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The Official Newsletter of the
Greene County Chamber of Commerce

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Wed, March 20th 2024 | 6 - 9pm | Hilton Garden Inn - Southpointe

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Early bird pricing for members is \$29 and that will remain in effect until February 9th.

After that ticket fees increase to \$35 per person. With 38 promotional partners, the Pittsburgh Business Exchange anticipates over 1,000 participants. If someone waits until the day of the actual event to register (suggesting they are not sold out at that time), the late ticket pricing for members of any partnering organization will go up significantly to \$85. That will also be the ticket fee at the door for walk-ups. Non-members will also be charged \$85 at the door.

Register [HERE](#) for you ticket(s)! Be sure to select Greene County Chamber of Commerce as a partnering member as well as in the fee section.



Chamber of Commerce hosts ribbon cutting ceremony for PA Representative of the 50th District, Bud Cook's new office opening.

The Greene County Chamber of Commerce recently hosted an official ribbon cutting ceremony for Pennsylvania Representative of the 50th District, Bud Cook's new office location on Hargus Creek Road.

On Wednesday, January 24th, Representative Cook, and his Chief of Staff Rachel Willson were joined by staff, township employees and local dignitaries to share in the celebration commemorating the opening of third office location within the 50th District.

Greene County Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Melody Longstreth welcomed those in attendance. A few of those in attendance to spectate the cutting were employees and supervisors of Center, Morris, and Richhill Townships. The event featured remarks from Greene County Commissioner Jared Edgreen, Ronda Craig of the Southwest Pennsylvania Commission, superintendent at West Greene School District Brian Jackson, and representative Cook himself. After the official cutting of the ribbon, those in attendance had the opportunity to converse, ask questions and learn more about the new office and his plans and goals set for the future.

The Greene County Chamber of Commerce is honored to participate in welcoming this new office location in the 50th district as well as any new offices or business to our area.

For more information contact Rachel Willson at (724) 929-2660, or via email at rwillson@pahousegop.com



Stay Tuned!

Our 2024
schedule of events
is just around the
corner...

Sponsorships Available Through the Year

We have many sponsorship opportunities available to help our members promote their business. Please email Mandi at mandi@greenechamber.org, if you are interested in any of these opportunities. See below for further details on the benefits & inclusions.



Networking

Business Connection Luncheons	\$600
Lunch & Learns	\$250
Trivia Night	
in collaboration with the Central Greene Scholarship Trust	
Event Sponsor	\$1,000
Diamond Sponsor	\$500
Platinum Sponsor	\$250
Gold Sponsor	\$100
Silver Sponsor	\$50
Bronze Sponsor	\$25
Round Sponsor	\$50
Team Registration	\$200



Women in Business Series

Women in Business Breakfast	
Ruby Sponsor	\$500
Emerald Sponsor	\$400
Sapphire Sponsor	\$300
Amethyst Sponsor	\$200
Opal Sponsor	\$100
Women in Business Luncheon on Administrative Professional's Day	
Ruby Sponsor	\$500
Emerald Sponsor	\$400
Sapphire Sponsor	\$300
Amethyst Sponsor	\$200
Opal Sponsor	\$100



Annual Golf Outing

Hole/ Tee Sponsor	\$100
Corporate Team Registration	\$650
VIP Team Registration	\$600
Team Registration	\$500



Annual Membership Banquet

Diamond Sponsor	\$1,000
Platinum Sponsor	\$500
Gold Sponsor	\$300
Silver Sponsor	\$200
Bronze Sponsor	\$100



Advertising Opportunities

Electronic Advertising	
eBlast Sponsorship - Monthly	\$100
Individual eBlast	\$100
eBlast Banner Ad	\$50
eNewsletter Sponsorship - Monthly	\$100
Monthly eNewsletter Business Card	\$40
Annual eNewsletter Business Card	\$325
eNewsletter Full Page Flyer Insert	\$65
Quarterly Website Advertising	\$150
Annual Website Advertising	\$500
Community/Business Resource Guide & Membership Directory	
Two Page Spread	\$450
Full Page	\$250
Half Page	\$150
Quarter Page	\$100

Sponsorship Breakdown

The Chamber organizes events for the membership and community to promote networking opportunities and to provide community services. The sponsorship opportunities provide the sponsor with exposure while helping to make the event possible.

