



MARCH 2018

CHAMBER CHATTER

The Official Newsletter of the Greene County Chamber of Commerce

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March General Membership Networking Luncheon

Wednesday, March 28, 2018

11:30 am to 1:00 pm

EQT REC Center

400 EverGreene Drive, Waynesburg

\$15 per person

*Menu: Salad, Stuffed Chicken Breast, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy,
Corn, Rolls and Butter, and Desert*

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2018 Gift Card Raffle Ticket Sponsorship Available

The Chamber is seeking a ticket sponsor for the 2018 Back to School Gift Card Raffle and the 2018 Christmas Gift Card Raffle tickets. As the ticket sponsor, your company's name or logo will be printed on 500 tickets. The sponsor will get additional exposure through shared posts on Facebook, as well as email correspondence with Chamber members. This sponsorship is just \$125 per raffle. If your business or organization is interested in this opportunity, please contact the Chamber at 724-627-5926 or info@greenechamber.org.

Member Updates

New Representatives

Rolling Meadows Nursing and Rehabilitation

Pam Taylor, Administrator
nha@rmnursing.com

Waynesburg Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center

Rachelle Kamenos, Director of Admissions
rachelle.kamenos@waynesburghcrc.net

Members on the Move

Back Bay Catering

510 Ceylon Road & Route 21
Carmichaels, Pa 15320

New Information

Camera Bartolotta, Senator

PO Box 25, Harrisburg, Pa 17108
Physical: 135 Technology Drive, Suite 202
Canonsburg, Pa 15317
724-746-3762
cbartolotta@pasen.gov
Elected Official

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ChamberChoice Corporate News

OnDemand has been the exclusive Energy Consultant for our Pennsylvania ChamberChoice Energy Program and has done an incredible job delivering market leading energy products and services over the last 10 years. Their combination with Kinect Energy will strengthen our existing energy program and now enable our Chamber members to realize a much broader and comprehensive suite of energy products and services while continuing to allow them to focus on their core business.

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2018 Chamber Scholarships Now Available

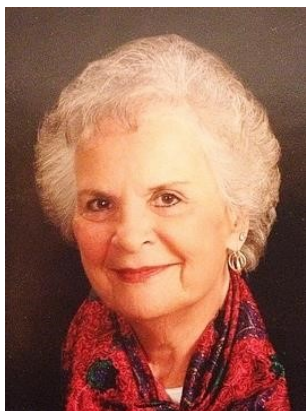


The Chamber is now accepting applications for the 2018 scholarships.

2018 Educational Scholarship

The Educational Scholarship is open to any Greene County student

who will be a graduating senior in 2018. The Chamber urges all high school seniors who have been accepted to a College or Technical School as an incoming freshman this Fall and have maintained a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or better while in high school to apply for this scholarship. The winner of this scholarship will be awarded \$1,500 in cash and a laptop compliments of PCsquared.



2018 Dr. Nancy I. Davis Memorial Scholarships

The Dr. Nancy I. Davis Memorial Leadership Scholarship is in memory of the late, Dr. Nancy I. Davis.

Leadership Scholarship

This scholarship is open to candidates who currently reside or are employed in Greene County

and is enrolled or has been accepted in an undergrad or graduate program. The winner of this scholarship will be awarded \$1,500 in cash.

Scholarship for Educational Support

This scholarship is open to any instructor with a classroom that is located in Greene County. The funds from this scholarship must be used within the 2018-2019 school year and must be used to enrich the learning experience in the classroom. The winner of this scholarship will be awarded \$500 in cash.

Applications must be submitted by 3:30 pm Friday, April 13th. Applications are available on at www.greenechamber.org. The winner will be announced in early May and the Scholarship Awards will be presented at the Chamber's General Membership Luncheon on May 30th.



Members in the Spotlight



Waynesburg Nursing Program ranked No. 2 for second consecutive year



RegisteredNursing.org ranked Waynesburg University's baccalaureate Nursing Program No. 2 in the state of Pennsylvania for the second consecutive year.

