

**SPECIAL
POINTS OF
INTEREST:**

- Chamber Business Luncheon
- S.W.A.G.
- Celebrate Dorchester Photos
- Yard Sales
- Creole & Lasagna Dinners
- Fresh Coat
- Awards

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Chamber Connection

Leading Businesses ~ Leading Communities

www.dorchesterchamber.org

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JUNE, 2011

Happy Memorial Day!

A BIG THANK YOU to all of our Veterans who served and to those that are Currently Serving.

This is a great nation!

A nation like no other, where a poor farm boy from Illinois can grow up to be President; a dissenter can openly and loudly voice their opposition; where a family can worship without fear; and a child can dream of a better life, then with work to achieve it. Why – because there have been and still are those with the courage to put their life on the line believing in the values that make us that Great Nation! Fly your flag high and proud! On this Memorial Day say thank you to those who protect our freedom and way of life.



My Perspective by Allen Nelson



Thank you to the Celebrate committee. They are a creative and committed group, building on last year's very successful event adding new elements and creating a buzz. From land and sea the food was delicious. Thanks to those that donated and participated in the silent auction provided support to the Chamber and our work in advancing Dorchester.

A hardy thank you to Fred Smyth for his help with the membership committee. Since January 30 or-

ganizations have joined the Chamber. Yes, we have lost a few along the way. Several of those joining did so to take advantage of the Electric Buying Cooperative. Others are looking to promote their business and interact with other members and add their voice to the larger voice of a strong business community.

The Chamber Board is looking forward to lending its support to Fresh Coat Cambridge on June 4th. Members will help paint, weed, repair, generally beau-

tify downtown. Setting a positive first impression benefits all. It is our hope that together we will create that visual while having fun at the same time. We invite you to join us in a little community spirit. Checkout page 12 for more information.

Friday Oct. 7th as been set for this year's Chamber Golf Tournament. Plans are underway for another great day. Mark your calendars and think about promoting your business with a hole sponsorship or raffle prize. Call chair Bill Marshall to arrange details.

"Curran-Bromwell Funeral Home, P.A. of Cambridge, Maryland is recognized as a leading funeral service provider on Maryland's Eastern Shore and is known for its quality of care and service to its families".

" We publish quality community newspapers that are among the best in the nation. We provide leadership within the communities our newspapers serve, recognizing that strong communities deserve strong newspapers."

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The Curran-Bromwell Funeral Home is currently owned and operated by Colleen and is also the office location for Mid Shore Cremation Center by Colleen Curran-Bromwell, P.A. and Greenlawn Cemetery.

As part of your community, we are available 24 hours a day to help you when you need our assistance.

Chesapeake Publishing –Silver Sponsor

Chesapeake Publishing has a strong commitment to community journalism. We are the primary source of local information in our communities for government news, civic affairs, social events, business, sports and leisure activities.

Chesapeake operates two web printing plants in Elkton and Easton .- and one commercial printing plant-in Easton, Md. Chesapeake Mailing Services provides customers the latest technology and software for address enhancement and presort for all classes of mail through a wide variety of cost-effective services that meet postal standards.

Nearly 300 people work together to make Chesapeake Publishing & Printing an organization committed to achieving excellence, respecting and supporting our people and increasing our business through quality products and services that meet the needs of our customers.

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Easton, MD 21601
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Email: rd@casaoftalbot.org
*Non-Profit, Providing Court Appointed
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Denny's
410-221-0003
781 Sunburst Highway
Cambridge, MD 21613
Fax: 410-221-1197
Website: www.dennys.com
Email: kmiller@rhinc.net
Email: jstewart@rhinc.net
Restaurant

Hilyard's Business Solutions
410-713-2364
900 E. Main Street
Salisbury, MD 21804
Mailing Address: 1616 Newport Gap Pk.
Cambridge, MD 21613
Fax 410-221-8189
Email: russhudson@comcast.net
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Hoopers Island Oyster Aquaculture
410-397-3664
2500 Old House Point Road
Fishing Creek, MD 21634
Website: www.cgoysters.com
Email: ricky@cgoyesters.com
Aquaculture Oysters

Joie De Vivre Gallery
410-228-7000
410 Race Street
Cambridge, MD 21613
Website: www.joidevivregallery.com
Email: joidevivregallery@verizon.net
Gifts, Collectibles, Art

