



The next Monthly Chamber Members' Meeting & Luncheon will be held Tuesday, September 21st, 2010 at 12 Noon at The Olde Summit Towne Restaurant. **Please note date!**

Pataskala Area Chamber of Commerce

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The Pataskala Area Chamber of Commerce (PACC) exists to represent and promote the economic development of the Pataskala Area (Southwest Licking County), through a proactive voice for its business community with meaningful benefits and leadership to its members.

Contact the Chamber

You can contact the Pataskala Area Chamber of Commerce:

- ♦ PO Box #132
- ♦ (740) 964-6100
- ♦ PACC132@embarqmail.com

Zoe Latimer is our Administrative Assistant.

She is usually in the office Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 1:00 – 4:00 pm.

If no one is in the office to answer your call, please leave a message and we will get back with you as soon as possible.

ATTENTION:

IMPORTANT CRIME ALERT!

Courtesy of Pataskala Chief of Police Bruce E. Brooks

The Pataskala Division of Police would like to advise residents in the western section of the city & county of the recent crime trends. We have been experiencing a substantial number of daytime home burglaries. They have been evenly mixed between rural homes & those inside of housing developments. They have been happening during the day, when most of us are away at work. We are also experiencing an unusually large amount of overnight thefts from cars. The people breaking into vehicles have gone as far as to smash out windows to get what they want. Below are some important safety tips to protect your neighborhood and property.

1. We urge everyone to get to know their neighbors. Maybe even to go as far as to have an emergency phone number for you neighbors. That way someone will know how to make contact with them to see if a stranger is allowed to be there in their absence.
2. Watch for suspicious people. Watch for someone going to a neighbor's backyard, after knocking on the front door. Be wary of people going door to door without identification. Also be wary of people either walking or driving through the area that are "casing" homes. Get over the fact that people will think you are a "nosy neighbor". We would bet that your neighbor would be thankful you called to report a suspicious person at their property than not.
3. Please know you don't bother the police when you contact us on a suspicious person. If you call & we talk to someone before they commit a crime they most likely will go somewhere where neighbors don't pay attention. If we get there after they committed a crime & find them, there is chance we can get evidence of the crime.
4. Avoid keeping valuables in your vehicle. Especially out in the open. Things like purses, book bags, wallets, garage door opener, CD's, cell phones & other electronics should always be taken inside with you. And don't forget to lock your doors. A large portion of thefts from cars happen because people leave their cars unlocked & valuables in plain sight. Also avoid putting valuables in the trunk in public places. There could be people watching you.
5. Try & keep your garage door down. We have had cases where home owners have been cutting grass in their backyard & thieves have stolen items out of their open garages.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact the police department at 740-927-5701. If you suspect someone of breaking into a home call **911**. In closing, we would like to wish you a happy & safe summer. We would also like to thank you for making your neighborhoods safer places to be.

Comment: This article has been published a number of times in local periodicals, but if it can stop just one crime, it is worth it. **STAY ALERT!**

Dear Members,

I trust everyone is having a wonderful summer. I hope a lot of you will be able to join us for a great time on the golf course for the 21st Annual Pataskala Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing on Thursday, August 19th, 2010 at Willow Run Golf Course and visit the Pataskala Street Fair to add to your summer events.

Remember there will not be a monthly Chamber luncheon meeting for the month of August. So mark your calendar for Tuesday, September 21st, 2010 and join us at the Olde Summit Towne at noon.

The Farmers' Market is

in "full swing" in the parking lot of the Pataskala Square Shopping Center. Please come out and visit our vendors. This will continue every Friday from 4 to 7 pm through the 10th of September.

Be sure to check out the events and announcements in the Chamber Newsletter. Please let us know if you have events and/or meetings that you would like us to list on our announcements page. We try to get our newsletter copy to the printer the last week of each month, so plan ahead.

The Chamber Board decided it would be a great idea to have a series of "After Hours Events" starting in September with Coughlin Automotive. We hope everyone will take some time out of

their busy schedules and network with their fellow members.

Stay tuned for further information.

Sincerely,



Bart Weiler; President

NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome The Reverend James Sharrett with the Pataskala United Methodist Church and Glenda Childress with PBJ Connections, Inc. our newest members.

Please remember, if you refer someone & they join the Chamber, you get \$20 off of your next year's membership dues!

LUNCHEON SPOTLIGHT SPEAKERS

COTC Pataskala Campus Administrator Julie Maurer will be our spotlight speaker in September.

As a chamber member, you are eligible to be a luncheon spotlight speaker once a year. If you are interested, please call / e-mail the office at (740)964-6100 or PACC132@embarqmail.com.



Work With A Committee!

