

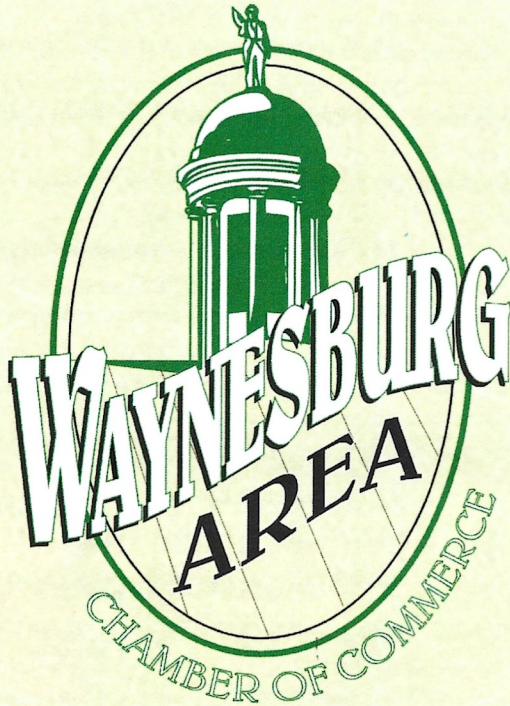


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## Mark Your Calendars!



Annual Halloween Spooktacular on Thursday, October 31st at noon on the courthouse steps.



Annual Chamber of Commerce Membership Banquet on November 23rd at the Benedum Dinning Hall on the Waynesburg University Campus. Invitations will be mailed soon!



Downtown Holiday Open House on Friday, December 6th and Annual Downtown Christmas Parade on Saturday, December 7th at 2:00 p.m. Applications are now available on the chamber website at [www.waynesburgchamber.com](http://www.waynesburgchamber.com)

## Welcome New Members

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## Chamber Accepting Nominations for Distinguished Service

### Awards

The Chamber will honor an individual for outstanding service to the Waynesburg community. In addition, 2013 will mark the ninth Organizational Distinguished Service Award which will be presented to a civic organization or business who has also shown a lasting commitment to the Waynesburg area. These awards will be presented at the Annual Waynesburg Chamber of Commerce Membership Meeting and Banquet, which is scheduled for November 23rd at the Waynesburg University's Benedum Dining Hall.

Nominees are judged on contributions to community welfare and betterment; participation in community activities and civic enterprises; lasting contributions to community welfare; leadership abilities; success in their individual vocations; personal progress; and cooperation with other individuals and organizations. The awards will be presented for direct, outstanding service to the community and has no association to the Chamber of Commerce involvement.

Anyone can nominate an individual, organization or business for the awards by submitting a completed nominee application no later than Friday, September 27th by 4:00pm.

Nomination applications are available by calling the Chamber office at 724-627-5926 or a printable version is available on the Chamber's website at [www.waynesburgchamber.com](http://www.waynesburgchamber.com).

## The Music House At Waynesburg Opens

Alejandro Pinzon, Founder and Director of The Music House at Waynesburg, recently welcomed guests to view the new music studio located at 35 South West Street in Waynesburg. The Music House will offer instruction in all forms of musical instruments for all ages. Visit their website for more details at [www.musichousewaynesburg.weebly.com](http://www.musichousewaynesburg.weebly.com)



*Alejandro Pinzon is the founder and director of the Music House and he is thrilled to bring all of this wonderful music to Greene County.*

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*Chamber member Frank Hughes is seen here with his daughter Hannah as they have a fun father daughter violin lesson at the Music House Waynesburg.*



# Annual Chamber of Commerce Membership Banquet

and

Presentation of the 2013 Distinguished Service Awards

Saturday, November 23, 2013

Benedum Dining Hall, Waynesburg University

The 2013 Waynesburg Chamber of Commerce Membership Meeting and Banquet will be held on November 23rd, 2013, at Waynesburg University in the Benedum Dining Hall. The evening will feature a recap of the year's accomplishments, plans for the coming year, special recognition of members and the presentation of the Distinguished Service Award as well as the Organizational Distinguished Service Award to a civic organization or business who has made a lasting contribution to the Waynesburg community. This annual gathering is a great networking opportunity for all Chamber members in addition to being a very enjoyable evening for the Waynesburg business community. Mark your calendars now!

You can participate in this networking event by becoming a program sponsor at one of the following levels:

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To become a sponsor, please contact the office at 724-627-5926 or [info@waynesburgchamber.com](mailto:info@waynesburgchamber.com)



*Some guests enjoying the Chinese Auction which benefits the Chamber's Scholarship Fund.*



*Guests enjoying the wonderful meal served by the University's Aladdin Food Service.*

## Greene County Tourism to Sponsor the 2013 Christmas Parade

Planning has begun for the 2013 Downtown Waynesburg Christmas Parade which will be held Saturday, December 7th at 2:00pm. The execution of the Parade is underwritten again this year by Greene County Tourism!

Miss Rain Day 2013, Stephanie Mitchell and the Chamber's 2013 Distinguished Service Award winners, who will be selected later this month, will have the honor of serving as the 2013 Grand Marshals. In addition, the new Police Chief, Robert Toth, will help lead the parade down High Street. And bringing up the rear will be the guest of honor, Santa himself!

Also, once again, WCYJ Television from Waynesburg College will be videotaping the parade for a later broadcast on local stations.

Trophies will be awarded to the top three floats, along with three honorable mentions and a top prize of Judges Choice.

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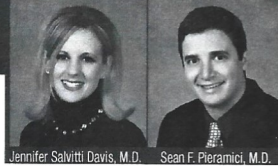
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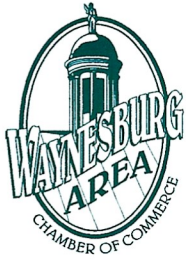
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