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#### APRIL 2018 NEWSLETTER



### Join us April 28-29 for the Wayne County Home & Garden Show



Spring is here! Warmer weather is just around the corner and it's time to get items on your "to do" list done. At the 2018 Wayne County Home & Garden Show, you can turn your home improvement projects into reality. With over 200 exhibitors, the show offers a myriad of services that will transform your home & lawn! The event is the longest running spring show with an amazing variety of the area's newest and innovative home products and services.

Admission and parking are free for the Home & Garden show which will be held Saturday, April 28th 10 am - 6 pm & Sunday, April 29th 10 am - 4 pm at the Wayne County Fairgrounds. The Wayne County Home & Garden Show features something for everyone with free children's activities, new car displays, floral display & competition, food concessions, a plant sale & presentation stage. We hope you will join us for this free family fun weekend!







See inside for details



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# Welcome New Members



#### Exotic Fabrications:

Exotic Fabrications, LLC is Owned by Gabe Griffith, of Loudonville, Ohio, and is a welding, fabrication, and machining shop that caters to new fabrication, repair, and modification of cars. trucks. and heavy machinery. Exotic Fabrications, LLC Is also a custom fabricator of small structure, hand railing, ornamental, and industrial type jobs. The shop is geared toward the idea, that you can drop off the equipment, and pick it up in ready-to-goto-work condition. While in the shop, a basic mechanical inspection is performed on the equipment and any issues found are addressed. All repair, installation, custom fabrication, and paint/finishing is done in house and is ready for the customer to put an operator in upon pickup and be sent back to work.





#### • Lavish Brows LLC:

Lavish Brows is a microblading clinic in Wooster. The clinic, owned by Jillian Marty, is located on Friendsville Road inside of HealthPoint, Microblading is a relatively new, manual method of permanent makeup to achieve the most natural looking eyebrow. Microblading is an application of semi-permanent pigment, drawn manually, into the upper layers of skin using the proper tools to mimic a natural hair. This technique allows Professional Brow Artists to recreate, correct and improve the appearance of eyebrows. Every one of Jillian's clients, whether its gaining symmetry, shaping, or creating brows in place of having none, will see satisfactory results! Call for an appointment to get your own Lavish Brows!

#### · Scentsy:

As an Independent Consultant for Scentsy I am completely in love with fragrance and how it makes life better. I love sharing inspiring fragrances and warmers that allow my customers to show off their own personal style. Fragrance connects us to our deepest memories and by sharing those memories with others it connects us to each other. I specialize in fund raising opportunities.

ECONOMIC INDICATORS					
	JAN 2018	DEC 2017	JAN 2017		
Unemployment, U.S.	4.5%	3.9%	5.1%		
Unemployment, Ohio	5.1%	4.2%	5.6%		
Unemployment, Wayne County	4.0%	3.5%	4.4%		
Labor Force, Employed Wayne County	57,900	59,800	58,400		
Labor Force, Unemployed Wayne County	2,400	2,200	2,700		
Wayne County Sales Tax by Month	\$1,113,986.34	\$933,722.74	\$1,110,283.28		

#### • JK Gift Shop:

Family owned and operated JK Gift Shop has been steadily growing since "Sisters" and owners Julie McNabb and Katie Heinz decided to open the gift shop ten years ago inside of their existing business The Interior Design Studio. The studio has been a feature of the historical Medina Square since 1999, when their mother Amy Douglass originally took ownership. Katie and Julie are excited to bring this same positive atmosphere and upbeat attitude to Wooster. Plans are to duplicate the already successful mix of unique and witty merchandise from the Medina store to the new Wooster location. With a great selection of on- trend fashion, home accessories, baby gifts and barware you'll be sure to find gifts you want to give and even gifts you'd love to get. Julie and Katie make frequent trips to Atlanta and New York to find new exciting products and home décor so there's always something fresh and fun to see in stock.

Small Business

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Ohio Small Business Development Centers

Workshops

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WHEN & WHERE

Wednesday, April 4th

Wednesday, May 2nd

Wednesday, July 11th

WOOSTER AREA

377 West Liberty Street

Wooster, OH 44691

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Register online at:

www.cantonsbdc.org A small materials fee applies

5:30 - 7:30pm

2 – 4pm

2 – 4pm



Headquartered in downtown Wooster, Wayne Savings is home to 100 local employees. Come celebrate as April is Community Bank month and learn how community banks support the local economy. There will be great door prizes from local merchants and we will be providing delicious appetizers and desserts.