Maryland Food Bank-Eastern Shore
410-742-0050
28500 Owens Branch Road
Salisbury, MD 21801
Mailing Address: PO Box 804
Salisbury, MD 21803
Fax: 410-742-0554
Website: www.mdfoodbank.org
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443-205-4558
822 Chesapeake Drive
Cambridge, MD 21613
Fax: 443-205-4554
Website: www.safechainsolutions.com
Email: Charles.boyd@safechain3PL.com
Third Party Logistics

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410-200-8902
28380 St. Micheals Road
Easton, MD 21601
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*"Please help welcome our New
Members and Congratulate our
Members' Anniversaries"*

Member Anniversaries

15 Years

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Museum & Ruark

Boatworks

10 Years

Dorchester County
Cooperative Extension

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Methodist Church

5 Years

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Benson & Mangold-Craig Linthicum

Camera One

COMANCO, Inc.

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Nausea-Waiwash Band of Indians

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1 Year

AFLAC

Dorchester County Pawn

Robinson Lawn Care

We Celebrated Dorchester

It exceeded the hype! Dorchester's 2nd Celebrate event was a rousing success. We have many to thank - planners, purveyors, preparers, entertainment, those that sponsored silent auction items and especially those attending. As was said during the event, we do have much to celebrate and seeing everyone enjoying themselves, capped a perfect night.

The evening was a Locavore's delight. The variety of food, creativity of the presentations, and delightful combinations sent taste buds dancing. Layton's Chance Winery provided a variety of wines to complement the meal.

Networking is an important benefit of Cham-

ber activities, especially when business relationships are launched. We were able to connect purveyors with preparers. As happened last year, local purveyors were able to leave the event with a new market for their product.

Again we thank those that provided the foods -

Amick Farms, Crabi Gras, Emily's Produce, Hoopers Island Oyster Aquaculture, J. M. Clayton Seafood Company, Marvesta Shrimp Farm, Marinetics, Inc., The Mushroom Company, S. B. Farms, Inc., Simmons Center Market.

And those that prepared -

Bay Country Bakery, Bistro Poplar, Blue Point Provision

Company, Chesapeake Gold, Clearview at Horns Point, Jimmie & Sooks Raw Bar & Gill, Kay's at the Airport, Leaky Pete's Oyster & Wine Bar, Ocean Odyssey, Paul's Place Bar & Grill, Pizza Ziya, Portside Seafood Restaurant, and Snapper's Waterfront Café.

Thanks to Dunkin' Donuts, Megan Nabb Insurance, and Zeller Funeral Home for the Coffee Service; Laura Todd for her musical talent; WaWa.

If you are not listed above, we hope you will plan now to join in the fun for next year. Let us hear from you now!

"Locavore & Awards"

Awards! Awards! Awards!

It is with great pleasure that we announce the 2011 Dorchester Chamber Award winners;

Tracy Tyler, Business Woman of the Year
 David Levy, Business Man of the Year
 Joie de Vivre, Small Business of the Year
 Interstate Container, Large Business of the Year
 Dorchester Center for the Arts, Not for Profit of the Year
 Jackalyn "Jackie" Noller, Volunteer of the Year

The award committee had a difficult decision in selecting from those nominated. Each award winner has made a significant impact in "advancing Dorchester". Their commitment, dedication, and leadership are inspirational examples of true success. We applaud them and encourage them to lead on!

CHAMBER NEWS cont.

S. W. A. G.

There is good news to be told in an about Dorchester County. Back in March, Dorchester Banner editor Logan Anderson made the point with a front page story that absolutely must be told and retold. In our minds this is such an outstanding achievement that we felt compelled to make it a part of our awards presentation. For those not with us we choose to again share the story.

The North Dorchester High School class of 2009 had 20 drop outs. The class of 2010 had eight. The class of 2011 will have S. W. A. G (Students Will All Graduate) thanks to their aspiring leaders.

This student lead initiative developed and executed a plan

utilizing National Honor Society members and NDHS faculty members staying after school two days a week to help tutor classmates. The tutoring program created friendships between people that may not otherwise have been formed.

