

Waldwick Chamber of Commerce
Minutes
April 15, 2026
Waldwick Public Library 8:30 am

- Welcome and introductions.
- Motion to dispense minutes from 3/18/26 general meeting by Dave Barthold and 2nd by Chuck Farricker.
- The current membership is at 127.
- Welcome to new members, Bozza Yoga Studios and True North Wellness and Counseling
- May 3 – 18th Annual W5K run and 1 mile walk. Theme is celebrating 250 years of Freedom, Community and Commerce. Will have revolutionary actors and patriotic photo ops made by Nicole Priestner. Deadline for sponsors was 4/4. Businesses can still sponsor but all print work has been done. Registration opened on 2/16. 443 participants have registered so far. The police academy will be joining us this year. Donations being made to Alex's Lemonade Stand. \$1,912.00 made so far. The chamber matches the donation. Looking for volunteers for race day. 2025 donations were \$39,500 which benefited 40+ organizations.
- 4/19 Tanner's Canine resort will have an open house from 11-2
- 4/24 Bergen Volunteers Day
- 4/24-4/26 Gearblock Brewing Company will be hosting their 4th Anniversary
- 4/30 Allendale Saddle River Rotary happy hour and food drive for veterans food pantry at Allendale Bar & Grill from 4-6
- 5/13 Table to Table "Behind the Seams" fashion show
- Guest Speakers – La Kreisha Jean from Bergen County Division of Economic Planning and Michele Osoiro from New Jersey Economic Development Authority NJEDA. They discussed their products that help support small business in NJ and shared valuable resources available to businesses along with ways to get involved in the upcoming FIFA event.

Next Chamber meeting May 20, 2026 – 8:30 am Waldwick Public Library

Minutes respectfully submitted by,
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