Register for this event at goo.gl/FLQTG3

# 2018 RECEPTION

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The 2018 Small Business of the Year Finalists will be announced in May!

2 Wooster Area Chamber of Commerce

# **Celebrating Community Bank Month** at Wayne Savings

UPCOMING BAH SCHEDULE

Tuesday, April 17th, 2018 Register for this event at goo.gl/FLQTG3



151 North Market Street, Wooster

Tuesday, May 8th. 2018 Register for this event at goo.gl/a42Tqd

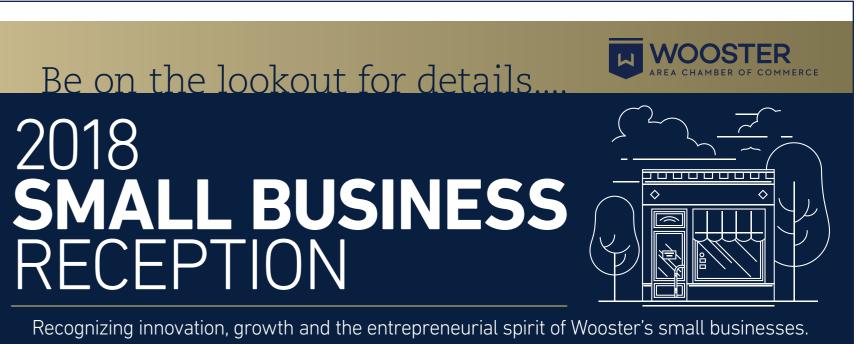


6020 North Honevtown Road. Smithville

Tuesday, June 5th, 2018 Register for this event at goo.gl/7pm1wo



1715 Mechanicsburg Road, Wooster



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# Register Today for the **2018 Chamber Golf Invitational**



#### Four Person Scramble

Registration 9:00am Tee Off Time 10:00am \$600 Per Team

#### **Entry Fee Includes**

- Continental Breakfast Buffet Dinner
- Hot Dog Cookout

#### Complimentary Drinks Proximity Prizes



#### **Sponsorship Opportunities**

Sponsor a hole or donate a prize or giveaway for this event.

#### Hurry & Sign Up Today! Space is limited to the first 36 teams!

To register call 330-262-5735 or email szimmerly@woosterchamber.com

# "Let me win but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."



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#### The annual Field of Dreams softball game is more than just an athletic contest. The event, which pairs business partners with Special Olympians, is a testament to good sportsmanship and team spirit, where the spectators cannot help but get caught up in the enthusiasm. Chamber members can get involved in this memorable annual event either through direct participation or through financial support. This year's game will be held on Saturday, July 14th at the Wooster Foursquare Church softball field. In addition to the game, there are plenty of related festivities, including a tailgate party, music, cheerleading, and food concessions. Funds from the event support the local Special Olympics program, as well as the Chamber. For more information, including sponsorship levels, or to become directly involved, go to www.woosterchamber.com for more details.

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**BOBBY WARREN** Founder & Owner. Wooster Media Group LLC

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# Leadership Students explore Small Enterprises in Wooster

The Leadership Wooster group met on Wednesday, March 7th to focus on Small Enterprise. The group started the day at Morrison Custom Welding learning about the passion Mark Morrison had that made his dream possible. Minglewood, Wooster's own distillery was next on the agenda with an overview & tour. The class continued on to Broken Rocks where Glen Grumbling shared the story of the restaurant coming to Wooster and the expansion of Rox Gastro Pub. The day continued on to Meatheads Union where Adam shared his excitement & love of meat. Lunch took place at Matso's where Spiro Matso gave an inspiring talk on working Company where Lynn shared her story of opening a chocolate store in downtown. A small business panel including Annette Saegger of Gilcrest, Greg Long of Long, Cook & Samsa, Mike McClintock of McClintock Electric and Pat Neyhart of Wooster Glass was very informative and eye opening. The day ended with a leadership connection activity with Rodd Welker of Eagle Advisor Group.

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- Where do visitors land on your website?
- Does your website utilize Google Analytics and do you understand the reports?
- How do visitors move through your website?
- · Why you don't necessarily want to bounce high

Bobby Warren is a former award-winning journalist who started Wooster Media Group LLC, a search engine optimization/digital marketing agency. He helps clients drive more web traffic to their websites through SEO audits, content creation (blog posts, videos, infographics), and social media management. He also builds websites.

