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OUR MEMBERS & OUR COMMUNITY

We serve our membership as a catalyst – the organization through which business and professional people work together for the common good of the community.

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BUSINESS COMMUNITY BREAKFAST A HUGE SUCCESS!



2020 VISION

The Chamber held its first Business Community Breakfast on January 22nd to give our members a chance to meet and hear the 2020 outlook for Erie County as well as the Town and Village of Orchard Park. There were invited officials on the forum to allow the business owners an opportunity to learn about the role each official has in the community. Topics that pertained to our businesses were discussed, and time was allotted for a question and answer format at the end of the presentations.



BUSINESS COMMUNITY BREAKFAST 2020

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22
8:00 AM – 9:30 AM
ORCHARD PARK COUNTRY CLUB
4777 S. BUFFALO ST.

In an effort to give our members, as well as the community leaders an opportunity to have an **open discussion** on what is planned for the 2020 year, the Orchard Park Chamber is presenting a continental breakfast at the Orchard Park Country Club. We would be honored to have you join us at this informative event.

Public Officials from the county, town, village and schools will share a short perspective of their outlook for 2020 as well as address some initiatives that pertain to the Orchard Park Businesses. Some of our anticipated speakers include:

- Hon. John J. Mills – Erie County Legislator, District 11
- Dr. Patrick Keem – Supervisor, Town of Orchard Park
- Jo Ann Litwin Clinton – Mayor, Village of Orchard Park
- Matthew McGarity – Superintendent of the Orchard Park School District
- Joe Wehrfritz – Chief of Police, Town of Orchard Park
- Wayne Bieler – Town Engineer, Town of Orchard Park
- Ed Leak – Director of Recreation, Town of Orchard Park
- Emery Wittmeyer – Manager of Public Works, Village of Orchard Park
- Carl Calabrese – Erie County Water Authority

With a strong representation from our business community, we can work together to generate a stronger future for business in Orchard Park.

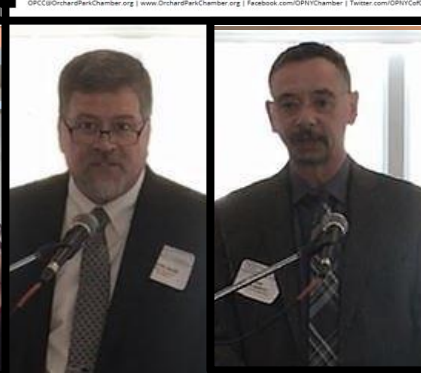
To attend this complimentary breakfast, please **RSVP by January 17th**.

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The Chamber's 2020 Directory was displayed for our members to see. We are looking forward to a lot of exciting happenings for this new decade. We highlighted the many major events planned for this year and hope that you will be a part of this vision.



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EXPO

March 21, 2020

9am – 1pm

Orchard Park Community Activity Center
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SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

GOLD SPONSOR \$500

- Premium Exhibitor Location
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- Logo on All Event Marketing Pieces
- Personalized Facebook Video Featuring Your Company
- Link to Your Company's Website from Our Event Website
- Recognition on Event Website, Social Media

___ **Gold Sponsor (\$500)**

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___ **Patron Sponsor (\$100)**

EXHIBITOR – Chamber Members Only

___ **Exhibitor (\$100)** 8' x 6' Display Area
with a 6' Table and Two Chairs

___ **Not-for-Profit Chamber Membership (\$105)**

___ **Chamber Membership (\$180 & up)**

SILVER SPONSOR \$250

- Exhibitor Location
- 8' x 6' Display Area with a 6' Table and Two Chairs
- Name on All Event Marketing Pieces
- Recognition on Event Website, Social Media

PATRON SPONSOR \$100

- Name on All Event Marketing Pieces

We will try to accommodate your needs as much as possible. In order for your business to receive the most name recognition, early registration is recommended.

Each Exhibitor is encouraged to bring a Raffle Item for their booth. This is an intrical way to draw guests to your booth.

