





TCACC Mission: As the primary business advocate, the TriCounty Area Chamber of Commerce provides relevant membership services and proactive leadership to enhance economic opportunity and quality of life within our region.

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#### TRICOUNTY AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

## Community Expo





Tuesday, November 6 5:30 - 7:30 PM at Coventry Mall

351 W. Schuylkill Road, Pottstown 19465

For more information and to register to be a vendor, contact Tarra at 610.326.2900 or tarra@tricountyareachamber.com.

Local Vendors

**Entertainment** 

Fun Activities for Everyone

#### BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

#### PLATINUM SPONSOR

- Display table at event
- Company name and logo used in all event promotions
- Company name and logo used on Social Media posts
- Promotional item distributed to each attendee
- Banner displayed at event (if provided)
- Logo on attendee program listing
- Logo in the Rt. 422 Business Advisor (14,000 circulation)
- Acknowledged at November Membership Breakfast

Cost - \$1,000

#### SILVER SPONSOR

- Display table at event
- Name listed on attendee program
- Logo in the Rt. 422 Business Advisor (14,000 circulation)
- Acknowledged at November Membership Breakfast
   Cost — \$500

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## WELCOME APPROVED

Congratulations to the business listed below. Their applications were approved by the Board of Directors on June 20.

When purchasing goods and services, please keep this business as well as other TriCounty Area Chamber of Commerce Members in mind while you Always Buy Chamber!

**Moore Facility Services** 32 Wells Road Spring City, PA 19475 484.932.8020

#### www.moorefacilitysvs.com

Janitorial Services / Supplies

They are a building service contracting company serving Berks, Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia counties. They partner with our clients to Enhance their facilities appearance, Guard against health risks to stakeholders, and Preserve the life spans of our clients' assets

Referred by Barbara Hayman. **Decorating Den Interiors** 

Longstreth Sporting Goods, LLC 28 Wells Road Parker Ford, PA 19457 610.495.7022 www.longstreth.com

Sporting Goods

Provide Equipment and Apparel for the Female Athlete - Specializing in Field Hockey, Lacrosse, Softball, and Performance Wear/Uniforms.

Referred by Baran Schultz, Schultz Technology

#### **ALWAYS BUY CHAMBER**

Don't forget to support your fellow Members by Always Buying Chamber! We thought we would make it easier for you by listing Members under their primary categories. Check future issues of the Route 422 Business Advisor for more categories - and more Members to connect with!

#### **Lumber Yards/Supplies**

- A.D. Moyer Lumber & Hardware, Inc. Gilbertsville
- A.D. Moyer Lumber & Hardware, Inc. Pottstown
- Hollenbach Home Center

#### Malls/Outlets/Shopping Center

Coventry Mall

#### **Management Consultants**

• Turner Coaching Training & Consulting, LLC

#### **Manufacturers and Processors**

- Bally Block Company
- Beacon Container Corp.
- Berk International, LLC
- CEI Douglassville, Inc.
- Cigas Machine Shop, Inc.
- Columbia Boiler Co.
- Cooney Manufacturing Co., LLC
- Dana Incorporated
- Flag7one LLC
- Global Advanced Metals
- lacquet Mid Atlantic Inc.
- Il Machine & Tool Inc.
- Judson A. Smith Co.
- MacKissic, Inc.
- Patrick J. Murphy & Associates
- Precision Polymer Products, Inc.
- Sealstrip Corporation
- Stored Energy Concepts, Inc.
- Ultraflex Systems, Inc.
- Universal Machine Co. VideoRay LLC.

#### Market/Market Research

JWM Business Services

#### Material Handling Equipment

- American Crane & Equipment Corp.
- PA Industrial Equipment, Inc.

#### Medical Services

- Community Health & Dental Care
- Internal Medicine Tower Health Medical Group
- U.S. Renal Care Pottstown Dialysis

#### **Membership Organizations**

- Building a Better Boyertown
- Rotary Club of Pottstown

#### **Mental Health Services**

- NAMI PA, Montgomery County
- Penn Foundation, Inc.



**Always Buy Chamber!** 

#### CHAMBER MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES

(ACCORDING TO TCACC RECORDS)

## to the following Members:

#### 40+YEARS

Boenning & Scattergood, Inc.

Evans, Hauseman & Richard, Inc.

Hollenbach Construction, Inc.