Do you have fresh content?

A FREE PROGRAM TO MEMBERS

#### WHEN & WHERE

Thursday, May 10th 8-9:30am

WOOSTER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 377 West Liberty Street Wooster, Ohio

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# Now Seeking Leadership Students – Apply Today!

Leadership Wooster is the Chamber's premier leadership program designed to identify leaders and motivate them to take a leadership role in the community. Now in it's 22nd year, and with an alumni network totaling over 500 community members, the



program has become a network of business leaders who contribute to the area through a variety of ways including volunteering and serving on the boards of local agencies.

Leadership Wooster is a series of 10 day-long sessions each devoted to a community topic. Students learn about the local economy, government, education, medical field, community organizations, volunteerism, arts & religion, and small & large enterprise. Participation is open to anyone in the area who aspires to, or has talent for leadership positions. Tuition is \$1,000 for Chamber members and \$1,300 for non-members and covers all costs associated with the program. To apply, visit woosterchamber.com/programs/leadership-wooster for an application.



2017 Leadership Wooster graduates

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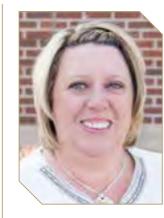
# Leadership Wooster Featured Students



CHRISTOPHER BUEHLER Director of Marketing, E&H Hardware Group

#### What do you hope to get out of the program?

I want to come out of this program not only with an enriched perspective of Wayne County's unique position in the business world (including how our own family business can continue to contribute positively to the community), but also with additional leadership and teamwork skills that I can apply in my daily life.



### **The Daily Record**

**KELLY GEARHART** The Daily Record, Advertising Director

Your favorite thing about Wooster or Wayne County?

The people of Wooster and Wayne County have been so welcoming. I live in Ashland and started my job at the Daily Record 3 years ago. I found both the business community and the general population to be very friendly and open.



#### JOHN SMITH

Director of Continuous Quality Improvement, Christian Children's Home of Ohio

#### What is your favorite quote?

"It is not necessary for a man to be actively bad in order to make a failure in life; simple inaction will accomplish it. Nature has everywhere written her protest against idleness; everything which ceases to struggle, which remains inactive, rapidly deteriorates. It is the struggle toward an ideal, the constant effort to get higher and further, which develops manhood and character." - James Terry White

# Health Care Day Continues to Grow and Make a Difference

The Health Care Industry in Wooster and Wayne County is extensive, with significant growth over the past decade in services and employees in the field. With future indications showing continued growth of Health Care, the Chamber, in partnership with the Wayne Economic Development Council and Orrville Chamber organized the 3rd annual Health Care Day. The event

focuses on exposing local high school students and instructors to Health Care providers throughout Wayne County. Held on Tuesday, March 6th the event saw more than 220 students from twelve school districts participate, in a day that supported a customized experience for the youth by assigning them to their desired provider. Such approach allowed the students to see first hand the type of profession, service or provider that they would like to learn more about.

Health Care Day has increased in participation each year on both the education and provider end, and has already garnered career connections for local youth. It's these positive connections that will continue to drive Health Care Day on an annual basis and gives all participants the assurance they need that the event is making a difference one student and one visit at a time.

The Chamber would like to thank Aultman Orrville Hospital, Brenn-Field Nursing Center, The Cleveland Clinic, Westview Healthy Living, Wooster Orthopedics and The Wooster Community Hospital for opening their doors this year.

**Participating Businesses** 



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#### REBECCA VAETH Adult Services Manager, Wayne County Public Library

#### Your favorite thing about Wooster/Wayne County?

I feel fortunate to live in a place that has great schools, parks, shopping, restaurants and beautiful countryside. The city of Wooster has a great urban vibe with all the perks of small town living.











Students experienced the equipment and process behind robotic surgery at The Wooster Community Hospital

#### **Participating Schools**



# 28TH ANNUAL WAYNE COUNTY HOME & GARDEN SHOW

# Saturday & Sunday, April 28th & April 29th Wayne County Fairgrounds

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### The Daily Record

# **PLANT SALE**

Ferns, Hanging Baskets, Pansies, Herbs, Miniature Gardens, Succulents, Vegetable Plants, Perennials, Gardening Supplies & More!





#### **Plant Sale Participants**









WEAVER CUSTOM HOMES

#### Home Design Trends Saturday, April 28th @ 11:30am

Presenter

Daisy Shamp, Design Consultant, Weaver Custom Homes

Get inspired with current and upcoming home design trends with colors and new products!