All sponsorships receive:

- Publicity for your business in the Chamber newsletter, eBlast and Facebook page
- Signs at the event
- Advertisement in the event programs
- Advertisement on event flyer/invitation
- In-Kind Donations – will be acknowledged at the level that matches the value of the donated item or service



Networking

Business Connection Luncheons.....	2 Tickets & Speaker for Event
Lunch & Learns	\$250
Trivia Night	
in collaboration with the Central Greene Scholarship Trust	
Event Sponsor	Name/Logo on Trophy
Diamond Sponsor	Name on Diamond Sponsor Slide
Platinum Sponsor	Name on Platinum Sponsor Slide
Gold Sponsor	Name on Gold Sponsor Slide
Silver Sponsor	Name on Silver Sponsor Slide
Bronze Sponsor	Name on Bronze Sponsor Slide
Round Sponsor	Sponsor a Themed Round
Team Registration	6-8 Players



Women in Business Series

Women in Business Breakfast	
Ruby Sponsor	6 Tickets
Emerald Sponsor	4 Tickets
Sapphire Sponsor	2 Tickets
Amethyst Sponsor	1 Ticket
Opal Sponsor	No Tickets
Women in Business Luncheon on Administrative Professional's Day	
Ruby Sponsor	6 Tickets
Emerald Sponsor	4 Tickets
Sapphire Sponsor	2 Tickets
Amethyst Sponsor	1 Ticket
Opal Sponsor	No Tickets



Annual Golf Outing

Hole/ Tee Sponsor	Name/Logo at a Hole/Tee
Corporate Team Registration	4 Players & Hole & Tee Sponsor
VIP Team Registration	4 Players and 4 Ticket Bundles
Team Registration	4 Players

The following sponsorships are a first right of refusal basis but may be available. Only one sponsor available for each.

Awards and Presentation 2nd & 3rd	\$300
Awards and Presentation 1st	400
Snack Sponsor	\$300
Skill Prize Sponsor	\$300
Luncheon Sponsor	\$700
Dessert Sponsor	In-Kind
Beverage Sponsor	\$150
Breakfast Sponsor	\$200
Prize Hole Sponsor	\$100
Putting Contest Sponsor	\$100
Hospitality Prize Sponsor	\$300



Annual Membership Banquet

Diamond Sponsor	6 Tickets
Platinum Sponsor	4 Tickets
Gold Sponsor	2 Tickets
Silver Sponsor	1 Ticket
Bronze Sponsor	No Tickets



Greene County Career Day



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MEET & EXPLORE OPPORTUNITIES WITH EMPLOYERS, COLLEGES, & MORE!

March 21st, 2024

- 8:00-11:30am

REGISTRATION & SETUP:

- 7:30-8:30am

WHERE:

- 420 W. George Street,
Carmichaels, PA 15320

RSVP:

Contact Bobbi Neighbors w/ the following info:

- Company information
- Number of tables
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College & Technical School Scholarship Information Program



*Hosted by: The Community Foundation
of Greene County & Greene County Health & Wellness Foundation*

Thursday, February 15, 2024 at 6:00pm
at the EQT REC Center
400 EverGreene Drive, Waynesburg, PA

The program is open to all Greene County students and their parents, particularly for graduating high school seniors, to learn about local scholarship opportunities. Information will be available for students graduating from all five school districts, the GCCTC, as well as private schools and home school programs.



Other individuals/organizations will present on additional scholarships available to Greene County residents. Call the CFGC office at 724-627-2010 or email cfgcpa@gmail.com for more information.



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Eligible students must be a current high school senior with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 and live in one of the following counties where EQT Corporation has business operations:

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- ▶ **West Virginia:** Doddridge, Harrison, Marion, Marshall, Tyler, Wetzel
- ▶ **Ohio:** Belmont

Students will be evaluated based on academic history, involvement in extracurricular activities, work experience, and essay response.

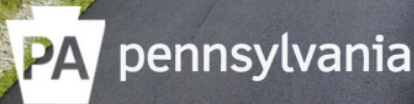
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RSVP (Retired & Senior Volunteer Program) of Greene County offers meaningful and rewarding volunteer opportunities for adults ages 55 & over.

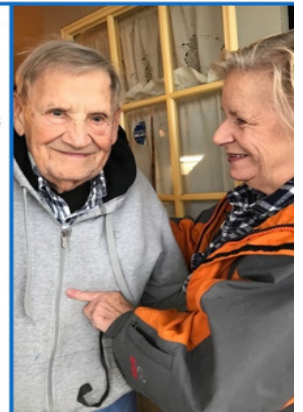


Benefits of Volunteering:

- Supplemental Accident Insurance
- Mileage Reimbursements
- Opportunity to Meet New People
- Make a Difference in your Community

RSVP volunteers may serve as:

- Financial Literacy Course Instructor
- Food Bank/Pantries
- Home Delivered Meals Drivers
- Store to Door Grocery Delivery
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