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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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EVENT CANCELLED

Wednesday, October 8
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RIBBON CUTTING
4601 Carlisle Pike,
Mechanicsburg - 1:30pm

CHAMBER EVENTS

Watch for Weekly Updates!!

October

11 - Business Women's Networking Luncheon - at Members 1st FCU, 5000 Marketplace Way, Enola.
11:30am - 1:00pm. FREE member event.

11 - Mechanicsburg Halloween Parade - Start time is 7:00pm. Visit chamber website for registration and more information

18 - After-Hours - at Upper Allen Firehouse, 104 Gettysburg Pike, Mechanicsburg. 5:00am - 7:00pm. FREE member event. Sponsored by - **Zimmerman's Automotive Tire Pros**

25 - AM Strategies... for Business Success - Grit & Gravitas - will dive into what it really takes to succeed in business, meeting new growth demands, and attracting talent in a world of "quiet quitting. Held at **Buhrig's Gathering Place**, 25 E Main Street, Mechanicsburg.
8:30 - 10:00am. Sponsored by **UPMC**

RSVP to info@mechanicsburgchamber.org

For a full calendar of chamber and member events, visit www.mechanicsburgchamber.org/events

Thank You For Renewing Your Membership!

Welcome New Chamber Members

Keystone Elder Law, PC, 555 Gettysburg Pike, Suite B-200, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055; Maryanne Kastriba; 717-697-3223; www.keystoneelderlaw.com; Attorney

Totem Pole Winery, 207 West Main Street, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055; Joan Hopler; 717-713-8293; totempolewiner.com; Winery

TRU Construction LLC, 141 Lake Meade Drive, East Berlin, PA 17316; Chris Ritchie; 717-512-2183; truconstructllc.com; Building/Construction / Home Improvement

Business Women's Networking Luncheon

Tuesday, October 11
11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Join us....

at this NEW Headquarters location for a light lunch, business networking, and hear from Members 1st team members on what's happening in their world of banking.



EVENT LOCATION:
Members 1st
Headquarters Office
5000 Marketplace Way
Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

This event is free to Mechanicsburg
Chamber of Commerce members and only \$10 for non-members.

RSVP - info@mechanicsburgchamber.org or call 717-796-0811

Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce presents:

Business Leaders Discussion Group



**Thursday, September 29
7:45 - 9:00 am**

**Hosted by: Isaac's Brewhouse
4950 Ritter Road
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055**

This is a members only event. Free to attend.
RSVP - info@mechanicsburgchamber.org or call
717-796-0811

Perfect
for:
-business owners
-decision-makers
-management staff

Bring your questions and business topics and hear what others have to say!

Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce

Invites you to attend

27th Annual

Streets of Treats

in Downtown Mechanicsburg

Saturday, October 15, 2022

10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Trick-or-Treating at Local Businesses

FREE and Low Cost Activities, Crafts & Games

Pick up your trick-or-treating bag and
map of participating businesses at the Square at 2 East Main Street.

Questions? (717) 796-0811 info@mechanicsburgchamber.org
6 West Strawberry Avenue, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

After-Hours Mixer

Tuesday, October 18th

SPONSORED BY:



EVENT LOCATION UPPER ALLEN FIRE DEPARTMENT

104 Gettysburg Pike (UPDATED)
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055



Enjoy an evening of networking, refreshments and a chance to win a prize!

RSVP is easy, simply email
info@mechanicsburgchamber.org
or call 717-796-0811

AM Strategies...for Business Success

Tuesday, October 25th
8:30 - 10:00am



THE REAL SECRETS
TO BUSINESS
SUCCESS!!

WITH

ANNE CARNATHAN
AND ANNE DEETER
- GALLAHER

Anne Carnathan and Anne Deeter Gallaher are recording Season 2 Episode 5 of Grit & Gravitas live with the Mechanicsburg Chamber.

They will dive into what it really takes to succeed in business. Not just as women business executives, but as CEOs who are leading their companies through lingering COVID challenges, meeting new growth demands, and attracting talent in a world of "quiet quitting."

Drawing from more than 50 years of combined business experience, Anne and Anne promise to reveal several #businessvitamins that attendees can use immediately. "Simple, not easy," says Anne Carnathan and that applies to their Secrets to Success conversation too!

Event Location:

Buhrig's Gathering Place - 25 E Main St, Mechanicsburg
Parking available - off Strawberry Avenue.



