

Our Mission:

*The Wells County Leadership Academy
will develop, cultivate and enhance leadership
skills for individuals in our community.*

*The Wells County Leadership Academy
is made possible by a joint effort of:*



Our Goals:

- ✦ Convenient community access to contemporary leadership development resources, research, and training materials
- ✦ Establish a community culture of leadership and growth
- ✦ Improve community leadership effectiveness, decisions and problem solving
- ✦ Improve community and economic development through improved leadership
- ✦ Increase the numbers of leaders involved in the community

Wells County Leadership Academy
c/o The Wells County Chamber of Commerce
211 W. Water St.
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As an employer, are you looking for a leadership training program for your employees?

As a working professional, do you need a program that will enhance your career, teach you principles of leadership and help make a difference in Wells County?

The Wells County Leadership Academy offers participants solutions to the fast-paced ever-changing needs of business and industry in the 21st century.



Who should participate?

Anyone who wants to improve their leadership skills, develop stronger communication skills, and focus on creating a network of peer-mentor-business relationships. Our desire is that these individuals would then make a life-long commitment to community service and helping mentor new leaders.

This unique leadership academy for Wells County, started in 2008, is in collaboration with Huntington University Foundation's Center for Leadership Studies. Classes are based on materials developed for community leadership programs, written by Dr. Tim Elmore through Huntington University Center for Leadership Studies. Facilitators from Wells County have been trained by Dr. Elmore and lead participants through a series of discussions on a wide-range of topics.

Topics will include:

- Character development, ethics and leadership principles
- Focus and Vision
- Network skills and connecting with others
- Relationship Building
- Setting priorities for success
- Conflict resolution
- Book studies on current leadership topics
- Basics of the public and non-profit sectors

Class sizes are limited to 20 participants. Morning sessions are held once a month from September through May. Students may opt to continue in advanced studies in subsequent years.

Want to know more? The Wells County Leadership Academy wants to develop and cultivate new leaders ... the **Stars of Our Future** ... as well as enhance the skills of the current leaders here in Wells County.

We feel that the academy benefits both employers in the community, and the community as a whole.

Yes, I am interested in learning more! Please send me information about the initial classes, as well as an application.

Name _____

Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

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