ONTARIO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC.

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Newsletter - November - December, 2018



1st row, I to r: Adam Howe, Roxanne Brown, Boe Antonson, Sherry Verstraete, chamber member; 2nd row: Chamber Members, I to r: Cheryl Legg, Jim Switzer, & Brian Natale (story on page 2)

Gemstone Shop Opens In Ontario 2014 Ridge Road (story page 2)



A row of amethyst items at Twizted Creations.





Shoppers found plenty of hand-crafted items to choose from at the Ontario Chamber's Holiday Craft Show held on Nov. 10, 2018 (more photos and story page 3)



October, 2018 Business of the Month, Stone Road Auto (story on page 7)



Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and Joyous New Year Ontario Chamber of Commerce

A Gem of a store opens in Ontario, NY (continued from page 1) Pg. 2

October 8 – Ontario, NY. Twizted Creations hosted a ribbon cutting ceremony for their grand opening at 2014 Ridge Rd., Ontario, NY, sponsored by the Ontario Chamber of Commerce. The gemstone shop features semi-precious stones and gift items made from stones all over the world. "Some are from Russia, Brazil, Indonesia, and even Madagascar, said Roxanne Brown." Roxanne, with her son, Adam Howe, and daughter, Boe Antonson, are the business owners.

The store displays include many unique gift items and jewelry made from a large variety of stones as amethyst, aquamarine, and rose quartz. Large quantities of loose stones are available that can be used for jewelry making or home decoration. Roxanne said she does all the buying herself and has traveled to mineral shows as far as Denver, CO. Some of the tumbling is done at her home in the basement. A hard material, such as a Herkimer diamond will take 2-3 weeks of tumbling before it is finished. Twizted Creations is a member of the Wayne County Gem & Mineral Society.

If you're looking for that special gift, but not sure what to purchase, gift certificates are available. Hours are Tuesday through Saturday 10 AM - 4 PM, closed Sunday and Monday. Major credit cards are accepted. Phone: (585) 857-1012. New poly-resin dragons along with more necklaces and earrings will be available during the holiday shopping season.

Ontario Food Pantry Is Accepting Christmas Donations

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If your company would like to contribute to the Ontario Food Pantry by making a donation of 60 items for the Christmas Distribution Box, or to the general collection to be used during the months of December or January please contact Tim King at 315-690-6311. Items needed for the <u>General</u>

<u>Distributions are</u>:

Cereal or Oatmeal
Saltine Crackers

Pasta or Spaghetti Products

Pork & Beans

Canned Vegetables

Canned Fruit

Tomato Sauce

Canned Stew

Canned Chili

Cans or Boxes of Soup

Jello or Pudding

Boxed Potatoes

Rice Products

Boxed Macaroni & Cheese

Peanut Butter

Jelly

Canned Tuna or Meats

Ramen Noodles

Other Non-perishable Items:

Bathroom Tissue

Bars of Soap

Shampoo & Conditioner

Deodorant

New Toothbrushes

Toothpaste

Laundry Soap

Dish-washing Soap

Baby Diapers

Coffee or Tea

Damaged or Expired Items Cannot Be Accepted

Community Donation Sites: Save-A-Lot, 1250 Rt. 104, Lyons National Bank, 6280 Furnace Rd., Edward Jones, 6323 Knickerbocker Rd., Sue's Hair Trends, 2015 Ridge Rd., Konstantinou's Family Restaurant, 2030 Rt. 104, Brian Natale Farmers Insurance Agency, 1652 Rt. 104, Ontario Town Hall Lobby, 1850 Ridge Rd., American Legion Meyers-Ingraham Post, 6180 Knickerbocker Rd. Community donations of Food, time and financial aid are welcome and appreciated. Please direct mail to: Ontario Food Pantry, PO Box 314, Ontario, NY 14519-0314.

Ontario Chamber Membership Decals/2019 Meeting Schedule/Business Tour

If you have moved your business or would like an additional chamber decal to display at your business, please email Donna Burolla, (dburolla@gmail.com) and a decal(s) will be mailed to you.