Every one of the 105 students graduating next Tuesday should be acknowledged for this achievement. The program initiators, the tutors and especially those students that had the courage to accept the help and to work extra hard to earn the grades needed to graduate in spite of outside influences on their lives.

Our plan was to have representatives of the class attend

Celebrate Dorchester to speak about their year and act as presenters. It is the time of year when many things are happening around graduation. As it turned out many of the students would be attending an awards presentation in Hurlock. Another 80 members of the Chorus and Band were returning from Disney where they preformed over the weekend. And two of the students planning to come came down ill. Even though the students could not attend no doubt they felt the outstanding response from those 250 people in attendance as the story was told.

Leads Group

Interest has been expressed in creating a Dorchester Chamber Leads Group. Early planning has begun. Those interested in helping to launch this group are encouraged to call the Chamber office or respond to allen@dorchesterchamber.org.

WECA ANNUAL SPRING YARD SALE

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2011

RAINDATE SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2011

REGISTER BY FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2011

To Have Address Listed

Registration can be by email at weca@cambridgemd.org or call 410-901-1000.

NO Cost to join in this community event!



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Hours: Mon - Fri. 9-5, Sat. 10-4

**Located on Rt. 331, midway between Rhodesdale
and North Dorchester High School**

410-943-3200

Tom and Kim Harper

May We Have Your Attention Please!

Inserts for Chamber Connection

All inserts (550 copies required on 8 1/2 x 11 sheets only) and any information for the issue of Chamber Connection

MUST BE IN OUR OFFICE
by 5:00 PM on the 20th of the month.

If the 20th falls on a weekend please have it in by the Friday before the 20th

If you have any questions, please call Robin at 410-228-3575 or robin@dorchesterchamber.org

Chamber Business Luncheon

June 15, 2011
12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Speaker: **Jay Newcomb, President, County Council**

Location: **Dorchester Center for the Arts**
321 High Street ~ Cambridge, MD
410-228-7782

Catered by Old Salty's Restaurant

Cost: \$20.00 members/\$25.00 non-members.
Please call 410-228-3575 to reserve your spot.

*"Jay Newcomb,
President, County
Council Chamber
Business Luncheon
Speaker"*

Creole Dinner

Basket Bingo

Photo Contest

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Studio for Rent &

Yard Sale!

More Details on Page 11!

*Just a Reminder for you to
HELP MAKE IT BEAUTIFUL!*

June 4, 2011

More Details on Page 12!



CHAMBER CONNECTION PAPER GOING GREEN

Chamber Connection has been distributed via mail and electronically with a small number of our members electing to receive their copy via email. Through our process of continually seeking ways to maximize the value for our members we stopped printing the hard copy version in color. Without question the electronic version in color is more

appealing. Frankly it was a matter of economics – nice to have versus affordability.

Vehicles like this are important methods to communicate. As technology continues to provide opportunities we remain open to change where appropriate. Your feedback is important. If you would

like to try the electronic version let us know. If you would like to have extra copies of *Chamber Connection* to distribute in your business, let us know. Finally, if you simply want to offer your opinion on how we can be more effective, let us know. You are our valued customer!

*"Lower your
Carbon Footprint"*

You Are Invited



**Immanuel
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Church of
Christ**

CREOLE DINNER

Sat, 6/25
4:30 p.m.-till?
\$15.00 adults

\$7.50 6-16
Under 6 free
Shrimp Creole
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(desserts extra)

5401 White Hall Rd @
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Cambridge, MD 21613

410-228-4640



BASKET BINGO

Sponsored by: Cambridge Rotary Club, Cambridge, MD
Proceeds to be used for community projects

Sunday, June 5, 2011
Hurlock American Legion Post 243
Poplar Street, Hurlock, MD

Doors open at 12:30 p.m. and games start at 2:00 p.m.

Admission: \$20.00 in advance and at the door (includes 1 raffle ticket)

**20 games including 4 specials, 3 raffles, door prizes,
Chinese auction and 50/50**

Also available for purchase: Additional packs, dabbers, food & refreshments

50/50 TICKETS, RAFFLE TICKETS, CHINESE AUCTION TICKETS - \$1.00 EACH, 6/\$5.00, 15/\$10.00

For tickets in advance, please contact: Randy Bradford-410-228-5738 or 410-463-1604



*"Creole Dinner,
Basket Bingo and
2011 Habitat
World Photo
Contest"*



2011 Habitat World Photo Contest

Every Habitat photograph tells its own story. Habitat International invites you to share yours.

