bit.ly/aug16Bluechip. This meeting is taking place at the Blue Chip Hotel in the Fremont Ballroom of the Stardust Event Center. The fun begins at 10:30am. with our Affiliate Sponsor Expo. Make your reservations now.

I want to say a huge thank you to the LPCAR's Food Drive committee for another great year. Hats off to you all

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for all of your hard work.

Please don't forget to stop by Culvers in La Porte on August 21, 2023. We have a Give Back Day for the Deserving Children's of LaPorte County Charity happening. Please remind your cashier to drop in your receipt into the Giveback bucket. The charity will receive a portion of your ticket made that day. Well enjoy August.

Save the Date! Bingo Night is happening this year at the VFW on October 19, 2023! Last year we raised funds for our charity and had a blast. Bingo Packages and information will be available next month. Enjoy August!

Tommy Sunn
2023 LPCAR Board
President



## **Sunshine Committee**

The sunshine committee for our association is Robin Umphrey of RE-MAX County Wide 1st. Please contact her with any news relevant to the association.

# Economic and Residential Real Estate Update with Lawrence Yun– August 16, 2023

Lawrence Yun is Chief **Economist and Senior Vice** President of Research for the NATIONAL ASSOCIA-TION OF REALTORS®. He oversees and is responsible for a wide range of research activity for the association including NAR's Existing Home Sales statistics. Affordability Index, and Home Buyers and Sellers Profile Report. He regularly provides commentary on real estate market trends for its 1 million REALTOR® members. Dr. Yun will be our keynote speaker during this luncheon presentation.

Opening address by Indiana Association of REALTORS® CEO Mark Fisher

Tickets may be purchased via Eventbrite at:

https://bit.ly/ Aug16BlueChip The event will take place at the Blue Chip Hotel and Spa in Michigan City. The affiliate expo will kick things off at 10:30 a.m. in the Fremont Hallway of the Stardust Event Center. Visit some of our sponsors and pick up a few items along the way. At 11:30 the event will begin with a plated luncheon. Mark Fisher, CEO of the Indiana Association of REALTORS will begin the presentation followed by NAR Chief Economist Lawrence Yun. Dr. Yun will focus his presentation to our market area and provide insights to where the market is headed this fall.

Tickets on sale through August 4, 2023—\$35 per person.

#### **Upcoming Dates and Events**

August 16, 2023—Real Estate & Economic Update with Lawrence Yun

August 16, 2023—2-6 p.m./New Member Orientation with Tim Reed at the Blue Chip Hotel & Spa, Michigan City

August 21, 2023 - Culvers of La Porte Give Back

August 24-25, 2023—IAR AE Retreat/Indianapolis - Board Office closed

September 4, 2023—Labor Day, Board Office Closed

#### **Deserving Children Charity Give Back Event**

# DONATE WHILE You Dine!

Visit the <u>Culver's of La Porte</u> on <u>Monday, August 21, 2023,</u> and we will <u>donate 10%</u> of net sales to Deserving Children Shopping Tour.

Enjoy a delicious meal, benefit a great cause and feel good all over.

Please make sure to let your cashier know you are here for the kickback!



#### Did you Know.....?

#### **Member Benefit**



FOREWARN is a revolutionary application that allows agents to have instant due diligence on prospects. In seconds, with as little information as a phone number or name, LPCAR members can verify a prospect's identity, criminal records, bankruptcies, liens. judgments, address history and property

records (state laws vary) all in one place, leading to safer and more pro-





# Melaleuca Gives Back To our Charity!

Melaleuca is the largest Wellness Shopping Club in North America. Over 400 nontoxic, highly consumable products. 99% of them Made in the USA. Simply switch stores. Get products you use every day, while helping the Deserving Children. 5% of purchases will go to Deserving Children's Fund, each month.

For more information contact: Emily Rees 574.274.1298 erees19@gmail.com melaleuca.com/emilyrees

#### 2024 Election of Officers and Directors

The Association is now seeking candidates for the election of Officers and Directors for 2024.

The following positions are available for the October election:

**President-Elect:** one year term, automatically ascends to the position of

President the following year. (President has the option to serve as immedi-

ate past president following their term as president)

Secretary: one year term

**Treasurer**: two year term (one position available)

**Local Director: two year term** (two positions available) and **one year term** (one position available) *Total of three positions available* 

If you would like to submit your name as a candidate please contact the board office at 219-324-8120 or via email at lpcar@frontier.com. Deadline to submit your name is **August 21**, **2023**.



324-8120.

The Deserving Children's Charity Committee is pleased to announce that table reservations and dinner tickets are now available!

This year the auction will take place at the Civic Auditorium in La Porte on November 17, 2023! We hope to have a great auction and raise funds to take the kids in need shopping!

To purchase tickets or reserve a table, please contact Julie Wagner at jaw1275@yahoo.com or 219-608-5614. Below is the seating chart for the Civic Auditorium. Please remember that

table locations are approximate and may differ slightly. Diagram is not to scale! (tables marked w/red indicate reserved)

Ticket prices: \$480 for a table of 8/\$60 per person. Payment by check or credit card. Please make checks payable to: LPCAR Charity Fund.

Auction items are needed.

Please contact any of our cochairs if you would like to donate an item or make a donation to the Deserving Children
Charity Fund! Item may also be
dropped off at the Board Office.

### **2023 Charity Auction Committee Co-chairs:**

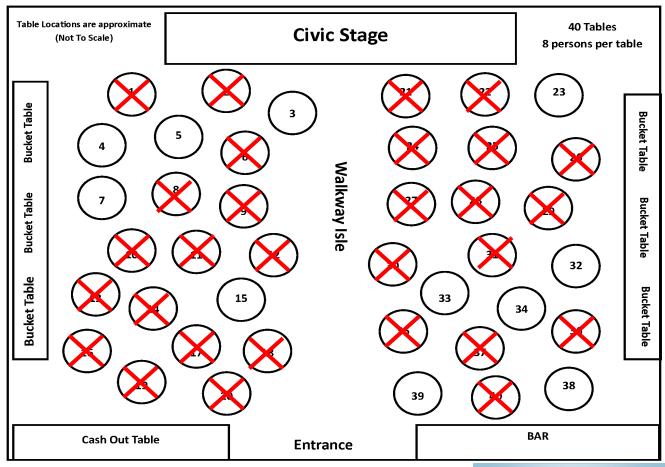
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LPCAR DESERVING CHILDREN'S CHARITY FUNDRAISER EVENT

**OCTOBER 19, 2023** 



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# August 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	Board of Director Meeting @11:30 a.m. Coolspring Branch	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	NAR Leadership Summit—Chicago, IL Board Office Closed		August 16th Event at Blue Chip Hotel & Spa -Fremont Ballroom			
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
				IAR AE Retreat—Board Office Closed		
27	28	29	30	31		