PACC has developed several standing committees to further the growth of the Pataskala Area. The Committee Chairmen are:

Economic Development Committee-Bill Wright

Sub-Committees: Income Tax—Zoning—Downtown Revitalization

Marketing Committee- Nathan Willison

Sub-Committees:

Directory—Area Street Map—Website—Advertising

Events Committee-Mark Schillig

Sub-Committees: Speakers—Business After Hours—Golf Outing—Christmas Dinner

Ambassador and Chamber Benefits Committee-Brian Elder

Sub-Committees: Membership Retention—Welcoming—Benefits

- ◆ AFLAC Insurance Shawn Marquis Agy.,
Frieda Hoheisel (614) 889-0250 ext 215
Health Insurance:
Shawn Marquis/  Marty Vaughan (614)889-0250,
CA Riley Ins. (740)344-2141,
Scott Nicholson (614) 942-1315
- ◆ CompManagement, A Sedswick Group-
Genny Hart(614) 766- 5223 (Workmans
Compensation Group Rating Program)
- ◆ C.A.Riley Insurance Agency, Inc.
Commercial & Personal Property
- ◆ 25% off nights lodging @ Hampton Inn-
Heath, Thursday thru Sunday.
- ◆ 20% off PACC dues if member of LCCC
- ◆ 10% off rates at Emerald Storage.
- ◆ 10% off labor at Chet's Auto Repair
- ◆ 10% off purchase @ PAL PRINTING
- ◆ 2% off purchase of new home by Key
Homes
- ◆ New Member Referral Discount.
- ◆ Member to Member Networking Oppor-
tunities
- ◆ Monthly Member Luncheon Meetings
- ◆ Distribution of Chamber Directory &
Pataskala Area Street Map
- ◆ Advertise in the Newsletter for \$50.00
- ◆ New Resident/Business & Member Wel-
come Packets
- ◆ Use of Bulk Mailing Permit (200+pieces)
- ◆ Discount on Huntington Merchant Ser-
vices (VISA & MC) including free rate
reviews.

LOCAL & AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

PATASKALA 8th ANNUAL FARMERS' MARKET
Open every Friday, 4—7 pm thru Sept. 10, 2010 on the
Pataskala Square Shopping Center Parking Lot.

MEAD-NEEDHAM MUSEUM BENEFIT

This dinner will be held 8/17/2010 @ the Jefferson St.
firehouse. Tickets must be purchased in advance &
are on sale now @ the Nutcracker &
WLHS members.

21st ANNUAL PACC GOLF OUTING

8/19/2010 @ Willow Run Golf Course.
4 Person Scramble. Tee time 10am Sharp! Please see
enclosed flyer for more information.

SUPPORT the LICKING COUNTY UNITED WAY'S
2ND ANNUAL DUCK DERBY

08/21/2010 from 7—10pm @ the City of Heath Water
Park. For more information, contact Jo Fedor
@ (740)345-6685

LICKING COUNTY CHAMBER of COMMERCE

Business after Hours 08/19/2010 5-7pm @ Indian
Mound Mall in store next to American Eagle

WMHS CLASS of 1985 REUNION

scheduled their 25th reunion the weekend of
08/21&22/10 @ Ziggy's Bar on 8/21 7 then 8/22,
picnic/potluck @Newark Rotary Park

PATASKALA HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

Alumni Banquet will be held Sept. 18, 2010 @
Pataskala United Methodist Church-contact
Mary Alice Snyder for reservations.

LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**PATASKALA CITY COUNCIL**

meets on the 1st & 3rd Monday of the month
@ 7pm in Council Chambers, 621 W Broad St.

SWL LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD

meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month
@ the Kindergarten Center @ 7 pm

LICKING HEIGHTS SCHOOL BOARD

meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month
@ the High School Media Center @ 7 pm

THE PATASKALA ROTARY CLUB

meets Thursday Mornings @ 7:30
@ the First Presbyterian Church

LOCAL LION'S CLUB MEETINGS

Etna: meets 2nd/4th Mondays, call 927-5320
for more information

Pataskala: meets 2nd/3rd Thursdays @
United Methodist Church @ 7 pm.

Summit: meets 2nd & 4th Weds Lions Hall
on Summit Rd.

ZIGGY'S CRUISE IN

08/14/10 @ Registration 4-7pm to benefit Watkins
Memorial Athletic Boosters

MEET & GREET FOR
CONGRESSMAN PAT TIBERI

at High Lands Golf Club Monday, August 30th, 2010
from 6 pm to “?”



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"MARKETING OPPORTUNITY!"

Your Chamber has a whole page once a month in the Pataskala Standard, usually the week prior to our monthly meeting. This page has chamber information and is paid for by 6 business card size advertisements at the bottom the page. These ads cost \$30 each. We need to have members sign up for the months of Sept, Oct., Nov. & Dec. Here is a chance to get your business in front of everyone that reads "The Pataskala Standard". This page has been a marketing opportunity for our members for many years. Let's keep this page going. Please call the office for information:740-964-6100 or pacc132@embarqmail.com.

ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

August 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6 Farmers' Market 4-7	7
8 Hartford Fair	9 Hartford Fair	10 Hartford Fair	11 Hartford Fair	12 Hartford Fair	13 Hartford Fair * Farmers' Market 4-7 pm	14 Hartford Fair
15	16	17 MEAD-NEEDHAM MUSEUM BENEFIT DINNER	18 Annual Street Fair	19 21st Annual Golf Outing Willow Run	20 Annual Street Fair Farmers' Market 4-7	21 Street Fair Parade
22	23	24	25	26	27 Farmers' Market Farmers' Market 4-7	28
29	30	31 PACC Board Meeting 11:30-Nutcracker				

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