For this year's reader contest, *Habitat World* wants to see images that you think communicate something vital about the organization's life-changing work.

Habitat International will be looking as much at the ideas and emo-

tions that each image conveys as we will be at the technical skills brought to bear.

Volunteers, houses, families, the need in your community - show what Habitat means to you and why the work we all do together remains such an important priority.

Contest deadline

**The contest closes at midnight, July 8,
Eastern Daylight Time**

For contest rules and entry form,
[http://www.habitat.org/hw/
photo_contest/2011/](http://www.habitat.org/hw/photo_contest/2011/)

The grand prize

The contest winner will be awarded a spot as a volunteer at the 28th annual Jimmy & Rosalynn Carter Work Project, which will take place **November 6 - 12, 2011**, in Haiti's Central Plateau

Out and About Networking!



Chesapeake Classics Sporting Goods Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting took place on Saturday, May 7, 2011. Many Chamber business members and guests enjoyed food and fun throughout the day. Specializing in fishing, hunting and sporting goods, they are located at 300 Sunburst Highway, Cambridge, MD, and are located right across the street from Dunkin' Donuts. (410)228-6509



Crabi Gras located at 321 Race St. Cambridge, MD and the Dorchester Chamber got together on the second Saturday evening in our Historic Downtown to celebrate a Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting. Lots of fun food, really good Bloody Marys (made from mixes they sell) and lighthearted comraderie were the order of the evening. However fun the evening was, Keith Grafius the owner is downright serious about providing you one of a kind items in his one of a kind shop! www.crabigras.com (410)228-0108



May's Business Development Luncheon with **Maryland Healthy Weighs** took place on May 11, 2011 at **Paul's Place Bar & Grill** 738 Cambridge Plaza, Cambridge, MD 410-901-2720



Dr. Michael Fadden, Medical Director of Maryland Healthy Weighs presented a brief overview of the cause and economic impact of obesity and discussed how raising awareness of obesity in the community can make a difference. We all enjoyed Paul's very posh and classic venue and enjoyed food from his kitchen along with the food of the program of Maryland Healthy Weighs. Put them both together and it spells delight! Brie Breland (Mrs. Fadden) works with Dr. Fadden at Maryland Healthy Weighs located at 124 Market Sq. Cambridge, MD. 443-205-4421 www.MarylandHealthyWeighs.com



2011 Dorchester Chamber CELEBRATE DORCHESTER!

Cocktails, Networking, a cash bar, delicious appetizers, music by the incredibly talented Laura Todd and fresh shucked oysters on an ice sculpture that looked so real we had to touch it to make sure it's ice! The silent auction competition abounded throughout the evening. Then...the curtains opened..to reveal 6 chefs and preparers who handed us food as soon as it was prepared. Yum! No less than 19 Dorchester County purveyors provided these restaurants with locavore items either grown or produced here in Dorchester County: crabmeat, shrimp, oysters, chicken, buffalo, asparagus, strawberries, corn on the husk, mushrooms, spinach, sauces and seasonings. The night ended with the Chamber Award Winners being announced while we enjoyed our freshly brewed coffee & chocolate covered strawberries.



JOY STANIFORTH BUSINESS WOMAN OF THE YEAR



DAVID LEVY SMALL BUSINESS OF THE YEAR BAY COUNTRY BAKERY



MICKEY LOVE EX DIRECTOR NOT FOR PROFIT CHAMBER MEMBER OF THE YEAR DORCHESTER CENTER FOR THE ARTS



CHAMBER VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR JACKIE NOLLER



INTERSTATE CONTAINER LARGE CHAMBER BUSINESS OF THE YEAR



TRACY TYLER BUSINESS WOMEN OF THE YEAR



17TH ANNUAL SENIOR CELEBRATION MAY 19, 2011

Sailwinds Park in Cambridge, MD was the setting for **Pleasant Day Adult Day Care Senior Celebration Day** which is an educational, informative and fun event with a variety of live entertainment all day. The celebration featured vendors, give-a-ways, senior oriented exhibits, door prizes, Eastern Shore foods priced right, free tours of Historic Cambridge, white elephant sale, yard sale, Health Screenings sponsored by Shore Health and more.



