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Taste of the Town Coming April 3

Adams County's culinary showcase, the 15th annual Taste of the Town, is just around the corner. Don't miss this popular, sell-out event on Sunday, April 3, from 2-5 p.m. at the Eisenhower Hotel & Conference Center in Gettysburg.

Savor delicious offerings from area restaurants, bakeries, businesses and wineries. Dance to live music from Jazz Me Band. Catch the excitement of the Top Local Celebrity Chef Competition. Eat your heart out!

Here's a sampling of this year's vendors, who are bringing everything from crab puffs and mini crab cakes to fudge and donuts:

- Adams County Tech Prep
- Biggerstaff's Catering
- Brookmere Winery & Tasting Room
- Eisenhower Hotel
- Garden Grille & Bar at Hilton Garden Inn Gettysburg
- Great Gettysburg Coffee Company
- Halbrecht Vineyard & Winery
- The Links at Gettysburg
- Mister Ed's Elephant Museum & Candy Emporium
- One Lincoln
- Treat Yo Self Gettysburg
- Wolfe Ko. (affiliates 1863 Inn at Gettysburg, N.E.W. A-ville Inn, Reids Orchard & Winery)



Last year's Top Local Celebrity Chef Competition winners (center) Jesse Reichart, executive chef at Cross Keys Village - The Brethren Home Community, and Harry Hartman, Gettysburg Times publisher.

The event also includes the Top Local Celebrity Chef Competition, which pairs four local celebrities with chefs from area businesses to prepare three inventive dishes using unusual mystery ingredients from local vendors. The fast-paced competition is based on the Food Network show "Chopped."

The celebrities competing are:

- Vickie Corbett, executive director of the United Way of Adams County
- Alex Hayes, *Gettysburg Times* editor
- Randy Phiel, Adams County Commissioner
- Nina Redding, District Director of PSU Extension

Chefs leading the celebrities through the culinary challenge are:

- David Haynes, chef and instructor at Adams County Tech Prep
- Joseph Holmes, executive chef at the Gettysburg Hotel
- Paul Karsteter, executive chef at The Links at Gettysburg
- Ray Tappendorf, executive chef at the Inn at Herr Ridge

Taste of the Town is hosted by the Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce and benefits the local business community by helping the chamber provide low-cost programming and member investment rates. Last year, the planning committee also presented a check for \$573 to the Adams County Economic Education Foundation, which bridges the gap between the business and education communities to prepare students for higher education and the workforce. More than 30,000 students have benefited since 1991 through programs like the annual Adams County Career Fair.

Sponsors for the event include Carl E. Frantz Inc., *Susquehanna Style* magazine, Gettysburg Day Spa and the Redbud House.

Tickets are available at the chamber office or online at TasteofGettysburg.org.

The Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce is Adams County's largest and oldest business organization and supports the local business community by promoting diverse economic opportunities through advocacy, networking and information. Nearly 540 local businesses and organizations are members. For more information, visit gettysburg-chamber.org.




Sunday, April 3
2-5 p.m.

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Conference Center

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—MEMBER RENEWALS—

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30-39 Years

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5-9 Years

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1-4 Years

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Business News

The **bolded** businesses in Business News are Chamber members. Submit news (between 50-75 words) to news@gettysburg-chamber.org by the second Tuesday of each month for inclusion in the following month's publication.

ACNB Bank recently promoted Laurie A. Laub, Douglas A. Seibel and Thomas R. Stone to Executive Vice President. Reporting to James Helt, ACNB bank president, the officers are based at the bank's Operations Center in Gettysburg. Laub, who joined ACNB in 2005, will serve as the bank's chief credit and operations officer, overseeing credit administration, loan and deposit operations, information systems and special assets. An ACNB employee since 2008, Seibel will serve as the chief lending and revenue officer, in charge of all lending teams, treasuring management and sales development. Stone joined ACNB in 2009 and, as chief community banking officer, will oversee retail banking, human resources, marketing/branding and facilities management.

The **Adams County Farmers Market Association** opens a new Thursday afternoon farmers market on Lincoln Square in Gettysburg beginning in mid-May. From 2-6 p.m. through October, find fresh local foods. This market is in lieu of the Steinwehr Avenue market, which is closed during the construction of Appalachian Brewing Company and Best Western Gettysburg Battlefield.