**Houck & Gofus** Funeral Home, Inc.

**Pottstown School District** 

Schumacher & **Benner Funeral Home** & Crematory

#### *30 YEARS*

Schuylkill River **Greenways National** Heritage Area

#### 5 YEARS

**Beacon Container Corp.** 

#### 1 YEAR

Harleysville Bank House of India PA Jameri Enterprises LLC

JV Business Solutions LLC PSA, Incorporated

#### Member Renewals

Thank you to the following Members who renewed their commitment to make your Chamber a **PRIORITY!** 

Arnold's Family Fun Center

Artemis Design, Inc. **Car-Tel Communications** 

**Coventry Corners** 

**Decorating Den** Interiors

Falco and Associates, Inc.

Gage Personnel/ Gage Professionals

Gatsby's at the SunnyBrook Ballroom

H & H Systems, Inc. Jacquet Mid Atlantic, Inc.

Jay Lanes

John J. Cione and Co. LLC

**Lomax Carpet &** Tile Mart Martin

Stone Quarries, Inc. **McCormick Chiropractic**  Mom's House, Inc. of Greater Philadelphia

New Hanover United Methodist Church

Pottstown Area Police Athletic League

Pottstown YMCA, a branch of Philadelphia Freedom Valley YMCA

**Reading Fightin Phils** Reflections Hair Designs

Richard A. Zuber Insurance Agency

Rick Loughery, Chester County Recorder of deeds

Sawchuk's Garage, Inc.

**Sealstrip Corporation** TriCounty Active Adult Center

**Visiting Angels** Wellness Council of

**Boyertown** Wheels In Motion

Are you Celebrating 25, 50, 75 Years? If your Chamber Member company is celebrating a significant anniversary then the Chamber needs to know! The Chamber strives to recognize their Members for their success.

Contact Tarra James at 610.326.2900 or tarra@tricountyareachamber.com



#### 2018-2019 TRI-COUNTY COMMUNITY GUIDE & BUSINESS DIRECTORY

The Chamber will be distributing the 2018-2019 Tri-County Community Guide and Business Directory in Fall of 2018.

To ensure your business information is accurate for printing in this edition of the publication, the publisher, Atlantic Communications Group, Inc., is facilitating the member verification process. Their Chamber Directory Services Dept. is working on behalf of the Chamber to log the information and place follow-up calls to the membership and may contact you.

You will be receiving a form in the mail to verify the information the Chamber has on file for you. If you have any questions about this member verification effort or want to check your company's information now, please call the Chamber at 610-326-2900.

SUPPORTING COMMERCE

#### **MEMBERSHIP HAS ITS BENEFITS!**

#### **BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT**

August's Business of Spotlight is Boyertown Area Multi-Service. Learn more about them at the event on Tuesday, August 14 from 4-6 PM, located at the 200 West Spring St. in Boyertown!



Helping People, Strengthening Communities

Serving the Boyertown Area School District and the surrounding communities of Amity, District, Hereford, Pike and Oley townships.



# Spring Street

#### CENTER AT SPRING STREET

Last year,
1,103 older adults enjoyed
fellowship, entertainment, and
22,992 warm meals



#### **MEALS ON WHEELS**

42,557 meals
were served to
187 homebound adults



#### THE FOOD PANTRY

distributed food to 2,904 people in 1,133 households

#### AND MUCH MORE...

200 West Spring Street Boyertown, PA 19512 610-367-6957

www.BoyertownAreaMulti-Service.org

Boyertown Area Multi-Service



#### **JUNE BUSINESS CARD EXCHANGE**



UFinancial Group hosted our June Business Card Exchange on Tuesday, June 26. The event was held to show off the new office location and included a great night of food and networking.

#### Sponsored by:



#### **NEXT BUSINESS CARD EXCHANGE**

- Tuesday, August 14
   4 6 PM
- Boyertown Area Mult-SErvice



#### NEWS RELEASES

Members – Share your news with us, for FREE!

#### FEATURED MEMBER BENEFIT

#### **How to Share News Releases:**

- Sign on to Members Only, click on the 'News Releases' tab on the left side module
- Click 'Add a News release'
- Enter title of your news release (headline) and your message, contact information, etc.
- Select 'Member News' for the type/category of the news release
- Click 'Preview and Save' after you have finished your news release!

News releases will appear on the Chamber homepage of the website, scrolling under the Latest News block. We frequently push the news release page out on our social media sites as well!

