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Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce Seeking Educator of the Year Nominations

Gettysburg, Pa. – Nominate an Adams County educator who is committed to developing the potential of students and strengthening the local community for the Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce Educator of the Year award. Nominations are due April 17.

The award is presented during the chamber's annual Education Breakfast at 8 a.m. on Thursday, May 19, at the Lodges at Gettysburg.

For a nomination form, visit <u>www.gettysburg-chamber.org</u> and click on "News & Programs" then "Nomination Forms."

"Adams County schools are home to exceptional educators, administrators and support professionals who work countless hours for the betterment of their students and the community," said Gettysburg Adams Chamber of Commerce President Carrie Stuart. "This award recognizes their tireless work and many contributions to our community and our future."

Successful candidates 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.

Past winners are Dr. Eric Eshbach, Upper Adams School District former superintendent; Alecia Kraus, New Oxford High School Spanish teacher; Matthew McFarland, Conewago Township Elementary

School second grade teacher; Amy Beckman, New Oxford Middle School special education teacher; and Anthony Angelini, New Oxford Middle School social studies and language arts teacher.

The chamber supports the Adams County business community by promoting diverse economic opportunities through advocacy, networking and information. More than 530 local businesses and organizations are members. For more information, visit www.gettysburg-chamber.org.

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