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MVRCC SALUTES BUSINESS, SERVICE AND FAMILY AT 2018 AWARDS EVENT

The MVRCC Annual Awards Event was held on Thursday, September 13, 2018 at the Anthony Lombardi Education Conference Center at Monongahela Valley Hospital.

The Chamber honored Four Points BBQ & Brewing, Outstanding Business Development, Charleroi Lions Club, Regional Service Award and Shining Star, Lori Spina.

Event sponsors were Bassi, Vreeland and Associates,

PC, cfsbank, The Practice of K. Gosai MD and A.J, Gandhi MD, Monongahela Valley Hospital and Presentation Sponsors were Highway Appliance and Mon Valley Initiative.



Pictured L to R: Armand Ferrara, Chamber President, Milt Kubik and Bob Rossi, Charleroi Lions Club, Dave Barbe, Jr., Four Points BBQ & Brewing, Lori Spina—Shining Star and Leanna Spada, Executive Director.

Please note: Coulson's Sales & Service recipient of the Excellence in Business Award was unable to attend due to another commitment in Las Vegas and will be honored at the 2019 event.

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We regret any errors or omissions in this newsletter.



In the Chamber Spotlight...

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See the stories on pages 3, 4 and 5.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS*

Allied Addiction Recovery, LLC

340 Christy Road, Eighty Four, PA 15330 412-246-8965

www.alliedaddictionrecovery.com 17 McKean Avenue, Suite 3 Charleroi, PA 15022

Charleroi, PA 15022 766 E. Pittsburgh Street, Suite 101 Greensburg, PA 15601 335 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1419 Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Pittsburgh, PA 15239 378 W. Chestnut Street, Suite 106 Washington, PA 15301 Medical Facility

787 Pine Valley Drive, Suite B

Charthene Club

Patricia Brinker 289 Davidson Drive, Charleroi, PA 15022 Non-Profit/Club

Maund Industries Inc.

Eric Pagac 1200 Wood Street, California, PA 15419 724-938-3778 Ready Mix Concrete Supplier

Miklos Maintenance Services

Barry Miklos 1333 Willowbrook Road Belle Vernon, PA 15012 724-510-1522 Contractor

Austin J. Owens

3211 Christines Way Huntingtown, MD 20639 Associate Member

Protouch Nail & Spa

Helen & Lee Tran 429 McKean Avenue, Charleroi, Pa 15022 724 - 483 - 5888 Nail Salon

Salon Seva

Nicole Sukel
625 Lincoln Avenue, Suite 101
N. Charleroi, PA 15022
724-483-6968
Hair Salon

Schrock-Hogan Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Inc.

George R. Hogan
226 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, PA 15022
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Funeral Home/Cremation Services

Union Bridge Capital

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*These new members only reflect dues received between July 1, 2018 and October 5, 2018. WE ARE SO GRATEFUL FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



Member Spotlight MARBILL DIAMONDS & JEWELRY

MarBill Diamonds & Jewelry has evolved over the more than 50 years the Horrell family has been in business in the Mon Valley. It's a third generation retail jewelry store that the Horrell family has owned and operated since 1964. Marbill was originally established as a catalog showroom on Broad Avenue in North Belle Vernon. In 1999, the company changed their business model and began focusing strictly on diamonds and jewelry.

Marbill is owned by Bill Jr & Linda Horrell, along with their son Michael. The family prides themselves on education and knowledge; staying abreast of all of the changes in the jewelry industry as well as having the accurate and truthful information their clients have grown to know and trust.

An onsite repair center assures clients that their items are safe and secure making it possible to have a one week turnaround for most jobs. An express service is also offered Left to Right: Bill Horrell, Linda Horrell, for those who cannot wait. Marbill also offers a computer aided design software to help clients bring their vision to life. All custom work is done in house by Michael Horrell and staff.



and Michael Horrell

MarBill Diamonds & Jewelry, "Your Journey, Your Jeweler" for more information find them on Facebook, visit their website, www.marbilljewelers.com, email: marbilljewelers@yhoo.com or call 724-929-6633.



Member Spotlight RUPERT CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC

The Mon Valley Regional Chamber's Member Spotlight shines on Rupert Chiropractic Clinic. Dr. Michael Rupert, a Western PA native, has helped thousands of people over the last 13 years at his practice located at 1001 McKean Avenue, Charleroi, PA 15022.

He is a Penn State graduate who also served six years in the US Navy Reserve. He was an x-ray technician before deciding to further his education by attending New York Chiropractic College. He has advanced training in multiple chiropractic techniques and is licensed to perform physiotherapies like electrical stimulation and ultra sound. Dr. Rupert also does his own x-rays in-house. Dr. Rupert is a member of the Charleroi Rotary Club and the Mon Valley Networkers.

Rupert Chiropractic Clinic accepts all types of insurance. The office has convenient evening and Saturday hours. Hours of operation are Monday and Wednesday: 10 AM-6 PM, Tuesday: 4 PM-7 PM, Thursday: Closed, Friday: 10 AM-5 PM, and Saturday 10 AM-12 PM. Book an appointment today by calling 724-483-4242. To find out more about Rupert Chiropractic Clinic log onto www.rupertchiropraticclinic.com or find them on Facebook (a)rupertchiropracticclinic.



Dr Michael Ruppert and wife Kim Ruppert



Member Spotlight SNAPSHOT 47 PHOTOS

The Mon Valley Regional Chamber announced the member spotlight for the month of September, **Snapshot 47 Photos**. A full service photography studio which is known throughout the Mon Valley as the father daughter team of Wayne E. Ray and Jennifer L. Codeluppi.

The full service photography studio is located at 515 McKean Ave, Charleroi, PA. Specializing in high school senior portraits and sports photography, they can make any event a memorable experience. They are available for any occasion often being called upon by the MVRCC to cover all of their special events.