#### **SUPPORTING COMMERCE**



## July Breakfast Recap



Our speaker, Aliya Hammond, presented on Storytelling through Social Media.

Chamber Members gathered at Copperfield Inn on July 19 for a breakfast focused on storytelling through social media.

Jennifer O'Donnell, Director of Leadership Tri-County, gave an overview of the Leadership Tri-County program. You can learn more about the program by attending one of two scheduled information sessions: Thursday, August 9 from 12 – 1 PM or Tuesday, August 14 from 9 – 10 AM. We are actively seeking participants for the class of 2019 - for more information, contact Jennifer at 610.326.2900 or jennifer@tricountyareachamber.com.

Our keynote speaker was Aliya Hammond a Social Media Strategist, Trainer, and Consultant that assists businesses and organizations with their social media story. She provided tips, tricks, and tools on how to get your business out there on social media:

- People buy into the story behind brands
- Photos tell a captivating story
- Utilize video go live

#### Thank you to our Sponsor:

#### The Mike Howell Team

#### 484.614.1674; www.themikehowellteam.com

Their philosophy is simple: clients come first. They pledge to be in constant communication with their clients, keeping them fully informed throughout the entire buying or selling process. They believe that if you're not left with an amazing experience, they haven't done their job. They don't measure success through achievements or awards, but through the satisfaction of their clients.

#### **NEXT BREAKFAST AUGUST MEMBERSHIP BREAKFAST**

#### **Thursday, August 9 from** 7 – 9 AM at Gatsby's at the **SunnyBrook Ballroom**

By signing up for this breakfast, you are guaranteed to have a 1-minute time frame to present your business to everyone in attendance!





Mike Howell representing the breakfast sponsor, The Mike Howell Team.





## Mark Your Calendars!

NETWORKING		
Thurs., Aug. 9	Membership Breakfast – Networking	
7 – 9 AM	Gatsby's at the SunnyBrook Ballroom, 50 Sunnybrook Rd., Pottstown 19464 Eggstra, Eggstra, Hear all about it! This Membership Breakfast is sure to be	
	loaded with information and networking. By signing up for this breakfast you are guaranteed to have a 1-minute time frame to present your busines to everyone in attendance. Make sure you take advantage of this opportunity and sign up now.	
	Sponsored by: Reading Eagle \$26 per Member (prepaid by 7/26); \$32 per Member (invoiced or after 7/26) \$50 per non-member	
Tues., Aug. 14	Business Spotlight	
4-6 PM	Boyertown Area Multi-Service, 200 W. Spring St., Boyertown 19512 Enjoy a great night at the Boyertown Area Multi-Service Inc. Located in Boyertown, they strive to help people and strengthen the community From the Food Pantry to medical appointments, the Boyertown Area Multi-Service company provides the community with much needed programs since 1973. Their new facility was completed in 2006, so come out and enjoy a tour of their great facility!	
	Sponsored by: Boyertown Area Multi-Service	
	No Charge; Members <mark>Only; Registration App</mark> reciated	
Weds., Aug. 15	WOW Luncheon - Diversity & Inclusion	
11:30 AM – 1 PM	Brookside Country Club, 850 N. Adams St., Pottstown 19464	
	Position your organization for maximum productivity, increased profitability and sustainability. Create your organization's masterpiece by expanding its understanding, awareness and support of diversity. Lucretia Coleman will speak on Diversity and Inclusion and how it is more than just being invited to the party. It's asking the wallflower to dance and watching he bloom as she dances like nobody's watching!  \$26 per Attendee (prepaid by 8/8); \$32 per Attendee (invoiced or after 8/8) Co-Sponsor: Keystone Villa at Douglassville	
Eni Arra 17	Potrock Friday, Functional Intelligence	
Fri., Aug. 17 8:30 – 10 AM	Refresh Friday: Emotional Intelligence  TriCounty Area Chamber of Commerce, 152 E. High St., Suite 360, Pottstown 19464	
	You are a person. You have people in your organization and outside organizations you work with collaboratively. You probably have people in your family. Doesn't is make sense to be able to relate to them better? During this interactive presentation, Steve Goble will explore the definition of 'Emotional Intelligence' and how it can be applied in our daily lives in a professional way will lead to greater success, more direct positive outcomes, and a happier and healthie you.	
	No Charge; Members Only; Registration Required	
Thurs., Aug. 23	LEYP: Year at a Glance	
5 – 7 PM	MCCC's Sustainability & Innovation Hub, 140 College Drive, Pottstown 19464	
	LEYP will be holding a "Year at a Glance" event. Come find out what we have in store for the remainder of the 2018 year and enjoy a night out. We welcome all young professionals in the area and are excited to share what we've been working on.	