Family First Health's Kids Against Cavities program visited **Vida Charter School** recently. Dental hygienists performed preventative screenings on more than 120 students. Family First Health, with offices in York County and Gettysburg, has offered this mobile program for several years, but this marks its Adams County debut.

The **Gettysburg Hotel** recently completed several service projects. Staff raised \$500 for Ruth's Harvest, a food program that provides a backpack of food to elementary aged children for the weekend. They also donated several boxes of non-perishable food items to the **Adams Rescue Mission** and toys to Toys for Tots.

In celebration of the Centennial of the National Park Service in 2016, rangers and other staff at 409 national parks will work closely with community partners, local businesses, schools and governments to celebrate a century of serving the American public. Partnering with the **Gettysburg Foundation**, the **Gettysburg National Military Park** is funding legacy projects that address long-term preservation needs at Cemetery Ridge and Little Round Top. Additionally, the park will host numerous events and programs throughout the year with community partners.

Penn State University recently cut the ribbon on new housing for College of Agricultural Sciences graduate students working with the **Penn State Fruit Research & Extension Center** in Biglerville to benefit the area's fruit industry. The duplex, located near Rice Avenue in Biglerville, was the result of a \$250,000 endowment by the State Horticultural Association of Pennsylvania.

The **Upper Adams School District** recently approved new courses for Biglerville High School with a focus on 21st century careers. Included are mobile phone applications designs, introduction to computer science and sound technologies. The school is also moving to allow accounting as a math credit and partnering with HACC on college algebra, principles of math and principles of chemistry.

YWCA, one of the nation's largest and oldest women's organizations, announced a new brand awareness campaign to reintroduce the Y, share its life-changing work and invite people to join them on their mission to empower women and eliminate racism. The new campaign, "On A Mission," will better reflect the mission of YWCA USA and its 225 associations, including the **YWCA of Gettysburg & Adams County**. YWCA USA invites the public to share how they have been positively impacted by a YWCA by coming to ywca.org to submit their story or posting on social media with the hashtag #OnAMission.

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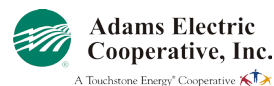
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Featuring a panel of state officials

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Member Spotlight

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Crystal Groves started Misfit Interactive after working for larger agencies over the last decade that provided services for large organizations and corporations. Using the knowledge gained from her developer and project management experience, she started Misfit as a means to support the smaller companies who needed an expert that knew how to work within their budget.

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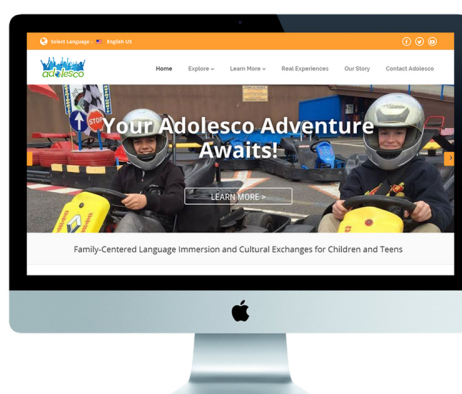
In recent news, Misfit Interactive has acquired new office space downtown at 122 Baltimore Street on the corner of Legion Alley across from the courthouse in Downtown Gettysburg. Teaming up with Forsythe & Donahue Tax Solutions, they have created a new lease-free office space called Gettysburg Grind that also provides a variety of office space options. If you need office space just for the day to telecommute, if you are looking for meeting space for your group, if you want to get out of the house a few days a week in a quiet professional environment, Gettysburg Grind provides the coworking space to accommodate. Many of the businesses in the building provide support for each other to maintain our mission of "Cultivating small businesses with affordable solutions, and resources they need to succeed". From tax and account information, marketing, and legal advice, we provide a solid base for new businesses to succeed.

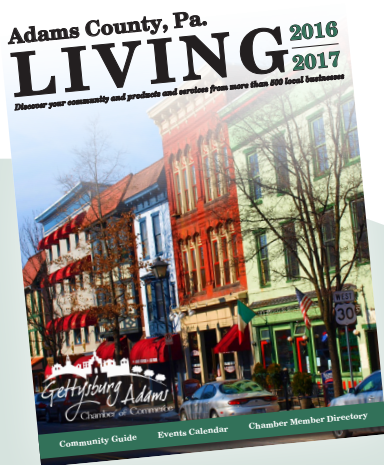
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WHO: We're helping people who live, work and play in Adams County discover the community and products and services from more than 500 local chamber businesses and organizations.

