# **ABOUT US**

The Marlow Chamber of Trade & Commerce has existed for over 60 years and is currently home to around 100 local businesses.

We pride ourselves on the quality and diversity of our members, which range from retail, through hospitality, support and professional services.

But our commitment also extends to the community as a whole. A fact that is evident in our campaigning and our support for local initiatives and events.

Marlow is unique, a 'Jewel on the Thames'. We are here to help it stay that way.



**Late Night Shopping** is just one of the events the Chamber organises - and which members get fully involved in supporting.



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# MARLOW & DISTRICT CHAMBER OF TRADE AND COMMERCE



2021



## FOR THE COMMUNITY

Bringing businesses together

The Chamber is more than just a business network. It is a voluntary organisation, established to help businesses collaborate but also to promote and improve the interests of local businesses in the Marlow area.

To that end, we look to foster a feeling of goodwill and support, not just between member businesses but also with various local societies and institutions. These manage the environment, the infrastructure and community aspects of local life for members and residents of the town.

Along with our members, we welcome representatives of the local press, Wycombe District Council, Bucks County Council, Marlow Town Council, The Marlow Society and the Marlow Forum to all our regular meetings. We also invite special guest speakers when there is a need to expand on other topics of local interest.

The Chamber's Policy and Management sub-group is also actively involved in formulating policy affecting the town centre, law & order, local transport, planning and parking.







## WHAT MEMBERS SAY

- Attend ten business meetings, and enjoy networking opportunities, at a range of local venues - or online as they had to be for most of 2020
- · Introduce your business to the group.
- Stay informed on business related issues through contact with elected officials and local experts.
- · Have your say on local business community issues.
- Promote your business and discuss issues of the day in our private Facebook and LinkedIn groups.
- Market your business to the public via our Chamber website 'Member Directory'.
- Sponsor a flower bed in one of our various locations around Marlow High Street.
- Use our logo on letterhead and business cards, to demonstrate your commitment to the community.

"It's an excellent way to meet local business people and keep up with issues that are relevant to Marlow and Thames Valley businesses."

## **Jonathan Heighway RIBA, Heighway Associates**

"It's enabled me to meet other business professionals AND raise the profile of Handelsbanken in the local area. It's vital that local businesses support each other and become involved in the local community."

## Sarah Dean, Handelsbanken

"The Chamber provides a sense of belonging, a feeling that you are involved with something more than just a business network. An opportunity to meet and collaborate with people not just for commercial benefit but for community benefit as well."

#### **Lesley James, Simplified Money**