Call Tarra James, Events & Marketing Director, for more information or to sponsor an event.



Sponsored by: Wolf, Baldwin & Associates, PC
No Charge; LEYP Participants Only; Registration Required

Scanning this QR code will take you to the event's page.



#### **SAVE THE DATES**

Annual Golf Outing Presented by Schultz Technology Mon., Sept. 10 **Reading Country Club Golf,** 5311 Perkiomen Ave., Reading 19606 10:30 AM Registration 11 AM Lunch 12 PM Shotgun Start 4:30 PM Clambake \$155 per person for Lunch, Golf and Clambake; \$600 per Foursome Business Development Opportunities Available If you are not a golfer, join us for networking and dinner - \$45 per Chamber Member; \$55 per non-member Presenting Sponsor: Schultz Technology Trophy Sponsor: Maillie LLP Lunch Sponsor: Tompkins VIST Bank Goodie Bag Sponsor: Creative Health Services Additional Business Development Opportunities Available **Membership Breakfast - Legislative** Fri., Sept. 14 7-9AM SunnyBrook Ballroom, 50 Sunnybrook Rd., Pottstown 19464 Our legislators are a vital part of our community and how we have a voice in our own government. The current running legislators will be presenting at this breakfast on their different stances on hot topics that effect everyone.

\$26 per Member (prepaid by 7/26); \$32 per Member (invoiced or after 7/26); \$50 per non-member

Sponsor: Boyertown Oil and Propane; Foundation for Pottstown

Education; Montgomery County Community College

Come out and learn about who will be representing your area.

#### Tues., Sept. 18 Business Spotlight

4 – 6 PM Steel River Playhouse, 245 E. High St., Pottstown 19464

Experience for yourself the Steel River Playhouse that is home to over 90 plays, musicals, concerts, and recitals every year. They strive to bring together the performing arts with the much needed economic growth of the downtown Pottstown area. As an artistic outlet in the community, Steel River prides itself on investing in the future of the local residents and children.

Come out and experience the amazing venue for yourself and you could win tickets to one of the next upcoming shows!

Sponsored by: Steel River Playhouse

No Charge; Members Only; Registration Appreciated

#### **Upcoming Signature Events**

- College Fair October 1,
   5:30 7:30 PM at the Coventry Mall
- Community Expo November 6,
   5:30 7:30 PM at the Coventry Mall
- Economic Development Luncheon –
   November 13, 11:30 AM 1:30 PM at RiverCrest Golf Club & Preserve

Register today; connect tomorrow. Visit tricountyareachamber.com or call 610.326.2900.



## LEADERSHIP. IMPACT. AWARENESS. TEAMWORK. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT. INFLUENCE. LEADERSHIP TRI-COUNTY





(Chamber membership not required)

#### JOIN US FOR AN INFO SESSION!

Thursday, August 9th 12-1PM or Tuesday, August 14th 9-10AM

(application deadline: August 17)

CONFIRMED SPONSORS TO DATE:

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TRANSPORTATION
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We are offering two information sessions in August for anyone interested in learning more about our newly expanded program! Whether you are looking to participate in the program yourself or you are an employer and/in human resources who would like to inquire about the program for potential employees, join us to see how Leadership Tri-County can bring value to your organization.

Leadership Tri-County is for emerging leaders, newly appointed leaders, and anyone who wants to increase their circle of influence. Throughout the program, you will grow as a leader in the community, develop personal and professional leadership skills, create long-lasting connections and friendships, gain knowledge of tri-county community assets and programs, expand your network by adding community leaders and access to a variety of community resources.

Participants meet once a month for programs covering topics such as: Arts & Culture; Business; Economic Development & Infrastructure; Education; Government; Health/Human Services; Justice; Leadership Development.

