## MIDDLETOWN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWSLETTER

**April 2017** 



### FROM THE DESK OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

As you can see from all of our past, present and future activities, we are moving & shaking. The events that we've created for you are a great way to take advantage and network with your fellow Chamber members and promote your business. We have a great summer planned. Laura is working triple time to help us grow. I also want to welcome the MOB (Middletown Operated Businesses) members into our Chamber who have merged with us. We look forward to working with and for these new members. We are honored to have them be a part of us. As mentioned before, our goal is 400 members by the end of 2017. If you have any potential-member leads, please call our office @ (502) 245-0404 so that we can follow up with a personal phone call and/or visit.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt and Blood Drive were a great success. 21 teams have signed up for the upcoming golf scramble on 5/15/17. However, there is still time to sign up, sponsor a hole, donate items for the reception following the scramble or volunteer to work that day. All proceeds raised go to Life Adventure Center, a 501(c)3 charitable organization which helps Veterans and their families with PTSD. Plans for the Middletown Hoedown, on 6/9/17, are coming along great with a pig roast and all the sides along with square dancing. Tickets will be available soon in the Chamber office for \$20 or at First Baptist Church (see Dr. Cobban).

Wishing you a great Derby and summer. Make sure to check out our upcoming events and speakers in the months to come.

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#### **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**

(please take a moment to e-mail our new members & welcome them into our Chamber family):

Brown & Brown of KY, Inc. – Gene Giles @ ggiles@bblouisville.com

Perform 2 Perfection Sports Academy – Carlos Collins @ carlos@p2pprep.com

Tranquility Salon & Spa – Kihra Ayres @ bwa.enterprises.inc@gmail.com

Main Street Insurance Services, Inc. – Tom Boles @ tomboles@bellsouth.net

Companion Animal Hospital of Middletown – Karen Lazas, DVM @ lazas@twc.com

#### **CHAMBER LUNCHEON**

Our next speaker on 5/11/17 is Allison Garrett, Villa Lifestyle Director at the Forest Springs Health Campus. Allison's topic: "Senior Living 101". She will share the basics of senior living options.

Forest Springs is a full continuum senior-living community, which is part of Trilogy Health Services. Trilogy owns and operates 106 campuses across the Midwest, and Forest Springs is one of five locations in Louisville. Forest Springs offers independent living villa patio homes, personal care suites, and skilled nursing suites for long-term care and short-term rehab. Rehab includes inpatient and outpatient options for physical, speech, and occupational therapies. Forest Springs, located at the corner of Westport Road and LaGrange Road east of the Gene Snyder, will be celebrating their two-year anniversary this month. They pride themselves on providing their residents and customers top-notch customer service, five-star fine dining, and one-of-a-kind programming.

Allison is a graduate of Georgetown College with a double-major in Communications and Spanish. She is currently pursuing her Master's in Conflict Management from Sullivan University (graduating in June). She has been working in senior living for about seven years, and specializes in independent living and new construction communities.

On a personal note, Allison enjoys spending time with family, relaxing outdoors, and working on house projects with her husband.

**Location:** Celebration Hall, 11711 Main Street (next to First Baptist Church)

Cost: \$20 in advanced or \$25 at the door

**Reservations Required:** 

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http://middletownchamberofcommerce.com/member-login/.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to an increase in expenses – the board voted to raise the cost of the luncheon from \$20 to \$25 with a 20% discount if you register or pay in advance of the meeting date. In other words, advanced reservations will cost \$20 and \$25 if you don't pre-register and pay at the door.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS 2017 - MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

- 5/11 Chamber Luncheon 11:30 1:00 p.m. Speaker Allison Garrett, Forest Springs Health Campus
- 5/10 Ribbon Cutting @ 8:30 a.m. Point Blank, 330 N. English Station Road
- 5/11 City Meeting @ 6:00 p.m. Middletown City Hall
- 5/15 Golf Scramble 11:00 a.m.-?, Lake Forest Country Club
- 5/18 Chamber Board Meeting 8:30 a.m.
- 5/18 Lunch and Learn Workshop 11:30 1:00 p.m. @ Middletown Fire Protection District, 108
   Urton Lane, Louisville, KY 40223. Topic: American Heartsaver Friends and Family CPR course for people who do not need a course completion card for a job or other requirements. Cost of lunch is \$15.00 Reservations required. Topics covered:
  - Adult Hands-Only CPR and AED
  - Mild and Severe Airway Block: How to Help a Choking Adult (optional)
  - Child CPR and AED (optional)
  - Mild and Severe Airway Block: How to Help a Choking Child (optional)

- Infant CPR (optional)
- Mild and Severe Airway Block: How to Help a Choking Infant (optional)
- 6/8 Chamber Luncheon 11:30 1:00 p.m. Speaker David Nicholson
- 6/8 City Meeting @ 6:00 p.m. Middletown City Hall
- 6/9 Middletown Hoedown 6:00 ?, First Baptist Church of Middletown, \$20 per person
- 6/15 Chamber Board Meeting 8:30 a.m.
- 6/15 Lunch and Learn Workshop 11:30 1:00 p.m. Topic and Speaker to be announced

#### **SPOTLIGHT ON CHAMBER BUSINESSES:**



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Mark Church Real Estate - I have been helping people with their construction and real estate needs in the Louisville area since 1995. I started in the construction industry as a manager for over 15 years. I have now been in real estate sales 2010 and have found success in tough economic times. My construction background has been helpful to buyers and sellers as they weigh their options. If I can help you, or someone you know, with any real estate needs, please contact me anytime. Mark lives in Crestwood with his wife and 2 children, enjoy summers at the lake and consider myself an avid runner.

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