Business Name _____

Address _____

Contact Person _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Website _____

Do You Need Electricity? Yes / No

Please complete and return to:

Orchard Park Chamber of Commerce
6524 E. Quaker Street
Orchard Park, NY 14127

Phone 662-3366
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GOLF OUTING PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

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CART SPONSOR – \$1,000 (1 Available)

Register for this sponsorship by April 17th to be included on the registration form

- **EXCLUSIVE** signage on all golf carts
- Include your brochure or product promoting your business in each cart
- Provide a representative for announcements prior to shotgun start
- Recognition in our newsletter
- Recognition on Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- Recognition in all media releases
- Logo on Registration Form
- Recognition on Event Signage at Outing
- Set up display at dinner promoting your business or product



ACE SPONSOR – \$400 plus prize of any value (3 Available)

Register for this sponsorship by April 17th to be included on the registration form

- Recognition in our newsletter
- Recognition on Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- **EXCLUSIVE** sponsorship of hole #6, #10 or #16, each with a prize for a hole in one
- Recognition in all media releases
- Logo on Registration Form
- Recognition on Event Signage at Outing
- Set up display at dinner promoting your business or product
- Have representative at tee promoting your business or product
- Provide a representative for announcements and raffle prize presentation



PUTTING SPONSOR – \$200 plus prize valued at \$150 or more (1 Available)

- **EXCLUSIVE** signage on putting green
- Recognition in our newsletter
- Recognition on Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- Recognition in all media releases
- Set up display at dinner promoting your business or product



BIRDIE SPONSOR – \$100 plus prize of any value

- Recognition in our newsletter
- Recognition on Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- Hole sponsorship (sign with your name prominently displayed on hole)



19TH HOLE SPONSOR – \$500 (1 Available)

Register for this sponsorship by April 17th to be included on the registration form

- **EXCLUSIVE** signage on 2 beverage carts with your representatives serving
- Include your brochure or product promoting your business in beverage carts
- Provide a representative for announcements prior to shotgun start
- Recognition in our newsletter and all media releases
- Recognition on Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- Logo on Registration Form
- Recognition on Event Signage at Outing
- Sign displayed in bar area after tournament
- Set up display at dinner promoting your business or product



EAGLE SPONSOR – \$225 plus prize of any value

Register for this sponsorship by April 17th to be included on the registration form

- Recognition in our newsletter
- Recognition on Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- Hole sponsorship featuring sign on tee of your choice (as available)
- Recognition in all media releases
- Recognition on Registration Form
- Recognition on Event Signage at Outing
- Set up display at dinner promoting your business or product



FANTASY CARD SPONSOR – \$200 plus prize valued at \$100 or more (1 Available)

- Recognition in our newsletter
- Recognition on attachment to Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- Business name and donation prominently displayed during registration
- Announce Winner at Outing
- Printing on back of scratch-off card



RAFFLE SPONSOR – Donate a raffle prize with a minimum value of \$75

- Recognition in our newsletter
- Recognition on attachment to Golfers' Instruction Sheet
- Business name and donation prominently displayed during registration
- Pull winning ticket and present prize at Outing



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JUNE 1, 2020 · ORCHARD PARK COUNTRY CLUB

Yes, sign me up!

I would like to participate as a sponsor of the Chamber's 29th Annual Golf Outing!

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Business Name _____ Contact Name _____

Business Address _____ Email Address _____

Prize to be Donated _____ Value _____

Phone _____ Tee # Preferred (If Applicable) _____

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Boys & Girls Club of Orchard Park & Boston

As the demand for the Club's services continues to grow, our need for financial support also grows. The Club aggressively pursues funding from grant sources and the Board of Directors are actively involved in fundraising events to acquire the funds we need to provide services for our kids. We cannot provide the quality programs and services without the support of our community. Please join us to raise funds to support our mission.

“Celebrating Orchard Park & Boston”

Friday, March 6, 2020, 7:00-11:00 p.m. at Orchard Park Country Club

****Open Bar*Food Tastings by Local Restaurants*Silent Auction*Live Music by 716 Dance Band****

A few ways you can get involved:

Businesses: Event sponsorship participation is a great way to support the event and advertise for your business at the same time. You can do this by purchasing one of our 3 levels of Sponsorships listed below:

GOLD SPONSOR - \$1000

14 Tickets for the event
Advertisement in Program

SILVER SPONSOR - \$800

10 Tickets for the event
Advertisement in Program

BRONZE SPONSOR - \$500

6 Tickets for the event
Advertisement in Program

Restaurateur: To all Restaurant Owners or Managers, not only is this an amazing opportunity to support a community fundraiser but your restaurant will also receive great exposure by participating in this event! There is no direct fee for you to participate. Your only expense would be to supply and serve samples of 1-4 different food specialties of your choice to attendees of the event throughout the night. You will receive (2) tickets to the event as well for yourself or someone of your choosing to enjoy the event!