Things never slow down for Snapshot 47, in 2016, Jennifer was also hired as a photographer for The Mon Valley Independent along with Wayne, who is a stringer photographer providing many of the emergency incident photos for the newspaper.

To find out more information about Snapshot 47 or to book an appointment find them on Facebook, online at www.snapshot47.com or call 724-483-4747.

Pictured L to R: Joyce Ray, Jennifer Codeluppi and Wayne Ray.





NEWLY REMODELED FACILITY MCDONALD'S—BELLEVERNON



In July the Chamber joined Joe Carone and Belle Vernon **McDonald's** in the launch of their newly remodeled facility which includes a brand new play area as well as kiosk ordering. Congratulations to Joe and the staff at the Belle Vernon McDonald's.



LOCATED IN CHARLEROI EDWARD JONES INVESTMENTS

The Mon Valley Regional Chamber took part in a ribbon cutting at **Edward Jones Investments** located at 526 Fallowfield Avenue in Charleroi on September 6th. Stop in and visit Financial Advisor Chad Novotney, he can help with any and all of your financial needs. Chad opened his doors at this location two years ago but has been working for Edward Jones for the last five years. With such a friendly, comfortable and knowledgeable firm you won't regret giving them a try.

Pictured L to R: Deborah Buck, MVRCC Board; Mrs. Novotney; Chad Novotney, Owner; Evonne Henderson, Administrative Support; Edward Bryner, Mayor of Charleroi and Leanna Spada MVRCC Director.





CONGRATULATIONS 4 POINTS BBQ & BREWIING



The Mon Valley Regional Chamber was part of the ribbon cutting ceremonies at Four Point Brewing on August 2, 2018. Four Points is located at 400 Washington Avenue, Charleroi, PA 15022. The first floor taproom has 13 different brews on tap, 11 of which are brewed in-house. The lower level houses a five-barrel brewing system that produces such brews as Donora Smog and Lock 4 just to name a few. Looking for a unique experience? Then stop by and check out this great addition to the Valley. The brewery is open Tuesday through Sunday.

Pictured left—Dave Barbe, Jr.

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BEAUTIFUL GREEN SPACE REALIZED CHARLEROI'S MEADOW PARK





The Mon Valley Regional Chamber was honored to be a part of a beautiful afternoon, August 23, celebrating the Grand Opening/Ribbon Cutting for Meadow Park. Meadow Park is located on the corner of Fifth Street and Meadow Avenue in Charleroi. Congratulations to Greater Charleroi Community Development Corporation that has made a vision into reality by transforming what was essentially a parking lot into a tranquil green space memorializing loved ones in the community.

UPCOMING EVENTS





Washington County Local Share Account Program Joint Breakfast Briefing featuring the Washington County Board of Commissioners

> Thursday, October 11, 2018 7:45 AM—9:00 AM Nemacolin Country Club, Beallsville, PA 15313

To Register for this event please go to:
www.washcochamber.com

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BECOME MORE EFFICIENT WITHOUT BREAKING THE BANK!

Guest Speaker: David Keen, Lean Six Sigma-Black Belt

CHAMBER LUNCHEON

Wednesday, November 14, 2018
11:45 AM—1:00 PM
Charleroi Elks Club
301 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, PA 15022

See insert to register!

Sponsorship Available ~ Call 724-483-3507



Social Media Seminar

Learn Tips on How to Use Social Media Effectively to Help Your Business Grow!

Presented by Austin J. Owens



Tuesday, October 16, 2018

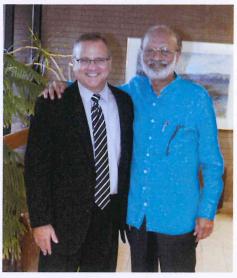
8:30 AM -10:00 AM—MVRCC Conference Room Register by calling 724-483-3507





Scenes from the 2018 Chamber Awards Event















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Prepare Your Business for Small Business Saturday ~ FREE WORKSHOP ~

Monday, October 22, 2018

8:00 AM Registration, 8:30-9:45 AM Seminar Washington Brewing Co., 28 E. Maiden Street, Washington, PA 15301 Register online at Eventbrite or 724-288-7156

Mark Your Calendar For These Upcoming Events!

Thursday, October 11, 2018—Joint Breakfast Briefing, Nemacolin Country Club, 7:45 AM-9:00 AM. See page 6 for details.

Saturday, October 13, 2018—MVH Lois Orange Ducoeur Breast Cancer Walk, Charleroi Market House, 10:00 AM.

Tuesday, October 16, 2018—Social Media Seminar, MVRCC Conference Room, 8:30 AM—10:00 AM.

Wednesday, October 17, 2018—Chamber Board Meeting, MVRCC Conference Room, 8:00AM

Monday, October 22, 2018—Small Business Saturday Workshop, Washington Brewing Co, 8:30—9:45 AM.

Tuesday, November 14, 2018—Chamber Luncheon, Charleroi Elks Club, 11:45 AM—1:00 PM.

See insert for details.

Wednesday, November 21, 2018—Chamber Board Meeting, MVRCC Conference Room, 8:00 AM
Thursday, November 22, 2018—Happy Thanksgiving! Chamber office closed.
Saturday, November 24, 2018—Small Business Saturday. Support your Local Merchants!
Wednesday, December 5, 2018—Chamber Christmas Party, Charleroi Elks Club, 5:30 PM.
Wednesday, December 19, 2018—Chamber Board Meeting, MVRCC Conference Room, 8:00 AM.
Monday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 25, 2018—Merry Christmas! Chamber office closed.



Watch the US mail, e-mail, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and website for information on these and all upcoming events!

WWW.mvrchamber.org



