#### ONTARIO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC.

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Newsletter - March - April, 2022



## WAYNE CENTRAL EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The Wayne Central Education Foundation is beyond honored to announce that it will be awarding seven grants to Wayne Central School District teachers.

The Foundation was able to provide these grants due to the amazing support from our community. Be it attending a food truck event in the pouring rain, flamingo flocking your friends or donations from the families and businesses. This has enabled the Foundation to make a difference in the community.

Since their start in 2018, the Wayne Central Education has donated in excess of \$10,000 to the Wayne Central School District. This has been gone in the form of grants, gifts and scholarships to graduating seniors.

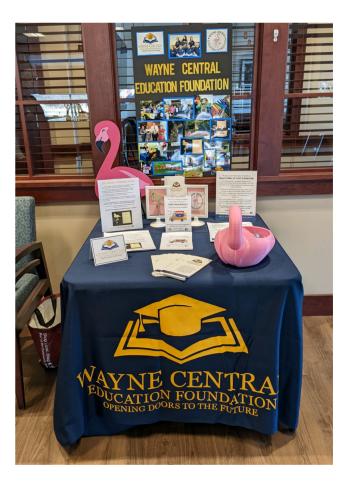
The mission of the Wayne Central Education Foundation is to provide financial support for the education, co-curricular activities and programs within the Wayne Central School District. The Foundation is a charitable organization, separate from the school district, founded to provide funding to enrich the educational experience for the students in the Wayne Central School District. You can learn more about the Wayne Central Education Foundation by visiting their Facebook page.

The teacher recipients of this year's grants are:
Jill Johnson, a teacher in Wayne Elementary
Monica Bays, a teacher in the Wayne Middle School
Darlene Martino, a teacher in Wayne Primary
Hope Lash, a teacher in Wayne Primary
Gail Streeter, a teacher in the Wayne High School
Jacquelyn Courtney, a teacher in the Wayne High School
Tim Thomas, a teacher in the Wayne High School



Congratulations to the teachers and THANK YOU for all you do for our students. (Photo on pg. 2)

If you would like your business or organization featured in this column, please email: Donna Burolla, President, Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc. at dburolla@gmail.com.



### (Wayne Central Education Foundation, continued)

Pictured at left is the display provided by the Wayne Central Education Foundation. As part of the Ontario Chamber Spotlight Promotion, businesses and organizations are invited to display their marketing information within the Lyons National Bank located at 6280 Furnace Rd., Tops Plaza. Please take a moment to stop by.

#### Ontario Chamber of Commerce Members Are Cordially Invited To A Luncheon & Program

Program: Re-Development of Former Union Hill Fire Station, 70 Ridge Rd.,

Union Hill, NY

Presented By: Jonathan Oliva, Owner & Real Estate Developer, from Planet

Companies

Please welcome this new developer to our community!

Date: Wednesday, April 6, 2022

Time: 11:30 A.M.

Place: Mama Lor's Café, 1891 Ridge Road, Webster, NY 14580

Lunch orders will be self-pay from the menu

R.S.V.P. By: April 1, 2022

Email: <a href="mailto:dburolla@gmail.com">dburolla@gmail.com</a> or the Chamber Office: 315-524-5886

### ONTARIO FIRE COMPANY STATION THREE CELEBRATES GRAND OPENING



Ontario Fire Company Station Three opened its doors to the public and held a grand opening ribbon cutting celebration on Feb. 27, 2022. The facility is located on Lakeside Road, near the Berg Rd. intersection. The expansion redeveloped and renovated a former commercial/industrial building with added new construction consisting of a breezeway connecting to two large garage bays for equipment and vehicles. MRB Group was the local project engineer. Connors-Haas located at 6337 Dean Parkway, Ontario, was responsible for all of the electrical work.

The Ontario Chamber of Commerce congratulates the Ontario Fire Company on this accomplishment and thanks them for their volunteer service by providing continued fire protection to our local and surrounding communities.









THE

# Ontario Fire Department

Wants you to
HELP US HELP YOU

Order Your
Reflective Address
Marker TODAY...
(315) 333-5149
(WE'LL EVEN INSTALL IT)

#### **Features**

Highly Visible Day or Night Reflective Material on Both Sides Fade Resistant, Last for Years

Pre-Drilled Holes
Meets NYS Code

Sign is Aluminum 6" x 18" covered with 4" reflective vinyl numbers on both sides

IT MAY SAVE YOUR LIFE...
OR SOMEONE YOU LOVE



### Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc. Business of the Month March, 2022

QUICKBOOKS FOR SMALL BUSINESSES AND NONPROFITS, LLC.

> 2004 Stevens Street Ontario, NY 14519

Quickbooks for Small Businesses and Nonprofits, LLC, owned by Diane Costenoble is the March, 2022 Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc. Business of the Month. The home-based business is located at 2004 Stevens Street in Ontario, NY.

Diane has worked for many years for multiple churches and nonprofits as a fulltime Bookkeeper and Treasurer keeping track of donations and paying bills. In 2017 she moved back to Ontario working for a custom homebuilder as a fulltime Bookkeeper. The past four years she has been developing her own business and currently works remotely for two CPA's and helps with estates; investments; and taxes. She also has local customers and tracks income and expenses. The past year Diane has offered individualized training for businesses on Quickbooks to help them setup the program and produce financial reports. Diane noted that Quickbooks is an Intuit product specializing in accounting software. Her business offers services in bill paying; income accounting; financial reports as needed and assistance with auditors.