Waynesburg received a score of 97.97 out of a possible 100. Programs were assessed on several factors which represent how well a program supports students towards licensure and beyond. Each school's National Council Licensing Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) current and historical pass rates were weighted heavily in the scoring.

"It is once again a great honor to be recognized as the second best nursing program in Pennsylvania," said Dr. Kathy Stolfer, associate professor of nursing and interim chair of the nursing program. "The ongoing dedication of the nursing faculty in maintaining program standards and being committed to student learning is congruent with the University's mission."

Seventy-six schools were analyzed in Pennsylvania and the top 30 were ranked. Programs reviewed include schools that offer a Diploma in Nursing, Associate Degree in Nursing, Bachelor of Science in Nursing or Direct-Entry Master of Science in Nursing Degree.

Waynesburg's Nursing Program offers clinical experiences starting the first semester of the sophomore year, a state-of-the-art simulation lab and experienced faculty members. The baccalaureate program is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education. The Department of Nursing also offers accredited Master of Science in Nursing and Doctor of Nursing Practice degree programs.

For more information on Waynesburg's baccalaureate Nursing Program, visit www.waynesburg.edu/nursing.

Upcoming Events

March 28th - General Membership Networking Luncheon, EQT REC Center, 11:30-1:30

April 19th - Business After Hours, Thistlethwaites, 4:30-7:00

May 18th - Golf Outing, Greene County Country Club, 8:30-3:00

May 30th - General Membership Networking Luncheon, Waynesburg University, 11:30-1:00

June 23rd - Motor Madness Car Show, Waynesburg Central High School, 10:00-4:00

June 27th - General Membership Networking Luncheon, Waynesburg University, 11:30-1:00

July 12th - Business After Hours, Greene County Country Club, 4:30-7:00

July 25th - General Membership Networking Luncheon, Waynesburg University, 11:30-1:00

Visit our website for a full list of 2018 Chamber events!



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WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We are currently looking for businesses to participate in our annual gift card raffles. Tell us at what level you would like to participate in and we will invoice you. The purchased gift cards will become a great prize package with YOUR business name on the tickets.

BACK TO SCHOOL OR CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

\$25 = \$25 gift card

\$50 = \$50 gift card

\$100 = \$100 gift card

\$250 = \$250 gift card

Back to School deadline is Monday, April 16

Christmas Deadline is Wednesday, August 1

OR DO BOTH!

\$50 = \$25 gift card in both

\$100 = \$50 gift card in both

\$200 = \$100 gift card in both

\$500 = \$250 gift card in both

Please call 724-627-5926 or email info@greenechamber.org to participate.

\$2,500 CHRISTMAS GIFT CARD RAFFLE 500
 Proceeds benefit the Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce
 Proceeds benefit the Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce. \$10.00 Donation per Ticket

Winning Numbers from the official 7:00pm PA Pick 3 Daily Number on Saturday November 19, 2016. Any unused tickets or undrawn prizes become the property of the Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce.

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Gift Card
 \$50 Disney Store
 \$50 Giant Eagle
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 \$25 Olive Garden
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 \$25 Forever 21
 \$50 Saks
 \$25 Steak 'N Shake
 \$25 T.J. Maxx
 \$50 Macy's
 \$110 value Overnight stay for two
 \$50 Home Depot
 \$50 New York & Co.
 \$100 Amazon
 \$25 Yankee Candle
 \$25 Red, Bath & Beyond
 \$50 L'Oréal
 \$25 Make Me America
 \$100 Home Depot
 \$25 Bed Bath & Beyond
 \$25 Pottery Barn
 \$25 Pottery Barn
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 \$25 Sunco
 \$50 Pioneer Grocery
 \$50 Express
 \$50 American Eagle
 \$50 Scott's Car Care
 \$50 Scott's Pizza
 \$50 Michaels
 \$50 South Side Deli
 \$50 Target
 \$50 Bath & Body Works
 \$110 value - Karing \$25 Plus
 \$25 Wendy's
 \$60 value prize basket and 2017 tickets
 \$50 Sheetz

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Finish your school shopping or all of your Christmas shopping in one swoop!