The Ontario Chamber meeting schedule for 2019 is listed on page 9 of this newsletter. All meetings are open to the public and chamber members. We welcome your involvement! Please attend and find out what programs and activities we have planned for the year. Check your emails for an invitation in the spring for a tour of our new business, Intergrow Greenhouses located on Timothy Lane.



Celebrate the holidays with Ontario Parks & Recreation! Check out the holiday events and Santa's sleigh schedule At www.ontariotown.org, under Recreation Department











The Ontario Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the Town of Ontario Parks & Recreation Dept. for cosponsoring the annual craft and vendor show held at the town's Community Center on Nov 10th.

The Park's Dept. crew and staff helped setup for the event and were helpful throughout the day. Thank you to Cheryl and Roger Legg for your help in organizing, and coordinating the over 70 vendors that attended. If you missed this year's show, mark your calendar for next year. It is always held the second Saturday in November. If you are a crafter and are interested in participating in 2019, please email clegg@rochester.rr.com.

In Memoriam - Fred Nudd

The Ontario Chamber was saddened to learn of the death of one of Ontario's legends in our community. Fred Nudd passed on Nov. 15, 2018 at the age of 98 years. He was the owner of Nudd Corporation, located at 1785 Rt. 104, Ontario, NY for 73 years. Nudd Corporation constructs and builds communication towers and large metal fabrication structures. They were the chamber's Business of the Month in May, 2000.

Fred was a community supporter and a member of the Ontario-Walworth Rotary Club for many years. His legacy will live on in the Nudd Corporation now operated by his son and brother. The chamber extends condolences to the Nudd Family. May he rest in peace.



Below is an article taken from the Wayne County Mail written by Ryan Whirty, dated March 29, 2001.

Local manufacturer towers over Ontario

By Ryan Whirty

Mail Editor

ONTARIO — In many ways, the growth of the 54-year-old Fred A. Nudd Corp. symbolizes the development that has taken place in western Wayne County, and Ontario in particular, in recent years.

In 1997, the company constructed a 200-foot-long production building in which employees manufacture metal towers for various clients. Just last month, in an effort to keep current with technology, the company purchased and installed two new machines that sheer and bend steel beams up to 35 feet in length.

According to Shop Supervisor Jim Rosington, the company now employs

65 to 70 people — twice as many as it did five years ago. In 2000, the company did \$4 million of business with companies like Nextel, Sprint, Crown Castle and Atlantic Tel.

After all that growth, the firm's sixacre complex along Route 104 in Ontario is starting to get cramped, said Project Manager Doug Harradine.

"We're running out of space here," Harradine said.

As a result, the company recently purchased land across the highway, which company officials hope to use as a storage area.

Harradine said 90 to 95 percent of Fred Nudd's business comes from the cell-phone industry.

"With the cellular industry booming

like it is, a lot of towers are needed, and we can't keep up with demand," he said.

However, Harradine noted that "each (cellular) company goes through its own growth spurt," which means the growth experienced by cell-tower production firms like Nudd goes in cycles. Right now, said Rosington, the company doesn't have any further expansion plans in the near future.

But Harradine said the company—founded in 1947 by Fred Nudd and currently run by acting President Tom Nudd, Fred's son — is always looking to grow whenever possible.

"To keep up with the competition, you have to get bigger or get shut out," he said.

Donations needed for Pines of Peace Comfort Care Home www.pinesofpeace.org

If you would like to make a donation to The Pines, the following items are always needed:

Assorted K-cup coffee/tea pods (regular and decaf)

Non-bleach disinfectant wipes

Liquid dishwasher detergent

Unscented liquid HE Laundry Detergent

Unscented fabric sheets

Baby wipes

Stamps

Individually wrapped candy

Individually packaged snacks

Paper products: paper towels, tissues, napkins

Laundry Spray Stain Remover

Carpet/Upholstery Stain Remover

Rinse Agent for Dishwasher

Lysol Disinfectant Spray

Please call Pines of Peace at 315-524-2388 to arrange a time to drop off items at 2378 Ridge Rd., Ontario, NY 14519.