Auction Items: We are seeking donations of items deemed appropriate to be used in our silent auction. We will put any goods or services you provide to good use to raise funds that directly benefit this event. With a donation worth \$500 or more you will receive (2) complimentary tickets to attend the event.

Individual Tickets: Sale Price of \$75 per ticket.

For more information please contact:

Executive Director: Billy Gehen Email: bgehen@bgclubop.org Cell: 861-0841, or

Administrative Assistant: Maura Wellington Email: mwellington@bgclubop.org Direct: 667-0841



Orchard Park Pride

33rd Annual School-Business Salute to Outstanding Student Character, Leadership & Achievement

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TO THE LEADERS OF THE ORCHARD PARK COMMUNITY:

The ORCHARD PARK PRIDE PROGRAM recognizes outstanding high school seniors for their academic and vocational achievements, character, and leadership. As we acknowledge these young people, we alert area employers to the high quality of our students who are potential employees and we make the students aware of the possibilities available in Orchard Park for future employment.

ORCHARD PARK PRIDE RESERVATION FORM

Please reserve _____ sponsorship(s) for the April 30, 2020 ORCHARD PARK PRIDE AWARDS BANQUET @ \$150.00 EACH.

Please check all that apply:

() I wish to attend the dinner to sponsor the following student(s):

() I wish to attend the dinner to sponsor a student(s), as per the above, and place an ad in the special Orchard Park Pride section of the Orchard Park Bee. A total sponsorship of \$271.00 includes a 3-1/4" x 2-1/4" ad in the Orchard Park Bee, and publishing on the Bee's website. A Bee representative will contact you regarding wording of the ad.

() I wish to attend the dinner, but am not specifying a student and would appreciate you making the assignment.

() I prefer to be a Patron Sponsor of the Awards Banquet. I understand that a specific student will not be assigned to me and I am not expected to attend the dinner, even though I am enclosing the sponsorship fee.

Organization Name: _____
(On the line above, please write how you would like your name/organization listed in publications.)

Career Area to which your business relates: _____

Name of Contact Person	Address	Phone #
Representative who <u>will attend</u> the banquet (<u>if different from above</u>): (It is <u>mandatory</u> that someone from your organization be present to be seated with the assigned student.)		

Name	Address	Phone #
E-mail Address: _____ Cell phone number: _____		

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...**Heather Henry**, promoted to director of operations and **Bob Henry** promoted to director of services at **clevermethod**.

...**Bill Even**, owner of **The Coming Wave LLC**, named the 32nd recipient of the Orchard Park Post of Fame distinction. Bill was honored for his outstanding service to the community.

...**Eddie Howe** and **Jonathan Hughes**, recipients of the **Curbell Inc.** 2019 True Blue Award for demonstrating the company's core values year after year.

...**Eddie Howe** and **Dallas McLaughlin**, promoted to regional director and **Jinny Kcehowski**, promoted to associate director of training and development with **Curbell Plastics**.

...**Michael O. Campbell, MD**, who joined the **Eye Care & Vision Associates (ECVA)** team.

...**Lisa Sanders**, executive chef at **Fox Run at Orchard Park**, named Chef of the Year by Compass Group. She recently took first place among 21 chefs nationwide in the Women in Culinary Competition.

...**Kaylena Marie's Bakery**, named one of the best places to eat in 2019 by Channel 2 WGRZ in their Out 2 Eat segment.

...**OB/GYN Associates of WNY**, who recently announced a new partnership with General Physician, PC.

...The **Orchard Park Historical Society** on celebrating the 150th Anniversary of the Jolls House being built.

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February 13th at 8 a.m. in the Orchard Park Town Municipal Center

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March 21st ~ 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Orchard Park Community Activity Center
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The **Expo** is designed to help businesses promote themselves in a casual way, gain exposure and attract new customers. This is a great event to showcase our local businesses and to allow business people to network and connect with each other. It also affords local residents the opportunity to support businesses that they know about as well as ones they can learn about. We are excited to be in the new **Community Activity Center**. If you would like to become a sponsor or exhibitor, please see the enclosed event flier.

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