WHAT: We'll print 10,000 copies of a professional, quality magazine to promote YOU, our chamber members. Produced "in house" for the first time ever, local chamber member vendors will help us create and print a magazine that brings and keeps dollars in our community.

WHERE: The publication will be delivered directly into the hands of your potential business and residential customers. Approximately 7,500 copies of the magazine will be distributed to subscribers of the *Gettysburg Times*, another more than 500 will be delivered to chamber member businesses, and the remaining 2,000 copies will be available at member locations like real estate and doctors offices across the county and in the chamber office. Plus, the directory will be published online, with last year's directory receiving 112,500 views each month.

WHEN: Coming summer 2016.



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County CONNECTIONS

A breakfast where business connections are made and celebrated.

The Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce hosts County Connections breakfasts four times annually at locations throughout Adams County. With no formal program, chamber members have a chance to speak about their businesses to those in attendance. Additionally, the chamber recognizes milestone membership anniversaries.

Wednesday, Jan. 27, 8 a.m.
St. Francis Xavier Catholic School

Milestone Membership Anniversaries



1863 Inn of Gettysburg, Gettysburg – 35 Years



Graphcom Inc., Gettysburg – 30 Years



Gettysburg Hotel, Gettysburg – 25 Years



Cross Keys Village – The Brethren Home Community,
New Oxford – 25 Years



NRG Energy, Gettysburg – 15 Years



Destination Gettysburg, Gettysburg – 15 Years



Courtyard by Marriott, Gettysburg – 10 Years



Gettysburg Day Spa, Gettysburg – One Year



Misfit Interactive, Gettysburg – One Year



Larry Swartz, Auctioneer, Biglerville



Rose Lansing, Redbud House, New Oxford



Mindy Becker, Cross Keys Village – The Brethren Home
Community, New Oxford

Please review this commentary provided by Senator Rich Alloway (R) regarding education funding.

Over the past two years, Governor Wolf and his allies have made a number of dubious claims pertaining to education funding. There is no doubt that state government has an obligation to provide adequate funding for our schools, and like most lawmakers, I support the principle of ensuring our children receive a top-notch education. However, the only way we can move forward toward that goal is by being honest and setting the record straight on education funding.

The most pervasive lie parroted by the Wolf Administration is the mythical "billion-dollar cut to education," which never actually took place. No matter how you twist and manipulate the numbers, there was simply never a cut of a billion dollars in direct state funding to education under any governor before Wolf was elected.

In my first year in office in 2009, the state's education budget totaled approximately \$9.1 billion. An additional \$650 million was made available through federal stimulus funding that was intended to cushion the economic crisis brought on by the recession. Approximately \$100 million fewer dollars were allocated in the 2010-11 budget, but this funding was backfilled with an additional \$350 million in stimulus money. While this represented an increase in total dollars allocated to school districts, school boards and administrators were warned that the additional funding was temporary and should be spent conservatively in order to prevent future funding problems.

When the federal stimulus funding expired during Governor Corbett's first year in office, it created a shortfall of approximately a billion dollars. I joined my fellow lawmakers in supporting more than \$350 million in additional state funding for schools. While this additional state funding helped meet the needs of the education community following the loss of federal funding, this total represented a reduced appropriation for schools from the previous year. However, allocations for education have increased every year since to a record-high \$10.2 billion in 2014-15.

Today, total spending on education is higher than at any other time in Pennsylvania's history.

The budget recently approved by lawmakers went one step further by devoting a historic high of nearly \$10.7 billion to our schools. That is, until Governor Wolf cut more than \$3 billion dollars from education through his line-item vetoes in December. This cut was the first time in the state's history that a governor saw fit to cut education funding by a billion dollars or more. The financial consequences of this cut have been more dire and calamitous than any previous gubernatorial action on the budget. When the governor talks about cuts to education, the conversation should start with the \$3 billion he is continuing to withhold from our schools.