Tree of Lights for the Animals – sponsored by The Humane Society of Wayne County –

For a tax-deductible donation of \$5.00 or more, we will place a light on the holiday tree at the Shelter. For a tax deductible donation of \$10.00 or more, we will place a light on te tree as well as a dog or cat ornament printed with the name of the animal you select. The tree will be lighted at Thanksgiving and throughout the Christmas and Hanukkah seasons as a symbol of hope and love. To purchase lights and ornaments, please use the form available at www.hswaynepets.org. HSWC Animal Shelter, 1475 County House Road, Lyons, NY 14489.

Tobacco Action Coalition of the Finger Lakes has a free "A Tobacco-Free Workplace" Policy Guide". It includes sample policies, step-by-step guide for implementation, cessation opportunities and technical assistance, working in the community, and a list of additional resources. If you would like to receive a copy or find out more information, please contact Penny Gugino, Coalition Director, (585) 666-1398 or email penny.gugino@lung.org. If your organization has already adopted a tobacco-free policy, please send us a copy so that the Tobacco Action Coalition of the Finger Lakes can acknowledge you as a partner for a healthy New York.

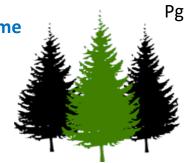
RV Rental – www.Cruiseamerica.com, in Ontario

RV's are available for rent at Adventures In Climbing, 912 Rt. 104, Ontario, NY 14519. Rent for the day or week(s). RV's are between 25 – 30 ft., drive yourself. Can be used for football games, vacations, camping, and more. Call (315) 333-5003.

Chamber Welcome Packages – New Materials Needed

If you would like your marketing materials distributed to new residents in Ontario, please deliver 50-100 items to Edward Jones, 6323 Knickerbocker Rd., Ontario, NY 14519,

Attention: Aileen Hurlimann. Approximately 12 packages are delivered each month. This is an opportunity for you to reach new customers. Business cards are accepted.



WELCOME BACK RENEWING CHAMBER MEMBERS! Thank You For Being So Prompt With Your Dues Your Continued Support Is Appreciated

LIZ ALBRIGHT, Town Historian, 2200 Lake Rd., Ontario, NY 14519 JOHUS PROPERTIES, Joe Huss, 2090 Ridge Rd., Unit 3101, PO Box 211, Ontario, NY 14519 LAKE COUNTRY GEOTHERMAL, Steve Cooper, 4164 Walworth Rd., Walworth, NY 14568 HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS & SUITES, Kara Kane, 860 Holt Rd., Webster, NY 14580 CONNORS-HAAS, INC. Brian Haas, 6337 Dean Parkway, Ontario, NY 14519 T. NELSON SALES, INC., Tom Nelson, 964 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, NY 14519 PHOTON GEAR, Gary & Billie Sue Blough, 245 David Parkway, Ontario, NY 14519 BENE-CARE AGENCY, INC., William Bach, 2160 Creek St., Ste 100, Webster, NY 14580 CROWN ELECTRIC, Matt Hanlon, 75 NYS Rt. 104, PO Box 86, Union Hill, NY 14563 LYONS NATIONAL BANK, Jarrod Crawford, 6280 Furnace Rd., Ontario, NY 14519 JOE PAGLIUSO & BROS., 6845 N. Slocum Rd., Ontario, NY 14519 SUE'S HAIR TRENDS, Sue Yantch, 2015 Ridge Rd., Ontario, NY 14519 CROSS KEYS AUTOMOTIVE, INC., George W. Vargo, 1760 NYS Rt. 104, PO Box 85, Ontario, NY 14519 DONNA BUROLLA, Chamber President, 722 Ontario Drive, Ontario, NY 14519 EXELON GENERATION, R.E. Ginna Nuclear Plant, 1503 Lake Road, Ontario, NY 14519 LAKESIDE ROOFING & SIDING MATERIALS, INC., Bradley Burns, 6296 Lakeside Rd., Ontario, NY 14519 CORNERSTONE REALTY ASSOCIATES, Paula Carr Priest, 2015-B Ridge Rd., PO Box 405, Ontario, NY 14519 FINGER LAKES TRELLIS ORCHARD & VINEYARD SUPPLY DEPOT, 4041A Railroad Ave., Williamson, NY 14589 BRIAN NATALE AGENCY, LLC FARMERS INSURANCE, 1648 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, NY 14519 McDONALD'S OF ONTARIO, 1204 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, Nancy Wilkes, 218 Ford St., Newark, NY 14513 KONSTANTINOU'S RESTAURANT, Prodromus & Jeanee Konstantinou, 2030 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, NY 14519 BROOKS' FACTORY DIRECT TRAILERS LLC, Ray Brooks, 240 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, NY 14519 TOWN OF ONTARO, Bill Riddell, Director of Economic Development, 6551 Knickerbocker Rd., Ontario, NY JOHN LOCKWOOD PLUMBING, John Lockwood, 357 Timothy Lane, Ontario, NY 14519

