



Imperial's newest business, The Beverage Barn, was officially welcomed by the Imperial Chamber of Commerce on Friday with a ribbon-cutting ceremony. The group of Chamber members and officers held the ceremony at Beverage Barn's grand opening celebration. The business opened the end of June on Highway 61's Miracle Mile. On hand for the ceremony, from left, were Donna Vlasin, store manager Adam Vlasin, Merrilyn Leibbrandt (hidden), Mary Wilson, Sherry Hanes, Kelly Hammerlun, Sue Moore, Teresa Groff, Connie Dart, Michelle Spady, Kim Taylor, Chamber President Jana Pribbeno and Matt Vlasin. (Republican photo)