



August 2023

Dear Chamber Members,

The Chamber's Happy Hour is scheduled for Wednesday, August 16, at CROSSVINES! Come join us and enjoy this beautiful new addition to our area. Crossvines, located adjacent to the Poolesville Golf Course on W. Willard, combines a large event space, a grape crushing facility for local farmers and wine makers, and a new restaurant/bar called the Farmhouse Bistro. A special event space is reserved for Chamber Members for this event. Light refreshments, cash bar. Please sign up on Eventbrite before 8/12 deadline.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/happy-hour-tickets-681866359637?aff=oddtcreator>

The **PACC 31st Annual Poolesville Day 5K Run/Walk** will be Saturday, September 23 at 8 am to kick off the Poolesville Day festivities! Race registration is available online at www.poolesvillechamber.com. A list of sponsors as of 7/28 can be found at the end of this newsletter. Net proceeds support the PACC's long tradition of giving back to local community non-profits as well as supporting events like Poolesville Day and the 4th of July Fireworks Celebration, which in turn brings visitors to our area to **EAT, SHOP AND PLAY LOCAL.**

FRIDAY ON THE COMMONS "FROZENVILLE" event was postponed due to extreme heat. The new date for summer fun is August 4. The PACC will be hosting a hospitality tent with giveaways from 6 – 8:30 pm on Whalen Commons. The fun activities for the kids to be capped off at 8:30 by an outdoor movie showing of "FROZEN II".

BUSINESS HELPING BUSINESS GROW monthly breakfast gathering will be Thursday, August 3, from 8 - 9:30 am at M & T Bank. The host and guest speaker is Cheryl Kenly, Poolesville Branch Manager.

- Free breakfast and coffee provided by Locals, compliments of the PACC.
- Come out and network with fellow Chamber members and generate more customers for your business or organization.

We had a great time with family and friends at the **4th OF JULY**

FIREWORKS CELEBRATION put on by the Upper Montgomery County Volunteer Fire Department. PACC is a proud, long-time financial supporter of this event. We hosted a tent this year and were pleased to visit with the many Chamber members who stopped by.

Compliments of your Poolesville Area Chamber of Commerce, **600 free Glow Sticks** were given out to kids and adults alike and were a big hit.... We handed out the last of them just as the fireworks began!

The new **PACC HISTORIC POOLESVILLE AND SURROUNDING AREA TOURISM MAP** is available. The map is a great resource for residents and visitors. Thank you again to our many PACC advertisers who fund the map, and a special thank you to the Town of Poolesville Commissioners for their generous Town grant.

We thank the many members who renewed their 2023 membership and who are the foundation of our organization. Thank you for your continued confidence in the work of the Chamber on behalf of our business community.

Regards,

Tom Kettler
President
PACC Board of Directors

Chamber member **Kuhlman Lawn Service is offering a 5% discount** to all chamber members for fall clean-up/mulch if they sign up by August 30th.

Monocacy Lions Club Charity Golf Tournament will be held Wednesday, October 18 at Bretton Woods Golf Course. The deadline for registration and hole sponsorship is October 6. For additional information, contact Bill Jamison at 240-388-0721 or email at williamhjamison@outlook.com

2023 5K WALK/RUN SPONSORS as of 7/28/23

Diamond (2 @ \$1,000)

Rescue One
Don Hoffacker AC & Heating

Platinum (1 @ \$750)

Potomac Financial Consultants

Gold (5 @ \$400, 1 @ \$500*)

*Black Dog Philanthropic
Gail Lee Homes
Fine Earth Landscape Inc.
Hilton Funeral Home
Anytime Fitness

Potomac Valley Surveys

Silver (6 @ \$200)

Kettler Forlines Design Build Renovate
Drs. Pike & Valega, DDS
Poolesville Veterinary Clinic
Windridge Vineyards
First Home Mortgage/Jeff Stempler
Poolesville Physical Therapy

Bronze (9 @ \$100)

Crazy Running Western Maryland
Kuhlman Lawn Service
Mexican Grill
The Sweet Lemon
Law Offices of Thomas M. McCartin
Town of Poolesville
Barnesville School of Arts & Sciences
Capital Fence
Upper Montgomery Vol. Fire Dept.

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