Missy, the Clown was spreading Joy!



Zeller Funeral Home was there to answer all your questions and to giveaway prizes!



National Bank of Cambridge was there to help with all of your banking needs!



Chesapeake Woods-Genesis was there to answer all of your question for short and long term care!



Pleasant Day Medical Adult Day Care Center
2474 Cambridge Beltway
Cambridge, MD 21613
410-228-0190
www.pleasantday.com



"Like a Good Neighbor State Farm is there". To help with all of your insurance needs!

Dorchester Chamber Of Commerce Hosts the 21th Annual A.C.E.S. (Americans for the Competitive Enterprise system) Program Project Presentation and Dinner Meeting.



May 26, 2011 marked the successful completion of the 21th Annual A.C.E.S. program. A.C.E.S. stands for the Americans for the Competitive Enterprise System. Six Businesses gave individual presentations during a three month period to county teachers. The purpose is to educate the educators as to specifically what the businesses requirements are for their entry level positions. The educators are better prepared to address these requirements when teaching their students. The results should be students who are able to meet the needs of the business community.

Cambridge Diner was the site of the dinner. Participating businesses were Cambridge International, Delmarva Community Services, Hyatt Regency Chesapeake Bay Resort, Interstate Container, Megan Nabb State Farm Insurance Agency and Provident State Bank. The educators were Andy Buchanan, Daniel Catron, Kristina Crystal, Scott Dodson, Michaele Flick, Michelle Gregori,

Thomas "Trey" Mills, Terry Nuwer, Rich Petroske, Peg Rabenstine and Stephanie Robbins.

Remarks were made by Dorchester Chamber of Commerce A.C.E.S. Coordinator George Ames, Dorchester Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Allen Nelson, Dorchester Chamber of Commerce, Dorchester Board of Education A.C.E.S. Representative Kermit Hines and Dorchester Board of Education Superintendant for Instruction Henry Wagner.

A Big THANK YOU to all Our Members who Recently Renewed Their Membership!

	Member Since		Member Since
Associate Member-Althea Ball	09/22/06	Hill's Electric Motor Services, LLC	05/04/05
BesTemps/Career Associates, Inc.	01/10/97	InternetWork Consulting Services, LLC	05/11/06
Best Wine and Spirits	06/01/05	Krombolz-Sheets Insurance	05/14/08
Blue Heron Mailing Services, Inc.	06/24/99	Law Office of Teri L. Belcher, LLC	05/12/06
Chesapeake & Potomac Audio Visual Services	03/01/98	Lednum's Jewelers	04/01/93
Chesapeake Woods Center-Genesis Health	03/25/96	Mallard Bay Care Center	07/01/94
Choptank River Lighthouse	09/21/04	Marvel's on the Creek	02/02/09
Delmarva Shorebirds	02/01/96	Mid-Shore Board of Realtors	05/01/03
Dorchester County Pawn	06/16/10	Peace of Mind Pet Boarding	05/21/08
Fire Power Solutions	03/10/08	Pizza Ziya	05/24/06
Garden & Garnish, Inc.	06/01/06	Sensata Technologies	01/01/90
Guy Willey d.b.a. Hills Point Landscapes	05/29/08	St. Mary Refuge of Sinners	04/26/10
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Yard Sale to Benefit
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Humane Society
June 4, 2011
8:00 a.m.
 Clayton's Pharmacy
 404B Washington Street
 Cambridge, MD 21613

Delmarva Power C&I Energy Savings Program Announcement Small Business Bonus Incentives & Enhanced HVAC Incentives

For a limited time, Delmarva Power customers in Maryland can earn bonus incentive money by installing energy efficient equipment through a special offering!
Small Business Bonus Incentives

Eligibility

Delmarva Power Maryland Customers under the rate class, Small General Service can receive a 30% bonus incentive for prescriptive measures and an additional 10% bonus for including multiple measures within the same project.

There are 2 components to the Small Business Bonus Incentives Offer

1. 30% Bonus Incentive ~ 2. 10% Multiple Measure Bonus

Enhanced HVAC Bonus Incentives

In addition to the small business bonus incentives offered above Delmarva Power is also offering enhanced incentives for HVAC equipment. Just in time for the cooling season, incentives have increased by 50% to encourage the installation of high efficiency Air Conditioning or Heat Pumps.