Welcome New Members to the Ontario Chamber!

TIMES OF WAYNE COUNTY, INC., Ron & Patti Holdraker, PO Box 608, Macedon, NY 14502-0608, Phone: (315) 986-7271; website: www.waynetimes.com; email: news@waynetimes.com

AUTUMN JOY ALPACA FARM, Karen Fabi, 6018 Arbor Rd., Ontario, NY 14519, Phone: 585-626-8967. Sale of Alpaca products.

Travel, community, and tourism information is located in the display racks, sponsored by the Ontario Chamber, in the Ontario Town Hall and Library foyer, 1850 Ridge Rd., Ontario, NY

Officers: (terms expire in 2020)

Donna Burolla, President
(315) 524-8286
Sherry Verstraete, V.P.
(585) 820-8801
Jim Switzer, Treasurer –
(585) 750-2277
Cheryl Legg, Secretary –
(585) 315-0935

Board of Directors: (3 year terms)

Brian Natale, Farmers Insurance – term expires 2019 Sue Yantch, Sue's Hair Trends – term expires 2021 Joellen Simone - Nature's Way Floral and Garden - term expires 2020 Ray Cedruly, Community Liaison (585) 734-5526



Pictured above, (L) Kenneth Yaw & Numan Sevil

Ontario Chamber of
Commerce
October, 2018
Business of the Month
Stone Road Auto
114 NYS Rt. 104
Ontario, NY

Stone Road Auto is an award-winning used car and truck dealership, and October's Ontario Chamber of Commerce business of the month. They were named CarGurus 2017 top rated dealer! This honor is a testament to their dealership's exceptional customer service, and helps establish trust with future buyers.

Sammy Getiren is General Manager, Kenneth Yaw brings his expertise, as Sales / Finance Manager and Cem Odkum is responsible for vehicle purchasing. They have been in business for 20 years comprising locations on Dewey Ave. and Rt. 104, in Rochester, Five Mile Line Rd. Webster, NY and their present home, 114 NY- 104 in Ontario.

Stone Road Auto specializes in top-level, quality used pick-up trucks, and is a one stop shopping facility; which includes sales, repairs, detailing, registration, and financing. They also help customers navigate insurance particulars, if needed. Hours of operation are: Monday – Friday (9am to 6pm), Saturday (10am to 5pm), and Sunday by appointment only. Their repair facility is located in Greece, on Stone Rd. (henceforth the business name). They are proud to provide vehicles for their customers that are 10 years or newer. At prices ranging less than 20K, with affordable monthly financing. Visit www.stoneroatauto.com to see their impressive lineup.

Gertiren defines success for this respected dealership, through "having clear goals, working hard, planning well and dependable customer service". The employees maintain an atmosphere of friendliness, courtesy, and no-nonsense; which flows over into their customer endorsements. Contact the staff at stoneroadauto@gmail.com.

In addition to repeat and referral business, *Stone Road Auto* is listed on *Cars.com, Car Fax and Edmunds*. Their vehicles come from other franchise dealerships that include leases and trade-ins.

This dealership envisions remaining in Ontario, NY and possibly within the next 10 years expanding at a larger location.

Peruse *Stone Road Auto* and you could drive away this fall season in a reliable, and stylish ride.

Interviewed by: Joellen Simone, Nature's Way Florist, Ontario, NY Photo courtesy of Jenniffer Merida-Nudd, PhotoChica, Webster, NY



Congratulations to Sue Lansing on the addition of Sue's Little Chicken Shack, 3885 Rt. 104, Williamson, NY. Now open from Wed – Sun, 11 AM to 8 PM. (formerly Anova)

Phone: 315-589-2200.