The governor recently announced that his 2016-17 budget would include a total of approximately \$577 million more for education since the last fully enacted budget, even though most of these dollars will be lost to a public employee pension system that is in desperate need of repair. My position on this issue remains unchanged – we should not devote significant new resources to our schools without addressing the biggest financial pitfall they currently face. New payments for pensions totaled nearly a billion dollars in the current fiscal year. That money would be better spent in the classroom instead of funding a system that taxpayers can no longer afford.



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Committee Updates

Business & Industry

The Business & Industry committee worked with local school district officials to plan the second annual Business Education Summit, held Feb. 23. The focus of this year's summit was determining specific skills gaps in Adams County's workforce and identifying opportunities for businesses and schools to work together in better supporting our future employees.

Environmental

The committee is working on a Green Recognition certification for chamber member businesses. Businesses that meet certain criteria related to environmental stewardship, like recycling and energy efficiency programs, may apply for the recognition and receive a window cling to promote green efforts. The committee also discussed concerns about recycling services.

Golf Outing

Plans are underway for the 15th John R. White Golf Tournament, set for June 9 at Carroll Valley Golf at Ski Liberty. Confirmed sponsors are Adams Electric Cooperative Inc., C.S. Davidson, Carl E. Frantz Inc. and Schmuck Lumber Company. Committee members are currently seeking additional sponsorships.

Legislative

The committee is finalizing plans for the State Legislative Luncheon Friday, March 11, at 11:30 a.m. (page 4). Topics for discussion suggested by the committee include the state budget, pension reform, liquor reform, liquor privatization and medical marijuana. Reports were heard from Congressman Perry's Office, including a discussion on the Syrian refugee program, State of the Union Address, gun reform, upcoming session goals and federal budget. Reports were heard from

Representatives Tallman and Moul and Senator Alloway's Office regarding the state budget, ghost voting, severance tax, pension reform and education funding.

Marketing Advisory

The committee is working with chamber staff on a new membership directory (information on pages 6-7). Discussion also focused on a potential partnership with the *Gettysburg Times* on the Gettysburg 2 Go App, the official app of Gettysburg and Adams County.

Membership

The chamber began January with 533 members, gained five and dropped four, for a total of 534 members as of Jan. 31. Nine milestone membership anniversaries were recognized at the Jan. 27 County Connections breakfast. Also at the breakfast, members raised \$472 for Survivors Inc. and SCCAP. The committee is working on a membership survey. Eight applications for Chamber Ambassadors were received, with an orientation held Feb. 12.

Taste of the Town

Planning is underway for the April 3 event. Vendor applications are being collected by committee members (see cover story). Judges, chefs, celebrities and secret ingredients are confirmed for the Top Local Celebrity Chef Competition.

Wine Festival

The committee is planning for the Sept. 10-11 event. To date, 27 wineries are confirmed with six on the waiting list. Staff will work to adjust the festival layout and formalize a weather contingency plan. RFP's for rentals, glasses, printing and security were received and reviewed.

COFFEE TALK



JOIN THE CHAMBER FOR AN INFORMAL DISCUSSION OVER MORNING JOE DURING THE INAUGURAL COFFEE TALK.

TOPIC: GAINING EXPOSURE FOR YOUR BUSINESS

WHEN: MARCH 16, 8-9 A.M.

WHERE: TBD

RSVP: BY MARCH 10 @ GETTYSBURG-CHAMBER.ORG



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A breakfast where business connections are made and celebrated.

Wednesday, April 6

8 a.m. Registration, 8:30 a.m. Program
The Links at Gettysburg
601 Mason Dixon Road, Gettysburg

Cost is \$15 (non-member \$20)
and includes a continental breakfast.



RSVP by March 23 to 717.334.8151
or at gettysburg-chamber.org.

Community Partners

16th Annual Adams County Career Fair

The 16th annual Adams County Career Fair is on the Gettysburg College campus March 9. Tenth grade students from all six Adams County public school districts, along with students from two local private schools and the Lincoln Intermediate Unit #12, will attend the career fair. They'll get the inside scoop on three careers of their choosing, from about 60 career offerings. Plus, they'll have the chance to experience a college campus.

This is not a job fair; it is intended to help students chart their path from high school to the career they will pursue for their working lives.