Eligibility

Open to All Delmarva Power C&I customers in Maryland. Customers can receive the 50% HVAC bonus for purchasing and installing qualified equipment.

Updated applications and incentive details for both offerings are available today on the website!

<https://cienergyefficiency.delmarva.com/>

If you have questions about the program, contact the Program Office directly at 866-353-5799 or email us at DelmarvaEnergyEfficiency@LMBPS.com



The event is set for Saturday, June 4. We'll be ready to check people in at 8 am, with work definitely under way by 9. Check in will happen at Cannery Way, in the 400 block of Race Street. Everyone who volunteers MUST check in and sign a waiver. Thanks to Jimmie & Sook's, there will be an after-party on June 4 to thank our volunteers. Plans are in the works.

If you have interest in being a project leader, send a note to office@cambridgemainstreet.com. It involves doing some advance work, mainly eyeballing the work and getting supplies together.

Building owners are investing in supplies and prep work. But otherwise, the project is funded entirely by donations. If you or your company would like to give to the Fresh Coat Beautification Fund (which supports the June 4 event plus followup projects as funds allow), you can do so at the address below. (Questions about the Fund are welcome; direct them to Jim Duffy at office@cambridgemainstreet.com or 443-477-0843.)

Lasagna Dinner

Wed., June 1st

4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Benefit the
Bulgaria Mission Trip

At Grace U. M. Church
501 Race Street
Cambridge

Advanced tickets are advised.

For further info call the church office at
410-228-4353

**\$8.00 for Adults, \$4.00 from kids 12 thru
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Finance School *for* Business People & Entrepreneurs



In business, what you don't know could hurt you. Have specific questions regarding your business? Join us for a half-day event of various sessions presenting topics that cover options from managing your finances to financing your business. After the sessions, join our speakers for a box lunch where you get the chance to address your questions and receive valuable advice.

Tuesday • June 7, 2011 • 8 AM to 1 PM

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Details on Topics & Registration at
SchoolForBusinessPeople.com

Collaborating Partners
Eastern Shore Entrepreneurship Center
SBDC - Eastern Region
Maryland Capital Enterprises
WorWic Community College

LAW SCHOOL for Business People & Entrepreneurs



In business, what you don't know could hurt you. The Law School for Business People & Entrepreneurs is a half-day event of various sessions presenting legal topics by some of Maryland's top-rated attorneys. When it comes to legal issues in small business, trust the experts. After the sessions, join our speakers for a box lunch where you get the chance to address your questions and receive valuable advice.

Thursday June 9, 2011 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

**Chesapeake College
Eastern Shore Higher Education Bldg.**

\$49 - All Sessions & Lunch

\$39 - Session Only

Details on Topics & Registration at
www.SchoolForBusinessPeople.com

(Keynote Speaker To
Be Announced)

Collaborating Partners
Eastern Shore Entrepreneurship Center
Chesapeake College
SBCE - Eastern Region
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Be a powerful voice in a child's life.

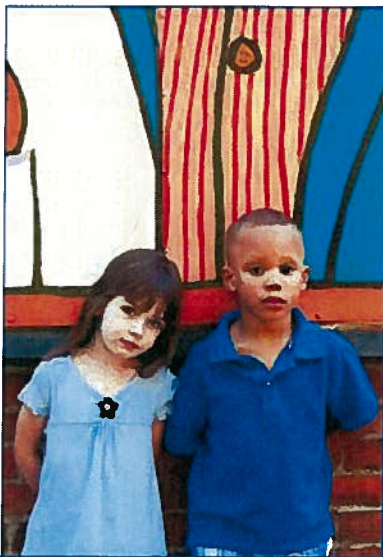
Court Appointed Special Advocates are volunteers trained to advocate for children who are under the protection of the court due to abuse, neglect or abandonment.

CASA is currently serving children in Talbot and Dorchester Counties.

For more information on becoming a CASA volunteer or to request an application packet, contact the CASA office.