#### A Homeowners Guide to Tree Health Care Saturday, April 28th @ 1:00pm

Presenters

Corey & Dustin Parsons, Certified Arborists and Antoni Adamrovich

Identifying unhealthy trees and their risks, find the right place for the right tree and this years problematic pests.







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#### Savvy Succulents Sunday, April 29th @ 1:00pm

Presenter

Tiffany Sustar, Buchwalter's Greenhouse

These tough plants are so trendy and easy to grow! Learn about different kinds of succulents as well as tips for arranging and caring for them like a pro.



Tri-County Beekeepers Association Inc.

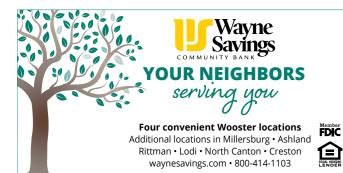
#### Introduction to Beekeeping Sunday, April 29th @ 2:30pm

Presenter Randall Westfall, President of the Tri-County Beekeepers Association

Learn the importance of the honeybee in everyday life.







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### What's Happening April 2018

#### APRIL 7 NIGHT AT THE RACES

A fundraiser for Quota International of Wooster. An adult night of fun and virtual horse racing with a live commentator and a derby hat contest. Name a Horse \$20 Dinner/ drinks/admission \$25 2 dinners and 1 horse \$60 American Legion Post 68 Doors open 5:30PM, Dinner 6-7:30. Races 7-9:30. 330-466-0083 woosterquota.org

#### APRIL 8 – OCTOBER 27 EXHIBIT: "CELEBRATING 40 YEARS OF THE OHIO LIGHT OPERA. A

COSTUME DESIGN RETROSPECTIVE" A collaborative effort of the Society and The Ohio Light Opera. Extended hours during summer OLO season. Details on website. Special opening of the Exhibit, Sunday, April 8 at 2PM. Wayne County Historical Society Fri & Sat 1-4 PM 330-264-8856 waynecountyhistorical.org

#### APRIL 14 **BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF WOOSTER**

**DINNER & AUCTION** The Boys & Girls Club will recognize outstanding accomplishments of our members at the Youth of the Year Dinner and Auction. Shisler Conference Center 5:30 PM 330-988-1616 bgcwooster.org

#### APRIL 14 GUIDED BIRD WALK

Free program-birders of all skill levels welcome. Please dress for the weather. Seaman Orientation Plaza-Secrest Arboretum 9 AM secrest osu edu

#### APRIL 14

CUSTOMER APPRECIATION SALE Come help us celebrate our

Anniversary in style. Hartzler Family Dairy Store Hours 330-345-8190 hartzlerfamilydairy.com

#### MARCH 17 LIGHT UP THE NIGHT, CELEBRATE

LIFES JOURNEY BENEFIT 70's themed live/silent auction to benefit LifeCare Hospice patients and families. Shisler Conference Center 6:00 PM 330-264-4899 LifeCareHospice.org

#### **APRII 18**

MUSIC ON MARKET: "RISING STARS" Four up-and-coming musicians will take to the Music on Market Stage. Free-will offering collected. Wooster United Methodist Church 7 PM 330-262-5641 fb.com/MusiconMarketWooster

#### APRIL 19

FUNCTIONAL CERAMICS RECEPTION View the 2018 exhibit and meet the presenters. Wayne Center for the Arts 7 PM 330-264-2787 wayneartscenter.org

#### APRIL 19 – 21 SPRING DANCE CONCERT

A formal and highly popular concert, presenting the works of faculty and advanced choreographers. Freedlander Theatre, College of Wooster 7:30 PM 330-263-2241 wooster.edu/academics/areas/ theatre-dance/productions

#### APRIL 20 WOOSTER SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA & WOOSTER **CHORUS CONCERT**

The Wooster Symphony Orchestra and Wooster Chorus will combine for a concert featuring the Franz Schubert Mass in G. Freedlander Theatre, College of Wooster 7:30 PM 330-263-2419 wooster.edu

#### APRIL 20 – 21 FUNCTIONAL CERAMICS

WORKSHOP Wayne Center for the Arts 330-264-2787 functionalworkshop.com

#### APRIL 21 BLUE BARN WINERY OPENING EARTH DAY

bluebarnwinery.com

#### APRIL 21 SATURDAY KID'S GARDENING CLASS

Start them young in the garden! We will have kid friendly handson garden projects to inspire your children to grow their own plants. We will look at seeds and sprouting, plant care, cool heirloom varieties plus make newspaper pots and plant seeds in one of the raised beds in the Lehmans patio garden. Register Now! lehmans.com