#### **WHAT TO EXPECT:**

- 10 Month PROGRAM RUNS SEPTEMBER 2018 THROUGH JUNE 2019
- Leadership & Professional development
- Site Tours
- Nonprofit Project Management
- Community Leader Speaker Series
- Low Ropes Team-building Experience
- Access to Alumni Network

Leadership Tri-County is administered through the TriCounty Area Chamber of Commerce Foundation, Inc. Since its inception in 1993, the program has prepared more than 200 community members for leadership positions in the tri-county area. Each Leadership class is comprised of individuals who have been selected for their potential to expand their involvement in the development of the tri-county area. Each member has made a demonstrated commitment to leadership in both their community and place of employment. These individuals represent business and industry, government, the arts, volunteer and social organizations, education, professional groups, labor, hospitals, and utilities.

For more information, contact Jennifer O'Donnell, Program Director, at 610.326.2900 or jennifer@tricountyareachamber.com.

*It's as easy as 1-2-3 or ABC* – Always Buy Chamber!





#### Lead | Engage | Young | Professionals

Network of Leaders. Professional Development. Volunteerism. Community Action.

On Thursday, June 28, LEYP held it's first volunteer opportunity. Members from the Young Professionals organization assisted at the PDIDA 5K Run to the FARM. Proceeds from the race benefits the revitalization of downtown Pottstown.





#### **NEXT LEYP EVENT:** Year at a Glance

Thursday, August 23 from 5 – 7 PM MCCC's Sustainability & Innovation Hub Register by calling 610.326.2900.

#### SHARE-A-RIDE PROGRAM OFFERS EASY WAY TO CARPOOL - GVF



At GVF we are committed to our mission of reducing congestion, improving the environment and quality of life. We do this by promoting and implementing transportation demand management (TDM) strategies. One TDM strategy is encouraging commuters to use an alternative form of transportation instead of driving alone to get to and from work. Alternatives include carpooling, vanpooling, public transit, biking or walking.

Carpooling is one of the easiest alternatives a commuter can participate in. A carpool typically consists of two to four people riding together to a similar area on similar schedules, often co-workers riding to and from work. A personal vehicle is used to run a carpool.

Carpooling reduces travel costs such as fuel costs and tolls. It decreases vehicle wear and tear on personal vehicles and can reduce stress. Carpooling can help reduce traffic congestion and help prevent pollution by reducing the amount of Greenhouse gas emissions emitted into the atmosphere.

In southeastern Pennsylvania, 70% of commuters drive alone to work, and only 7.7% carpool (U.S. Census Bureau, 2014). Commuters tend to think that they face barriers when it comes to carpooling. Barriers like having a different work schedules to coworkers, or not having co-workers who live close by. GVF regularly conducts commuter surveys to help organizations understand their employees' commuting behaviors and habits. The results of these surveys often show that these barriers are less challenging than people would think. The main barrier towards carpooling is simply that employees are unaware of potential co-workers who they could share a ride with or programs that are available to help commuters make the switch.



#### Share-a-ride is here to help make the shift to ride sharing easy!

Share-A-Ride is a free, computerized service that matches commuters with potential carpool and vanpool groups, transit options, and even walking and bicycling routes. The program is administered by the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (DVRPC) and is part of the Mobility Alternatives Program (MAP), which also helps employers find better transportation options for employees.

The new Share-A-Ride webpage uses a mapping function to match commuters to better options. Individuals can also track their commutes in the Commute Journal to calculate their vehicle travel, pollution, and money savings.

Commuters sign up at https://sharearide.rideproweb.com, create a profile with their personal preferences and the database matches the user with potential carpools or vanpools in their area. If commuters only want to share a ride with co-workers, the program can identify internal matches from your organization only. Sign up today for free!

Interested in signing up or learning more about Share-A-Ride Contact GVF today. Contact Stacey Henrich at shenrich@gvftma.com or 610-354-8899 ext. 4

#### **CREATING CONNECTIONS**

# POTTSTOW



The Chamber's 2018 Pottstown Progress Luncheon on June 21 focused on "I Pick Pottstown." Peggy Lee-Clark, Executive Director of Pottstown Area Industrial Development, took attendees on a journey through the benefits of living, working, and playing in Pottstown. The event fell on the first day of summer, so attendees walked away sporting I Pick Pottstown Sunglasses as well as magnets to place on their vehicles.





#### We would like to thank those who made this event a success!

#### PLATINUM SPONSORS:







#### GOLD SPONSORS:

O'Donnell, Weiss & Mattei, P.C.

**Pottstown Area** Rapid Transit, Inc.

**Tompkins VIST Bank** 

Traffic Planning and Design, Inc.