SHOW YOUR SUPPORT AND PROMOTE YOUR BUSINESS!

Greene County
Chamber of Commerce's
**14th Annual Administrative
Professional's Day Luncheon**

Wednesday, April 25th, 2018

11:30 to 1:30

First Baptist Church, Waynesburg

\$20 per person

Enjoy a **Milk Chocolate Fountain** with marshmallows,
pretzels, strawberries and pineapple
Vendors will be present for your browsing and shopping
pleasure

Chinese Auction & Door Prizes

Served lunch will be prepared by Back Bay Catering, and
dessert will consist of **gourmet cupcakes** made by
Cakes by Lindsey.

Our featured guest speaker:

Lynn Manning, WJPA Radio Personality, presenting
"Facebook, Friend or Foe"

Honor your staff!

Surprise your most valuable employee
or your entire staff with the

"2018 Outstanding Staff" Award

For an additional \$5 per person, you can honor your
employee with a special certificate and gift.

RSVP by Friday, April 20, 2017

Seating is limited to the first 100 reservations

To reserve your seats, call 724-627-5926 or



Greene County Chamber of Commerce is
excited to announce the new

Chamber After Hours Series



The series replaces the Business 2 Business Social and the Membership Picnic,
combining those two events into three fun filled new events in 2018!

**Enjoy three different venues and themes designed to help you meet other chamber
members in a relaxing setting.**

Make connections that will help you do business better!

Cost is \$15 per ticket and includes food and beverages. RSVP is required.
Tickets are on sale now for all three events. Purchase all three for \$40 and save \$5
Sponsorships are available

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Back Bay Catering
Greene County Country Club

Join Us!



CHAMBER UNCORKED

Chamber Business After Hours
Thursday, April 19, 2018
4:30–7:00 p.m.
Thistlethwaite's Vineyards
Complimentary alcoholic
beverages and Hors d'oeuvres
BRING YOUR BUSINESS CARDS
Presented by ChamberChoice

Join Us!



SUMMER JIVE

Chamber Business After Hours
Thursday, July 12, 2018
4:30–7:00 p.m.
Greene County Country Club
Bring the family!
Under 12 Free
FOOD—FUN—SWIMMING
BRING YOUR BUSINESS CARDS

Join Us!



MIX & MINGLE

Chamber Business After Hours
Thursday, November 15, 2018
4:30–7:00 p.m.
Hampton Inn
Complimentary alcoholic
beverages and Hors d'oeuvres
BRING YOUR BUSINESS CARDS



2018 CHAMBER BUSINESS AFTER HOURS SERIES

April 19th – “Chamber Uncorked” – Thistlethwaite Vineyards
July 12th – “Summer Jive” - Greene County Country Club
November 15th – “Mix & Mingle” – Waynesburg Hampton Inn
All events are 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

All sponsors will receive:

- Tickets to all three Business After Hours in the series – additional tickets are \$15 each
- Logo/Name on Chamber Website for next 12 months
- Logo/Name in Chamber newsletter, eBlasts and Facebook posts as sponsor
- Logo/Name in Thank You Ad, on Invitations and on Event Flyers/Ads
- Logo/Name on the Thank You banner displayed at the events

\$1,000 Diamond Sponsor

- Ten free tickets to each event, a \$450 value
- Logo used in all locations outlined above

\$750 Platinum Sponsors

- Eight free tickets to each event, a \$360 value
- Logo used in all locations listed above

\$500 Gold Sponsors

- Six free tickets to each event, a \$270 value
- Logo used in all locations outlined above

\$250 Silver Sponsors

- Four free tickets to each event, a \$180 value
- Name listed in all locations outlined above

\$150 Bronze Sponsors

- Two free tickets to each event, a \$90 value
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*For more information about sponsorship call the Chamber Office at 724-627-5926
or email melody@greenechamber.org*

Sponsorship commitments must meet a April 6th, 2018 deadlines for inclusion in all items.