#### APRIL 21 SATURDAY CHICKEN CLASS

Local Amish man. AJ Miller has his own flock of 50 hens to provide eggs for his family. Register Now! lehmans.com

#### APRIL 21 HEALTHY KIDS DAY

Race starts at 9:30AM, Event starts at 10AM. free health screening for kids, food demonstrations. YMCA of Wooster 10 AM 330-264-3131 woosterymca.org

#### APRIL 23 - MAY 10 WAYNE COUNTY

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL ART SHOW See the work of aspiring artists from Wayne County High Schools. Art from all mediums will be available to experience. Wayne Center for the Arts Daily, 220-264-2787 wayneartscnter.org

#### APRIL 26

SCARLET. GRAY AND GREEN FAIR This festival celebrates, educates, and demonstrates that "Green is for Life!" Exhibits focusing on improving community and global sustainability. Food vendors and recycling, Fisher Auditorium, OSU Wooster Campus 11:00AM - 4:00PM 330-263-3761 u.osu.edu/sqqf

#### APRIL 27 – 28 SMITHVILLE VILLAGE YARD SALES

Over 100 yard sales. Smithville 9 AM-4 PM 330-669-2781

#### APRIL 27 - 28

FRIDAY-SATURDAY CUPCAKE TOUR 7 Stores. 7 Cupcakes. 7 Exclusive Coupons. 1 Sweet Cupcake Tour. Celebrate spring with a self-guided tour through seven much-loved stores in Wayne County. Receive a gourmet cupcake plus exclusive coupon savings at each store. Register Now!

#### APRIL 28 - 29 WAYNE COUNTY HOME & GARDEN SHOW

With over 200 exhibitors, the show offers a myriad of services that will transform your home & lawn! The event is the longest running spring show with an amazing variety of the area's newest and innovative home products and services.

# WOOSTER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEET YOUR REPRESENTATIVE!



REP. SCOTT WIGGAM. District 1, The Ohio House of Representatives

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10 Wooster Area Chamber of Commerce



# Round table with your State Representative Scott Wiggam

State Representative Scott Wiggam will be holding an open round table with Chamber members on Friday, April 6th, 2018 at the Chamber. The session will offer attendees the chance to address pertinent topics for your business. This casual session is also open to company representatives that have interest in receiving a general update on the

following topics that are being discussed at the State House:

 Unemployment - Compensation and Process • Opioid's in the Workplace Training



#### WHEN & WHERE

Friday, April 6th 8:00 - 9:00am

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# YP's Network & Bowl

The Wooster Young Professionals met up at Wayne Lanes on Wednesday, March 14th for a casual evening of bowling & networking. The competition was fierce, but a great time was had by all! We would like to thank Wayne Lanes for hosting us!



### Join us for the next YP Social at Leroy's & Bent Ladder!

Plan to join the Wooster Young Professional's on Tuesday, April 10th for a night of friends and conversation. Our April social will take place from 5 - 7 pm at Leroys on Palmer Street. Appetizers will be provided and a cash bar will be available.

Can't make it to Leroy's? Join us on Tuesday, May 15th from 5-8 pm at Bent Ladder. We will be taking a tour & learning about how the cider is made. Bent Ladder is truly a farm to table establishment. They offer a wide range of Hard Cider on tap as well as their own Wines made from the delicious apples and grapes grown at the Orchard. We hope to see you there!

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us Tuesday, April 10th from 5-7pm at Leroys for our April Social! Register for this event at goo.gl/5bvXvv

400 Palmer Street, Wooster

Join us Tuesday, May 15th from 5-8pm at Bent Ladder! Register for this event at goo.gl/2QXTD9

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# Area Business **Ribbon Cuttings**



HighPoint Furniture held their official Ribbon Cutting on Thursday, March 15th. The Chamber was thrilled to welcome Wooster's newest furniture store. Located on Cleveland Rd, HighPoint furniture offers some of the most popular furniture styles at a discount.



Members of the Wooster community joined together on Friday, March 23rd to welcome JK Gift Shop to town with an official ribbon cutting. Those in attendance enjoyed coffee and treats provided by Templeton's Scottish Bakery while checking out downtown Wooster's newest addition. The Chamber congratulates JK Gift Shop on their grand opening and looks forward to seeing them grow here in Wooster!