Career speakers explain what classes the students might need in high school, what degrees are needed and what avenues to follow for further training or schooling. The speakers can also help the students understand what it is like to perform a job on a daily basis. Career speakers are all volunteers from our community. Some have been involved in the career fair for years and have influenced hundreds of youth on their career choices. Many of the students would not otherwise have had the opportunity to speak with someone involved in some of the fields.

The careers represented this year are:

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| Accountant | Information Technology/ |
| Advertising/Marketing | Computer Programming |
| Agriculture/Technology in | Intelligence Community |
| Agriculture | Interpreter/Translator |
| Allied Health, Archaeology | Journalism/Newspaper |
| Architecture/CADD | Law Enforcement |
| Art Careers/ Art Therapy | Attorney/Paralegal/Legal Technician |
| Automotive Technician/Mechanic | Manufacturing/Robotics |
| Aviation Industry | Medical Imaging |
| Biologist/Chemist/Forensic Biology | Military |
| Child Care/ Early Childhood | Minister/Religious Careers |
| Education | Musician |
| Chiropractor | Nursing |
| Construction/Carpentry | Photographer |
| Cosmetologist | Physician/ Physician's Assistant/ |
| Counselor/Guidance Counselor | Nurse Practitioner |
| Dentistry Related Fields | Probation Officer/Corrections |
| Electrician | Officer |
| Electronics | Psychologist |
| Engineering | Public Service |
| Entrepreneur/Business Owner | Radio Broadcasting |
| Financial Management/Banking | Rehab Medicine |
| Fire Fighter | Social Worker/Social Services |
| Food Prep/Chef/Culinary Arts | Teacher |
| Forestry/Wildlife Management | Television Broadcasting |
| Graphic Design/Commercial Arts | Theater/Performing Arts |
| Horticulture/Landscaping | Transportation |
| Hospitality/Event Planning | Veterinarian/Vet Assistant |
| Human Resources | Web Design |
| HVAC | Welder |

Grow Your Business with ACEDC

Did you know that Adams County Economic Development Corporation (ACEDC) can help you establish or expand your business through a variety of financing strategies?

For example, subordinate, fixed rate financing is available for real estate construction, acquisition, machinery and equipment purchases. Also, the SBA 504 Direct Loan Program offers subordinate financing on fixed assets, at fixed interest rates.

See ACEDC's website for current interest rates. Please contact ACEDC Vice President Kaycee Kemper at 717.334.0042 or Kemper10@acedc.org for more information.

Nearly New Sale Set for March 18-19



The YWCA Gettysburg & Adams County will host the semiannual Nearly New Sale March 18-19 in the gymnasium at 909 Fairfield Road, Gettysburg. Shop for great deals on gently used infant and children's clothing, toys, books,

games, and more. This sale is a win-win-win: shoppers can find great children's clothing and other items at a fraction of the store price; consigners can make money on their gently used items; and the rest of the proceeds from the sale benefit YWCA programs and operations.

Consignments of clothing (spring and summer clothing only, up to size 18), shoes, and toys, and baby equipment and furniture will be accepted beginning March 13.

Volunteers who give at least 5 hours of time by the end of the day on Wednesday, March 16, will be eligible to shop the pre-sale on Thursday, March 17.

For more information or for complete consignment guidelines, visit ywcagettsburg.org. To volunteer, call Nancy Lilley at call 717.334.9171, ext. 115.

Destination Gettysburg Launches New Travel App

Destination Gettysburg has launched a new app to showcase Adams County's variety of experiences for visitors and local residents alike. The app is intended for visitors to use both before and during their trip - highlighting attractions, lodging, dining and entertainment, shopping, discounts and maps to help visitors navigate the region.

Since its launch in late January, the app already has 500 downloads and is available through Apple and Google Play.

The app allows Destination Gettysburg to send push notifications based on geography, meaning that messages offering discounts or news about an event could be targeted only to visitors while they are in Adams County. But, messages that are broader in scope and less timely in nature can be sent to all app users or in a specific location.

The app provides direct links to Destination Gettysburg's social media channels, blogs, itineraries and travel videos. Each of the organization's nearly 300 members are provided with free travel listings of their businesses similar to Destination Gettysburg's website and other materials. The app allows users to search for businesses based on categories such as dining and lodging or attractions and shopping, find out more information and locate those members with directions and contact information.

Download the app at destinationgettysburg.com/trip-ideas/my-gettysburg-app.asp.



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