

Letter From the President...

Dear Fellow Chamber members:

Once again, summer is upon us. After a hot April, a wet May, and a stormy June we are now into July. Yes, this is Ohio, and summer in Ohio is particularly enjoyable, especially after a confusing spring! Your Chamber has a lot of fun activities on its schedule, and we hope that you can get out and enjoy as many activities as possible.

Our June meeting was held at the Mantua-Shalersville Fire Station, where everyone met our scholarship winners for this year. We held our annual golf outing, event provides the funding for the scholarship, on June 26. In July, we will have our annual outdoor luncheon, but this time we will be having it at the Sheldon Farm, which is the beautiful home of member Shirley Schuster. There will be a \$5 charge for non-members, but members and their guests will still get in at no charge. This luncheon is being sponsored by Shirley Schuster, JoAnn Vance and the Comfort Café, which will be providing the food for the day. In August, we will again be hitting Camp Hi for a fun & sun filled afternoon on the Cuyahoga, followed by a pot-luck joint dinner with the The Rotary Club of Mantua. September will find us back at the Fire Station, ready to go back to normal meetings. The steak fry will be scheduled for early October, when the weather is still nice.

The DMRC will be presenting the second annual Art on the Hill in July, and there is a community garage sale in the works for the Mantua-Shalersville area. Stay tuned to the website for further news, and if you are interested in helping out, please contact one of the officers. These are only a few of the events going on in the area, from free dinners to farmers markets. Christine Pitsinger has put together a Schedule of Events which is available at many local businesses and chamber meetings.

We did move the office from its location next to K&K Meat Shoppe to make room for another tenant, and Missy Lyle has been generous enough to give us a corner of her store to use as a base of operations. If you have any literature about your business, get it to Missy at Footprints for display in the store, and also to Edie Benner at Advanced Rehab for inclusion in the Chamber Member packets that she has for distribution.

Don't forget to visit the website often to take advantage of other offerings that the Chamber has available. There are new options for health care plans, including single member plans, an Aflac plan has been set up that can be used by the smallest business up to the largest entity, and NOACC is looking into more offerings in the realm of shipping discounts, payroll processing, collections, office supplies etc. We are here first and foremost to help you promote your business and prosper. Any program suggestions can be forwarded to any of the officers.

Have a great summer, and I hope to see you at some of these events.

- Marie Stehli

Scholarship Golf Outing...



The Mantua-Shalersville Area Chamber of Commerce hosted our 6th Annual Scholarship Golf Outing on Saturday, June 26. The Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the golfers, the hole sponsors and those who have helped make this another successful golf outing for the scholarship fund.

Thank you to Graham Harmon, Jason Lerchbacher and Christine Pitsinger for organizing the outing.

Thank you to the the businesses who donated door prizes and to those who donated products or services to the outing.

Hole Sponsors:

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Cortland Bank	Sue Smosarski	Mantua Auto Parts NAPA
Comfort Café	Lyle Tayerle - Aflac	Advanced Auto, Garrettsville
Hiram House Salon	Head 2 Toe Massage	The Community Journal

Congratulations Scholarship Recipients!



The Mantua-Shalersville Area Chamber of Commerce scholarship committee members Dorothy Caldwell and Paulette Nichols reported having a difficult time choosing two applicants from the 16 applications received.

After much thought and consideration, chosen to receive a \$1,000 scholarship each were Broc Benner and Grace Baran - Congratulations scholarship recipients! The Chamber of Commerce would like to thank Paulette Nichols and Dorothy Caldwell for their hard work and dedication the Chamber's scholarship program.



Membership Application

Business entities, organizations, clubs and individuals are eligible for chamber membership. You do not need to attend meetings to receive member benefits. Participate at your own pace on your schedule. We share a commitment to the community and hold a stake in the future of the area.

Organization/Business Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Business Address: _____

Web & Email Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Business Description: _____

Yearly Dues:

Individual Patron \$30

0-5 Employee \$50

6-20 Employees \$100

20+ Employees \$150

Complete form and mail with payment to: MSACC, P.O. Box 111, Mantua, OH 44255.

Chamber of Commerce Schedule of Events...

Wednesday, August 18 • 2-8PM ~ Chamber of Commerce & Rotary Club of Mantua Picnic & Canoeing at Camp Hi Canoe Livery

Wednesday, September 15 • 7:30AM ~ Chamber of Commerce Meeting ~ Mantua-Shalersville Fire Department, Conference Room
Featured Business: Law Office of Keith J. Barton • Guest Speaker: Benjamin Rosolowski, CPI Group Limited

Wednesday, October 20 • 7:30AM ~ Chamber of Commerce Meeting ~ Mantua-Shalersville Fire Department, Conference Room
Featured Business: Head 2 To Massage & Body Work • Guest Speaker: T.B.A.

Wednesday, November 17 • 7:30AM ~ Chamber of Commerce Meeting ~ Mantua-Shalersville Fire Department, Conference Room
Featured Business: Camp Asbury • Guest Speaker: T.B.A.

Are You a Chamber Member?

Joining the Mantua-Shalersville Area Chamber of Commerce is a great way to market your company's products or services while also offering you, a large selection of discounts and offers only available to chamber members.

For more information, visit our website at mantuashalersvillechamber.com

For information on chamber discounts, click on the MEMBER BENEFITS link to the far left of our home page.



Mantua-Shalersville Chamber of Commerce Goals:

- To advance the commercial, industrial, educational, agricultural and civic interests of the area
- To work together to support and promote local businesses and their products
- To work with elected officials to promote proper planning and growth
- To support and work toward local harmony for the betterment of citizens and businesses in the area

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