# Join our Facebook Giveaways!

Looking for a way to market your business? One way the Wooster Area Chamber of Commerce can help is through participating in one of our weekly Facebook Giveaways. Each week, the Chamber features a different member business on our Facebook page. The goal is to strengthen our relationships with our members and the community and we want you to be our next giveaway!

If you are interested in sponsoring a giveaway or would like more information about our Facebook Giveaways, please contact Grant Delaney, Membership & Marketing Coordinator, at 330-262-5735 or by emailing gdelaney@woosterchamber.com.

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# The 2018 Main Street Wooster, Inc. Event Calendar is Here!



Wednesday, July 4th

Concert, 7-8pm

Thursday, July 19th

Band Concert,

Thursday, July 26th

7-8:30pm

OLO Community Pops

 WC Historical Society Summer Community

#### Friday, May 11th

 Sounds of Downtown (street musicians), 6-8pm. Additional Dates: 5/25, 6/7, 6/22, 7/13, 7/26, 8/24, 9/21, & 10/26.

#### Saturday, June 2nd

• Kids' Day, 1-4pm Farmers' Market Opens, 8am-12pm (Saturdays thru Oct. 27)

#### Thursday, June 7th

 Ladies' Night Out, 5-8pm

#### Friday, June 15th

· Concert & Cruise In, 6:30-9pm

#### Tuesday, June 26th

• U.S. Army Field Band & Soldiers' Chorus, 7-8:30pm

#### Tuesday, July 3rd

 Air Force Band of Flight Concert, 7-8:30pm



Friday, Aug. 17th Concert & Cruise In,

Taste of Downtown

Wooster, 6-9pm

6:30-9pm

#### Thursday, Sept. 6th

 College of Wooster Pipe Band, 7-8pm

#### Saturday, Sept. 15th

- The 15th Annual Wooster Arts Jazz Fest, 11am-6pm
- Presented by Main Street Wooster, Wooster Rotary Club, Wooster City Schools with Boys & Girls Club of Wooster and the Wayne Center for the Arts

#### Thursday, Oct. 11th

 Main Street Wooster Beer & Wine Tasting, 5:30-8:30pm

#### Friday, Nov. 16th

 Window Wonderland, 7-9:30pm

#### Saturday, Nov. 24th

Small Business

#### Friday, Nov. 30th

- Downtown Churches Walking Tour, 5-8pm Presented by Main Street Wooster and the Downtown Wooster Churches
- Pictures with Santa at the Library, 5-7pm & Sat, Dec 1st, 10am-1pm

Presented by Main Street Wooster and the Wayne County Library.



Text DOWNTOWN to 85100 to opt in

for Main Street Wooster text notices!

### Saturday



The Wooster Area Safety Council will meet on Wednesday, April 25. The meeting, which will take place at First Presbyterian Church in Wooster, will run from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM. The group will hear from Mark Clendenin, Northeast Regional Business Development Manager for the BWC. Mark will give an update on the BWC including initiatives, programs, rules, etc.

Mark, a graduate of both Walsh University and Kent State University, has more than 30 years of experience in both the public and private sectors. His background encompasses nearly every aspect of the industry, including risk management, public and private accounting, manufacturing, construction, financial services, and teaching. Mark has made it his mission to work passionately to assist businesses in identifying workable solutions to business concerns through collaboration with decision makers.

We will also be presenting our annual safety council awards at the April meeting. If you have any questions, please contact Grant Delaney at 330-262-5735. We look forward to seeing you there!



MARK CLENDENIN

Manager, Ohio Bureau of

Workers' Compensation

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# Now Accepting Safety Council Enrollments!

Are you looking to save on your workers' compensation premium through the BWC? Joining the Wooster Area Safety Council gives your company the opportunity to earn a rebate up to 4% on your workers; compensation premium.

The Wooster Area Safety Council meets monthly from July to June with meetings lasting a little over an hour. In order to qualify for a rebate, members must meet the following requirements:

- Must be enrolled for the current BWC Safety Council year.
- CEO must attend one meeting.

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- Must attend a minimum of 10 Safety Council meetings during the year.
- Must submit two semi-annual reports.

If you would like to enroll in the Wooster Area Safety Council or learn more about the program, please contact Grant Delaney by calling 330-262-5735 or by emailing gdelaney@woosterchamber.com.



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# Upcoming Topic: Update on Ohio Workers' Compensation



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