RSVP to info@mechanicsburgchamber.org

Event Sponsored by **UPMC**

Date: 10/5/2022
Time: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (EDT)
Registration Deadline: 10/5/2022 9:00 AM (EDT)



Marketing Starts Here

Brand & Story Series:

How to Develop Your Brand Story

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ARKTOBERFEST

OCTOBER 8TH, 10AM-3PM



FREE ADMISSION!

MEMORIAL PARK MECHANICSBURG
(YORK ST. ENTRANCE NEAR BALLFIELD)

- 🍁 Local Vendors
- 🍁 Food
- 🍁 Kids Activities
- 🍁 Cornhole Tournament
- 🍁 Celsius Drink Sampling
- 🍁 Gym Tours

Local Vendors welcome! Contact:
noah@arkfitclub.com or call 717-230-1544

Ark Fitness Mechanicsburg
220 N York St. Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

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September 6th -
Nov 21st

Fall/Autumn
scented candle workshops
Wed/Thurs \$30 per person
Fri/Sat \$35

Private Parties / Events welcome
Must book ahead online
or call 717-748-6899

UAWC ANNUAL CRAFT SHOW

Save the Date!

October 29, 2022

CLICK FLIER for
MORE INFORMATION

Arts and Craft Show

We're Back!

This year at:
Mechanicsburg Middle School
1750 South Market Street
Mechanicsburg

Saturday, October 29, 2022
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Unique Handcrafted Items
Food available for purchase
Celebrating our 29th show!

Sponsored by Upper Allen Woman's Club GFWC

THESE EVENTS, PROGRAMS OR GROUPS ARE NOT SPONSORED OR ENDORSED BY THE GLEEFUL CANDLE CO. OR THE UAWC GFWC.

WEST  SHORE
YOUNG PROFESSIONALS



Thursday, October 20th

Where:

Central Penn College

600 Valley Road

Summerdale, PA 17093

TICKET PRICES

- WSYP Members & Partners: \$65/ticket
- Non-WSYP Members: \$75/ticket
- Ticket with New WSYP Membership: \$100/ticket

Register Here

HOST A CHAMBER EVENT!

**OPEN DATES:
for 2023**

Gain additional exposure for your business and choose a month today! Can't do it all by yourself? Team up with another business and work together.

There is no fee to host a Chamber event. Simply provide the space, food & beverages!

KIRK M. WISE -
SOLO, DUO AND
BAND - UPCOMING DATES

Sept/Oct

Fri. 9/30 – Capt. Bob's Steamed Crabs,
Railroad...Kirk solo 6-8

Sat. 10/1 – Flinchbaugh Orchards & Farm
Market, Hellam..Kirk solo 11 – 2

Sat. 10/1 – Hemauer Brewing,
Mechanicsburg...Kirk solo/duo 6:30-9

Sun. 10/2* – Apple Harvest Festival Harvest
Hollow Stage, Arndtsville 9:30 AM -3 PM...

Band

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ue. 10/3 – JoJo's Pizza Upper Allen...Kirk &
Friends 6:00- 9 (tentative)

Fri. 10/7 – Grandview Vineyard, Mount Joy...
Kirk Trio 6-8:30

Sat. 10/8 – Flinchbaugh Orchards & Farm
Market, Hellam..Kirk solo 11 – 2

Sat. 10/8 – Ohstrum Event 5-9...Kirk solo

Sun. 10/9 – Mt. Airy Orchards, Dillsburg ...
Kirk solo 12:30-3:30

For bookings, contact Kirk at
717-979- 0341, or
e-mail wisemotors@aol.com

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For complete up-to-date
schedule, information,
and addl information go to
www.jazzmeentertainment.com



The Lions Club of Mechanicsburg has been chosen as the designated Non-Profit at Wolf's Brewing Company during **the month of September!**

Please support the Lions by stopping by & having some great food & a Beer Flight!
Click here for details: <https://www.wolfbrewingco.com/flight-for-a-cause>



Power of the Purse

Friday, October 21, 2022

11:30 AM - 2:00 PM

Start Your Weekend Early !

- Purse Silent Auction
- Cash Bar
- Plated Luncheon
- Award Presentation

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SATURDAYS
on the square
MECHANICSBURG

RENAISSANCE MECHANICSBURG &
MARY WALSH WRITES PRESENTS -
1 W. MAIN STREET,
MECHANICSBURG, PA

Visit on
OCTOBER 15, 2022
during Streets of Treats

The **Food Trucks**
are back for 2022 !



May 20 June 17 July 15 Aug 19 Sept 16 Oct 21

MULTIPLE TRUCKS WITH A VARIETY OF FOOD!