Don't Putter Around...

and miss this great networking event. Support the Chamber and grow your business prospects by entering your foursome.

Contact the Chamber today at 724-627-5926 or
info@greenechamber.org to sign up!
Space is limited to the first 18 teams and
sells out fast so call today!

Company represented:

Player #1: _____
Player #2: _____
Player #3: _____
Player #4: _____

YES! I'd like to support the Chamber by becoming a Golf Outing Sponsor.

Event Sponsor-\$1,500-Includes two foursomes
Prize Package Sponsor-\$700
Snack Station Sponsor-\$300
Corporate Sponsor-\$1,000-Includes a foursome
Luncheon Sponsor-\$500
At the Turn Sponsor-\$300
Beverage Sponsor-\$150
Breakfast Sponsor-\$200
Luncheon Sponsor-\$500
Green Sponsor-\$100
Tee Sponsor-\$100
Auction Prize donor
Door Prize donor
Foursome-\$500

Sponsor Name to Appear: _____

Please return form by May 1st with check payable to:
Greene County Chamber of Commerce
3157 Mt. Morris Road #103, Wayneburg, PA 15370
Entries accepted through day of event, space permitting.. VISA and Mastercard accepted.
Questions? Please contact the office at 724-627-5926 or melody@greenechamber.org
Soft spikes only, no metal spikes allowed. Dress code-No tank tops or cut offs.
Scramble format.

**2018
Annual Greene County
Chamber of Commerce
Golf Outing**



**Friday, May 18 2018
Greene County Country Club
Shotgun Start 8:30 a.m.**

Get in the Swing of Things!

Friday, May 18th, 2018

Entry Fee Per 4-Person Team- \$500

Includes:

18 Holes of Golf with Carts

Coffee, Donuts and Fruit in the morning

Hot Dog, Chips and a Beverage at the turn

A sit down catered buffet luncheon at 1:30 p.m.

Complimentary Snack Stations on the Course

Tee-Off...for Prizes & More

1st Place Team—\$400

2nd Place Team—\$200

3rd Place Team—\$100

6 Skill Prizes—\$50 each

• All players will be automatically entered into the 19th Hole Putting Contest for a chance to win a free Wendy's sandwich every week for the next year.

- Cash Hole and Prize Hole • Team Photos
- Chinese Auction • 50/50 Drawing • Special Prizes

Sponsor Packages Available

Publicity for your business in the Chamber newsletter, event program, donor sign at registration, Facebook event promotion, and on our website for one year is included in all of the packages listed below.

Event Sponsor.....\$1,500.00

Includes two teams, one Tee, one Green and four Cart Sponsorships with signs on each and outside book cover of program for your company's ad. Your logo on scorecards. A display table in clubhouse and the chance to place logo items in each cart. Only one is available.

Corporate Sponsors.....\$1,000.00

Includes one Team, one Tee and two Cart Sponsorships with signs on each

Prize Package Sponsor.....\$700.00

Includes a sign on the first hole with your company name on both sides and two Cart Sponsorships with signs on each. Only one is available.

Snack Station Sponsor.....\$300.00

Includes a sign on the Snack Stations located on the course and two Cart Sponsorships with signs on each. Only one is available.

Skill Prize Sponsor.....\$300.00

Includes a sign on the first hole with your company name on both sides as well as a sign on each of the skill holes. Two Cart Sponsorships with signs on each. Only one is available.

Luncheon Sponsor.....\$500.00

Includes a sign in the clubhouse with your company name and two Cart Sponsorships with signs on each. Only one is available

At the turn Sponsor.....\$300.00

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Beverage Sponsor.....\$150.00

Includes a sign in the clubhouse with your company name and two Cart Sponsorships with signs on each. Only one is available.

Breakfast Sponsor.....\$200.00

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Sign SponsorRhodes & Hammers Printing

Includes one Team and one Tee and Cart with company name on sign.

Green or Tee Sponsor.....\$100.00

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