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To provide services and programs that will increase the success of member businesses and organizations and enhance the economy and quality of life in the Waynesburg Area. To remain a politically unbiased and enthusiastic resource to our members and the community at large.

"Guest writer and editor of Chamber Chatter this month is Elizabeth Witte, editor of the Waynesburg College Yellow Jacket"

Lippencott Alpacas BAH



Chamber members enjoyed a truly unique Business After Hours at Lippencott Alpacas in Waynesburg. Two new baby alpacas (called crias) were born shortly before the event, and participants had the chance to pet the babies and the five adult alpacas. The five adult alpacas were the first to be raised in Greene County as a starter herd brought to the county by Lena and Philip Galing. Lippencott Alpacas features a farm store selling alpaca fiber products such as clothes, blankets and stuffed animals, and farm tours are available for groups of any size. Lippencott Alpacas is open Saturday-Sunday, 1-4 p.m., or by appointment. For more information, call Lena or Philip Galing at 724-852-4084 or e-mail lpgaling@cs.com.

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Rain Day Hat Bet

Troy Polamalu, safety for Super Bowl XL champions the Pittsburgh Steelers, will bet his hat against the rain on Rain Day, Saturday, July 29, 2006. Polamalu will place his bet with Waynesburg Mayor Blair Zimmerman.

Hats bets have been placed with celebrities such as actor Will Ferrell and real estate mogul Donald Trump. The celebrity hat bets have helped to generate publicity for Rain Day, the annual Waynesburg holiday during which rain has fallen 109 times over the past 131 years.

This years celebration will feature live entertainment, food, crafts, games, and the Miss Rain Day and Baby Rain Day pageant winners. For more information on Rain Day, contact the Waynesburg Borough Special Events Commission at (724) 627-8111.

Welcome New Representatives

Jim McIntyre Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #4793

> **Ruby Kirk** Manager - Jay's Hallmark

Scholarship 2007 Solicitation

After naming the 16th annual scholarship recipient this year, the Chamber now turns to soliciting donations toward next year's scholarship. The scholarship can only be made possible through the generous donations of Chamber members, whether at the Chinese Auction at the annual Membership Banquet or through separate contributions. Donations toward the Scholarship Fund will be welcomed over the next year, and the Chamber thanks all members in advance for their consideration.

Greene Academy Art Classes

The Greene Academy will hold two art classes in October. The last day to register is October 7, and only 10 students will be admitted to each class. Classes cost \$40 each, and all materials are included. Both classes will meet at 9 a.m. and begin promptly at 9:15 a.m. Beginner's Silk Painting will start October 21, and Advanced Silk Painting will start October 28. In both classes, students will paint two silk scarves, 11x60", machine wash and dry, 100% silk. For more information, call Carol Randolph at 724-852-6363.



28th Annual Miss Rain Day Scholarship Pageant

Sunday, July 23rd W.C.H.S. • 4 p.m.

Sponsored by Rain Day Scholarship, Inc.

American Red Cross Course Schedule

Are you prepared for an emergency? The American Red Cross wants to help you be prepared for any emergency and is offering Red Cross first aid and CPR/AED classes. Standard First Aid will be held at Waynesburg College on August 18 from 5-9 p.m. Cost is \$25. CPR/AED (Automated External Defibrillator) will be held at Waynesburg College on July 19 and September 20 from 5-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$25. For more information or to register, call the Greene County branch at 724-627-3834 or visit www.swpa.redcross.org.

Waynesburg College Celebrating the Arts

Waynesburg College will host Celebrating the Arts this month various performances, an art show and a writing seminar for adults. Musical performances are free and will feature hammer dulcimer player John McCutcheon on July 18, 7:30 p.m., PAC; and bluegrass band the Allegheny Drifters on July 25, 7:30 p.m., PAC. The Greene County Art Show in the PAC will be on display through July 25. Admission is free. A writing workshop, For more information, call 724-852-3256.

Paints, Pastels, Photos

Paints, Pastels, Photos is open from 6-9 p.m. at the Framesmith Gallery in Pittsburgh, Pa. Paints, Pastels, Photos is a new art exhibit by four ageless golden girls, Chamber member, Carol L. Randolph along with Myrna Boyer, Susan A. Parsons, and Linda R. Torbert. The exhibit runs July 7-28. For more information, call 412-341-6760.

Member-2-Member Discount Program Reminder

Don't forget about one of the best parts of being a Chamber member: the Member to Member Discount Program!

Member discounts are listed on the Chamber's Web site at www.wayneburgchamber.com/benefits. Any Chamber members interested in offering special discounts to fellow members can contact the Chamber office at 724-627-5926. What you want to offer and for how long is up to you!

Rain Day Entertainment Schedule

Saturday, July 29th

- 12:00 Umbrella Decorating Contest
- 12:30 Battle of the Bands "Wicked Spliff"
- 1:00 Ginny McClelland Dancers
- 2:00 Barbara's Dancing School
- 2:30 Battle of the Bands Victory Lane
- 3:00 Levi Mt. Joy Irish Step Dancing
- 3:30 Battle of the Bands "Manaia"
- 4:00 6:00 Country Showdown
- 6:00 Baby Rainday Company C Company K Rain Day Race Winners
- 6:30 Miss Rain Day Contestants
- 7:00 Husband Calling Contest ·
- 7:30 "Bad Medicine" Bon Jovi Tribute Band

84 Golf Classic Benefits the Waynesburg Chamber

The Chamber is now selling advance ticket to the September 14-17, 84 Lumber Golf Classic that will be held at Nemacolin Woodlands through July 24th for \$15 each or four for \$50. Tickets include a \$10 coupon for Dick's Sporting Goods.

One hundred percent of the sales will be donated to the Chamber by 84 Lumber! Tickets include access on one day's and include festivities, all concerts, exhibits and the Arts & Crafts Festival. Children under 17 are admitted free with an adult. For details on each days schedule, visit www.84classic.com

Members are encouraged to puchase these tickets, knowing that 100% of the purchase price will be donated to the Chamber.

For tickets please the office at 724-627-5926 or use the form below.

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Business After Hours at...



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Meet Miss Rain Day Courtney Franks & the 2006 Miss Rain Day Contestants!

1 West High Street Waynesburg, PA 15370 Wednesday, July 19, 2006 · 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Wine and hors d'oeuvres will be served, with organ music from Nelson Fox.

A door prize will be given away at 5 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

For more information, call Sheila Barger at 724-627-6126.



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