Third Friday

4:30 PM - 8:00 PM

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
135 W. SIMPSON STREET - MECHANICSBURG
FUMCHURCH.COM - 717.766.4611

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Capital Region

is holding "Over the Edge," a rooftop rappelling adventure to raise funds for their 1-to-1 youth mentoring programs. Brave the 21-story descent on Friday, October 14th in downtown Harrisburg.

Register to rappel or sponsor at - [CAPBIGS.ORG](https://www.capbigs.org)

October 14

Go Over the Edge
Raise Funds for Youth Mentoring.



ATTN: BUSINESS OWNERS

This Fair brings kids between the ages of 5-15 years old to develop a brand, create a product or service, build a marketing strategy, and then open their creation for customers at our one-day marketplace.

This event will take place on **October 15th between 9 am to 12 PM**. Your experience in entrepreneurship and respect for the hero's journey these young budding entrepreneurs are on is something we believe will inspire them. We're in need of Entrepreneur Judges! Would you be available and willing to judge this event ?

Kidpreneurs Fair PA

Support your community kids on the day of the fair

FREE ENTRY FOR VISITORS !

SILVER SPRING COMMUNITY FIRE COMPANYS
6471 CARLISLE PIKE, MECHANICSBURG,
PENNSYLVANIA-17050

15 OCT, 9:00 AM -12:00 PM



Rules & Guidelines for Judges

Two judges per age category will walk around the event to judge the various businesses on the following categories:

- Most Original Business Idea
- Highest Business Potential
- Best Presentation / Creativity

There will be a winner in each age group and category. You will be provided with a score sheet that includes the business names, booth number, age group, and judging criteria.

Friends and family are welcome to attend the event.

For more information and to register as an Entrepreneur Judge **CLICK HERE**



The Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce 2022 Charity of Choice, Dog T.A.G.S. Program, recently shared some great news. Thanks to communications and promotion efforts of the chamber, Dog T.A.G.S. gained a new student in their first level class.

The Chamber has worked with many organizations over the years and annually selects a local charity to support through our events. It's very pleasing to know that our communications are providing information, reaching both businesses and individuals, to make quality connections.

For more information on the Dog T.A.G.S. Program visit <https://www.dogtagsprogram.org/>





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CUMBERLAND COUNTY WORKFORCE COLLABORATIVE PRESENTS: THE DEMOGRAPHIC DROUGHT

Join the Cumberland County Workforce Collaborative to discuss the labor shortage we're experiencing here and nationwide. Employers and higher education are already feeling the pain but the people shortage is only projected to get worse. So how did we get here? What are the economic ramifications? And is there anything we can do about it?

Lightcast presents "The Demographic Drought" which answers these questions by analyzing past, present, and future workforces. Lightcast is the world's leading authority on job skills, workforce talent, and labor market data helping to fuel community success. They have a team of economists and labor market analysts that utilize four data sources to provide the most complete, nuanced, up-to-date view of the labor market.

Ticket cost:

Cumberland Valley Alliance Members: Free (limit to 2)

Chamber Members: \$25

General Admission: \$50

8-9 AM: Networking & Breakfast

9-11 AM: Presentations

WHEN: November 2nd from 8-11am

WHERE: The Conference Center at Central Penn College
600 Valley Street Summerdale PA

[CLICK HERE TO RSVP](#)

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Keynote Speaker:



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(American Cancer Society)

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Jeff Corby (RMWP Candidate)
& Anne-Marie Brandt
(Campaign Manager)

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Awards Gala

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2022
VIP RECEPTION | 6:30PM
GALA | 7:30PM

SHERATON HARRISBURG HERSHEY HOTEL
4650 LINDLE ROAD
HARRISBURG, PA 17111

HONOREE

JACQUELINE ALEXANDER

SOARING ENTREPRENEUR
TRAILBLAZER

TO PURCHASE TICKETS:
WWW.NCBWHARRISBURGPA.ORG

Road to Success **JOB FAIRS**



*Looking for employment?
Join us for one of our upcoming job fairs!*

The Salvation Army
506 S. 29th Street, Harrisburg
Thursday, October 27
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Central Penn College
600 Valley Road, Summerdale
Tuesday, November 1
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.



- Explore new career opportunities
- Talk one on one with potential employers
- Ask questions about training
- Share your skills and experience with employers
- Make connections with business leaders

Learn about job opportunities from the following employers:

- Asbury Bethany Village
- Bridges at Bent Creek
- Center for Independent Living
- Country Meadows Retirement Communities
- Flagger Force
- Giant Food Store
- Hamilton Health Center
- High Hotels
- Members 1st Federal Credit Union
- Messiah Lifeways
- Patriot Home Care
- Pennsy Supply
- UPMC
- UPS