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## **Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce Seeking Award Nominations**

**Gettysburg, Pa.** – The Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce, Adams County’s largest and oldest business organization, is seeking nominations of its member businesses for the 2016 Small Business Person, Environmental Stewardship and Educator of the Year awards. Nominations are due April 8.

The awards are presented during the chamber’s Awards Breakfast at 7 a.m. on Tuesday, May 10, at the Hanover Country Club in Abbottstown.

For nomination forms, visit [www.gettysburg-chamber.org](http://www.gettysburg-chamber.org) and click on “News & Programs” then “Nomination Forms.”

The Small Business Person award recognizes a business man or woman who best represents the principles of the chamber in business success, personal achievement and community service. Successful nominations show business history and growth, evidence of business innovation, challenges overcome and community involvement. The business must be a chamber member to be eligible for the award.

The Environmental Stewardship award honors area businesses, industries or organizations that have implemented programs or projects that have had a positive environmental impact on Adams County. Nominations should demonstrate how innovative projects have improved the environment. The business must be located in Adams County to be eligible for the award.

The Educator of the Year award recognizes educators who inspire the love of learning in students of all backgrounds, work with various business and community agencies and play an active role in the community. Nominees must work in an Adams County educational system and have been involved in education for at least three years.

The chamber's Awards Team will review and evaluate all nominations based on the award criteria, written narrative and supporting evidence. All nominations will be treated as confidential but may not be anonymous.

The chamber supports the Adams County business community by promoting diverse economic opportunities through advocacy, networking and information. Nearly 540 local businesses and organizations are members. For more information, visit [www.gettysburg-chamber.org](http://www.gettysburg-chamber.org).

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