Sue now owns Sue's Little Pizza, 1795 Ridge Rd., in Ontario.

Phone: 315-524-2222.



TOWN OF ONTARIO **WINTER & GENERAL** PARKING RESTRICTIONS



their visitors and/or guests, are prohibited from parking on public roads in the Town of Ontario as per the following Town Codes.

Town Code §102-3 Wintertime Restrictions - "No parking shall be allowed from November 1 of each year to April 1 of the following year on the roads of the Town of Ontario between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m.".

Town Code §102-6 Public highways - "Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or when in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic control device or when parking is authorized by reserved or other posted notice as determined by resolution of the Ontario Town Board or except momentarily to pick up or discharge a passenger or passengers, no person shall park a vehicle on any highways in the Town of Ontario".

Town Code §102-7 Public parking lots - "No person shall park a vehicle in a public parking

Please take notice, all residents. lot in the Town of Ontario unless such person shall be an owner, employee or customer of a business establishment served by said parking lot, during the hours of operation of such business, or for the receipt or discharge of passengers or merchandise".

> Town Code §102-8 Alternatenight parking in public parking lots for snow removal - "During the period from November 1 of each year to April 15 of the following year, alternate-night parking in public parking lots in the Town of Ontario may be implemented by the Superintendent of Highways to facilitate snow removal, and such restrictions shall be effective upon posting.

Two-hour parking restrictions are also in place for the Ontario Business District between 9:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. daily except Sundays and Holidays. These regulations are established for the proper removal of snow and ice from roadways within the town and to meet the needs of local business owners and residents.

Ontario Chamber of Commerce Membership Information

The Ontario Chamber of Commerce is open to membership for all businesses and residents. You do not need to be a local business or resident to join. There is only one level of membership at \$50.00. Some of our business support projects include: Business of the Month; Ribbon Cutting Ceremony; Support for our Business Improvement District. Community projects include: Support for the Ontario Food Pantry; Christmas Tree Lighting Event; Scholarship given to a Wayne Central graduate; Distribution of Welcome Packages to new residents. For more Information about additional projects please visit our website: www.ontarionychamber.org. Please consider joining us and becoming part of our team to support businesses and our community. Your membership and support would be welcomed!

Ontario Chamber of Commerce – Membership Form

Membership Dues: \$50.00 annually. Please make checks payable to Ontario Chamber of Commerce, and mail to PO Box 100, Ontario, NY 14519-0100

BUSINESS NAME:	
NAME OF OWNER: _	
TYPE OF BUSINESS: _ MAILING ADDRESS:	
-	(No. and Street)
BUSINESS ADDRESS:	(Post Office Box) (City, State, Zip)
	(No. and Street)
-	(Post Office Box) (City, State, Zip)
HOME PHONE:	
BUSINESS PHONE:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	
WEBSITE ADDRESS:	
FAX NUMBER:	
*PERMISSION TO ADD TO ONLINE BUSINESS DIRECTORY (circle one)	

*(We depend on members to provide updated information as it occurs.)

FedEx

Outdoor box

Advantage Auto Supply

2045 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, NY Phone (store) (315) 524-2691 Daily Pickup @5 pm Monday thru Friday None on weekends/holidays

Western Union

Send & Receive Money/Messages

Rite Aid Pharmacy

6296 Ontario Ctr. Rd., Ontario, NY S.E. corner @ NYS Rt. 104 Phone (store) (315) 524-2511

UPS (United Parcel Service) Secor Hardware (within store)

Tops Plaza, S.E. corner of NYS Rt. 104 and Furnace Rd., Ontario, NY The service is available during regular store hours Phone (store) (315) 524-4052

Mobile DMV at Webster Public Library Mondays 10-3:30; except holidays

2019 Chamber Meetings

January 21st

February 18 March 18th April 15th May 20th June 17th July 15th August 19th September 16th September 19 – Annual Banquet October 21 November 18

December - No Meeting

YES NO

All chamber members are invited to attend as well as the general public. Meetings are held at the Ontario Town Hall, 1850 Ridge Road in the town board meeting room and begin at 3:30 p.m.