410-822-2866

www.casaoftalbot.org



Tax Credit for Seniors Moving to Cambridge

**Take advantage of this
Credit for You or Your Love
Ones!**

The City of Cambridge recently implemented an incentive to assist Senior Citizens over the age of 60 reduce their tax liability.

Senior Citizens over 60 moving into the City of Cambridge for the first time and purchasing a permanent residence will have their City Tax burden reduced by 50% over a 3-yr. time period.

Application may be made through the Cambridge Economic Development Office at 410 Academy Street. Call 410-221-6074 for more information or Julie Fox, Broker/Owner at



RE/MAX
on the Bay

RE/Max on the Bay at 410-901-0919. Visit her office at 403 High Street, Cambridge.

Let's Support a Youth in Cambridge!

Jackson Bradley, a 10 year Cambridge youth has recently been diagnosed with inoperable brain cancer. Jackson is the step-son of Brian Burton and son of Jennifer Burton. He is the oldest of four children. He is currently receiving treatment through Johns Hopkins University and must make frequent trips there to see numerous specialist.

Sunday, June 5 has been declared Jackson Bradley Day. On this date there will be Cambridge-South Dorchester alumina pick up soccer games at Viking Stadium in Cambridge, Maryland. We wish to bring together the local soccer community and alumni to help a former teammate and his family in a fun, rewarding and respectful manner. **EVERYONE IS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE!**

The games are a fun way to reunite old teammates and raise money for a good cause. They are not meant to be overly competitive. Lets keep the games fun!

12:00-1:00 Registration of players - \$10.00 per player to participate

1:15 Opening remarks/introductions

1:30 Games begin

5:30 Announcement of Chance Auction Winners

6:00 Closing remarks

Chance auction! There will be numerous items of interest. Autograph soccer ball by DC United Manchester United Jersey Gift certificates to various restaurants. Certificate for a bushel of crabs, etc. One special item is a weeks rental of a vacation home located in Swanville, Maine Bee-Lieve Cottage named after Marci Bee Dayton who also had a brain tumor. If you have never been to Maine you won't want to miss this or if you have I am sure you will want to return!

There will be no admission charge to the stadium but donations will greatly be appreciated. ALL proceeds from this day will go to Jackson's family. Bring the kids there will be a moon bounce for them to play on and face painting for a small fee.

The concession stand will be open serving refreshments all day. If you have any questions or need any further information please contact Terry Dayton Wheatley at 410-228-0679 or 410-476-3721. Any help that we can receive will GREATLY be appreciated.

Find us on Facebook Jackson Bradley Day!!!!

Other fundraisers are also being planned for the near future with the possibility of a Poker Run and activity at Jimmie and Sooks more to come on these. This is one way the Dayton Family can help pay back the support from the community that they received during Marci's illness. If it had not been for the community they would not have had the resources that they did to spend the time with her during her illness. It truly showed us how wonderful it is to live where we do!

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH

Get Ready Members!

May Schedule

<u>Vessel:</u>	<u>Arrival:</u>	<u>Departure:</u>
American Star	Tue, June 7, 2011, 1:30 p.m.	Wed, June 8, 2011, 7:00 a.m.
American Glory	Wed, June 8, 2011, 4:30 p.m.	Thu, June 9, 2011, 12:30 p.m.
American Glory	Sat, June 11, 2011, 10:00 p.m.	Sun, June 12, 2011, 1:00 p.m.
American Star	Tue, June 14, 2011, 1:30 p.m.	Wed, June 15, 2011, 4:00 a.m.
American Glory	Tue, June 21, 2011, 1:30 p.m.	Wed, June 22, 2011, 7:00 a.m.
American Glory	Tue, June 28, 2011, 1:30 p.m.	Wed, June 29, 2011, 7:00 a.m.