**The Victory Bank** 

#### SILVER SPONSORS:

The Hill School Gatsby's At the **Sunnybrook Ballroom** Pottstown Area Health & **Wellness Foundation** 

#### **EXPO TABLE PARTICIPANTS:**

CEDARVILLE Engineering Group, LLC Exelon

**FASTSIGNS** 

Hobart's Run

L & J Cleaning Service, Inc.

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Steel River Playhouse The SunnyBrook Ballroom Tompkins VIST Bank Traffic Planning and Design, Inc. The Victory Bank



#### ENCE IS WHAT



#### NONPROFIT ROUNDTABLE

On July 17, the Chamber and Tri-County Community Network hosted the quarterly Non-Profit Roundtable. Non-profits in attendance heard updates from each other as well as TCN and the Chamber. Time was also taken to discuss the needs of our non-profits in the region and have a roundtable conversation focused on assistance they might need. Thank you to all who attended!



#### **PRO BUSINESS COUNCIL**

**James Logan,** Senior Manager, Business and Community Development, Chester County Economic Development Council, presented to the Pro Business Council at their July Meeting.

Next meeting is Monday, September 17, 10 AM at the Chamber Office.

#### **Advocacy Sponsor:**



"I really did not understand what the Business Council did until I went to the meeting. By attending I found that there are many things happening in



our area. Hearing what is being developed and what opportunities enables me to think about how to best get involved in various aspects of our business community."

- Jerry Williams, President, Schuylkill Valley Sports

### THANK YOU BOX: 2018-2019 CONNECTIONS PARTNERS:



#### 2018-2019 COMMERCE PARTNERS:









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#### RIBBON CUTTINGS





85 South Walnut Street, Boyertown, PA 19512

#### **CEDARVILLE** Engineering Group, LLC,

159 East High Street, Suite 500, Pottstown, PA 19464



#### Ice Cream Café, 250 East High Street, Pottstown, PA 19464

Celebrate your new business or new location by hosting a Ribbon Cutting/Grand Opening. The TriCounty Area Chamber of Commerce provides this complimentary service to ALL businesses in the tri-county region.

For more details or to schedule your Ribbon Cutting, please contact Tarra James, Events & Marketing Director, at 610.326.2900 or tarra@tricountyareachamber.com.

#### 2018 - 2019 TCACC & BOARD OF DIRECT **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

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Frank Strunk, Tompkins VIST Bank

#### Rofresh



#### **REFRESH FRIDAY - JUNE**

June's Refresh Friday Panel focused on how their businesses play a large role in the community and how to encourage employees to be active in the area. Thank you to Rich Newell, CEO of Pottstown Hospital - Tower Health; Beth Walton, VP/Chief Human Resources Officer with Diamond Credit Union; Kevin Campbell, President of Barry Isett & Associates, Inc.; and Terese Brittingham, Owner of Keller Williams Realty Group for sharing their knowledge, ideas, and experiences!

#### **NEXT REFRESH SEMINAR:**

Friday, August 17, 8:30 – 10 AM, "Emotional Intelligence"

#### **JOB POSTINGS**

#### **LOOKING TO FILL A POSITION?**

The Job Postings and Resume Service helps Members that are looking to fill a position by saving them time and money.

#### How to Post Your Job Opening

Companies who have posted Job Openings will be featured in a weekly email and in the Route 422 Business Advisor.

Members: It's easy to post your Job Openings!

- Login to Members Only on the Chamber website and click the "Jobs" tab on the left side module.
- Click "Add New Job Posting," fill in the description.
- Preview your posting by clicking "Preview" on the bottom of the page.
- Click the red "Save & Exit" button on the bottom to finalize your posting.

#### **LOOKING FOR QUALIFIED INDIVIDUALS?**

Information from resumes the Chamber has received are announced at Membership Breakfasts and summarized in the Route 422 Business Advisor.

**Members:** Stop by at the office anytime to review the resumes we have on file that have been sent to us by those looking for work.

• P/T Office Administration; Sales Support Services

#### Know someone looking for a job?

- 1. Have them send their resume to Melissa at melissa@tricountyareachamber.com.
- 2. They can also go to the Chamber's website and view Chamber Members who currently have positions available at their company.
- Borough of Pottstown: Fire Chief/Fire Marshall
- KenCrest EmployNet: Assistant Director of **Employment**
- Barry Isett & Associates, Inc.: Mid-Level Geotechnical Engineer

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