American Glory: 166 ft. Independence: 215 ft.
Docking at Long Wharf





CALENDAR OF MEMBERS' EVENTS

For more details about the following events please go to our website at www.dorchesterchamber.org or call 410-228-3575

Membership Roll

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THE MONTH OF JUNE 2011

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| June 1 - | *Diabetes Education: Local, Home Grown, Organic & Natural Foods: What's the Difference?
*Lasagna Dinner to Benefit the Bulgaria Mission Trip
*Veterans Recognition Committee Meeting
*North Dorchester HS Graduation Ceremony-ESPN 1240AM Broadcasting | June 11 - | *Shore Regional Cancer Center Hosting Free Seminar for Breast Cancer Survivors |
| June 2 - | *Stroke Survivors Support Group | June 12 - | *Subaru Ironman Eagleman 70.3 Race Day |
| June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 - | *Cambridge Mainstreet Farmer's Market | June 14 - | *Cambridge Ward 2 & 3 Meeting
*Prostate Cancer Support Group |
| June 3 - | *Deadline for Young Women to Enter \$3,000 Scholarship Essay Contest encouraged by Del. Haddaway-Riccio
*Harriett Tubman Underground Railroad Conference
*Bistro Poplar Special Crab Dinner | June 15 - | *EXCEL Level III
*Genealogy Lunch at Dor. Cty. Historical Society
*Cambridge Ward 4 & 5 Meeting
*Ferry Me to the Moon Bellevue Ferry to Benefit Habitat for Humanity Choptank |
| June 3, 4, 10, 11 | *Live Music at Jimmie & Sook's | June 17 - | *Deadline for Your Submission to Texaco Country Talent Showdown (100.9%) Pure Country) |
| June 4 - | *Yard Sale at Clayton's Pharmacy
*Cambridge Mainstreet's Fresh Coat
*Blackwater NWR Holds 9th Annual Youth Fishing Derby
*Labor & Delivery I, II, III
*Fresh Coat | June 17-18 - | *62nd Delmarva Chicken Festival is in Georgetown |
| June 4, 11, 18, 25 - | *1 Hour Walking Tour of Historic High St. | June 18 - | *3rd Saturday Legislative Breakfast
*Successful Breastfeeding Class |
| June 4, 11, 18, 19, 25 - | *Skipjack Sail on the Nathan of Dorchester | June 20 - | *Look Good, Feel Better |
| June 5 - | *"4 on the Shore" Grape Blossom Festival at Laytons
*Basket Bingo
*The 39th Annual W.T. Ruark Fishing Tournament | June 21 - | *Skin Cancer Screenings at Talbot County Health Dept. |
| June 5-7 - | *50th Anniversary MEDA Annual Conference | June 21-Aug. 2 - | *7 wks of Tuesday JR Golf League at Clearview |
| June 6 - | *Pregnancy and Infant Loss | June 22 - | *Bag Sale
*Summer Reading Program at Cambridge Library
*Summer Reading Program at Hurlock Library |
| June 7, 14, 21, 28 - | *Cambridge MS Farmers Market open Tuesday | June 24 - | *Habitat for Humanity Choptank GOLF OUTIN |
| June 7, 8, 11, 14, 21, 28 - | *American Cruise Lines | June 24-26 - | *Nanticoke River Jamboree at Handsell |
| June 7 - | *Cambridge Ward 1 Meeting | June 25 - | *You're Invited to Celebrate Chesapeake Living
*Creole Dinner |
| June 8 - | *EXCEL Level 2 Computer Course CEI 066D
*Diabetes Education: It's Never Too Late to Prevent Diabetes | June 27-July 1 - | *Young People's Art Full Day Week-long Session |
| June 8, 15 | *26th Annual Chesapeake Chamber Music Festival Open Rehearsal | June 27-July 8 - | *Cambridge Yacht Club New Youth Sailing School Session 1 |
| June 9 - | *Welcome Cancer Patients | June 28 - | *Finding Joy in Difficult Times |
| June 10-12 - | *Portrait Figure Workshop at DCA | June 29 - | *Story Time and Craft at Cambridge Library |

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY
JUNE 19, 2011!



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June 2011 Chamber Events

Business After Hours and Chamber Business Luncheons are a great way for members to network and to receive referrals. All members are encouraged to attend.

June 3 - Ambassador Meeting
Denny's
Cambridge
8:00 a.m.

June 15 - Chamber Business Luncheon
Dorchester Center for the Arts
Speaker: Jay Newcomb,
President County Council
12:00 p.m.

June 15 - Executive Committee Meeting
Chamber Office
9:00 a.m.

June 22 - Chamber Board Meeting
Chamber Office
5:15 p.m.

**If you would like to have a Ribbon Cutting or a Business After Hours
 scheduled in the future months.**

Please give us a call at 410-228-3575!

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