She is looking to grow her business and is working with Quickbooks to obtain her payroll certification and become a Quickbooks Pro Advisor. Diane believes in giving back to the community and is a volunteer at the Rochester Family Mission as a Bookkeeper for the last three years. She said her business offers "versatile and flexible bookkeeping". Calls are accepted day or evenings at 301-602-9482 or email: <a href="mailto:dcostenoble26@gmail.com">dcostenoble26@gmail.com</a>. Quickbooks for Small Businesses and Nonprofits, LLC can be found on Facebook and LinkedIn.

## Ontario Chamber of Commerce April, 2022 Business of the Month MAMIA'S ISLAND, 1808 NYS Rt. 104 Ontario, NY 14519



Andrew Stewart, Neymaris Sierra Garcia, Mathew Rodriguez, Casey Ortiz, & Jeanette Torres

At Mamia's Island we make homemade meals based on family recipes passed down for generations. We cook healthy food for your family so you don't have to. Buen provecho! "Cocina Tradicional campesina"

People come from all around to enjoy authentic Puerto Rican food at Mamia's Island. You can expect to enjoy traditional fresh and flavorful foods that you would find on your grandma's table in Puerto Rico including stewed meats, roasted chicken and pork, yellow and white rice, and veggie or sausage beans. Contrary to popular belief, Puerto Rican food is not spicey. In fact, their flavors come from Sofrito, an aromatic paste of herbs and spices that is made fresh in house every week. Mamia's Island is located at 1808 NYS Rt. 104 in Ontario, New York and is easy to spot with its Caribbean blue color, reflective of the brightly colored homes in Puerto Rico. Neymaris Sierra and Andrew Stewart, owners and operators, tell us they have exciting changes coming in the Spring. "We have such wonderful customers that come from all over. We are creating a green space outside where families can relax and play together." Mamia's Island is open Tuesday through Friday 11:30 am - 7:00 pm and Saturday 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm (closed Sunday and Monday). Catering is available. Be sure to follow Mamia's Island on Facebook at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/mamiasislandrestaurant/">https://www.facebook.com/mamiasislandrestaurant/</a>. Phone: 315-333-1245.



#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR DELIVERING HOME MEALS**

Arc Wayne is in need of volunteers to deliver meals they prepare for Wayne County Office of Aging and Youth. They are delivered to private home throughout the county. Mileage reimbursement is available.

- Volunteer Drivers needed for the Wayne County Home Delivered Meals Program
- Drivers are immediately needed for delivery of nutritious meals prepared by Arc Wayne to older adults in their homes
- Meal pick up locations are available throughout the county
- Meal delivery requires approximately 1 hour per day of volunteering
- Drivers will receive comprehensive training and are eligible for mileage reimbursement
- Volunteer as often as you want. Frequency of volunteering ranges from a few times a week to once a month. Accommodation is made for volunteers who may go away for the winter
- Volunteers are accepted and trained on an ongoing basis
- Help your neighbors to remain in their own homes by delivering meals and making personal contact that enhances their safety
- Please contact Bridget Weiskopff at 315-331-7741 or <u>bridget.weiskopff@waynearc.org</u> for volunteering opportunities

#### ONTARIO CHAMBER BUSINESS NETWORKING EVENTS – SAVE THE DATES!

Business Networking Events are being planned for 2022. The following businesses have graciously offered to host our events:

<u>Date</u>	<b>Business &amp; Location</b>
June 1	Sarah's Country Barn, 2001 Ridge Rd., Ontario
Sept. 7	Reliant Credit Union, 870 Holt Road, Webster, NY
Dec. 1	Empire Wrecking, 6372 Knickerbocker Rd., Ontario

All events are planned for 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in hosting an event in the future, please contact Donna Burolla, President, Ontario Chamber at email: <a href="mailto:dburolla@gmail.com">dburolla@gmail.com</a>. This is an opportunity for your business to reach new customers and showcase your business. Non-chamber members are welcome!

**2022 Business Tour**: Watch for updates on our business tour for 2022. Location, time and date yet to be determined.

#### **CRAFTERS AND VENDORS NEEDED!!**

CRAFT & VENDOR SHOW:
NOVEMBER 5, 2022 (Saturday)
SETUP FRIDAY PM, NOV. 4
BOOTH COST: \$30.00/BOOTH

SPONSORED BY THE ONTARIO CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE, INC.
AND
ONTARIO PARKS & RECREATION DEPT.

LOCATION: ONTARIO COMMUNITY CENTER GYM, 6551 KNICKERBOCKER ROAD, ONTARIO, NY 14519

CONTACT: SHERRY VERSTRAETE
EMAIL: SVERSTRA@ROCHESTER.RR.COM
OR CALL THE CHAMBER OFFICE AND
LEAVE A MESSAGE: 315-524-5886

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

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FURGUSON'S HAIR CARE, Debora Ann Furguson Leaty-Furguson, 2003 Ridge Rd., Ontario, 315-524-8983
ONTARIO LASER WASH, LLC, George Vargo, 1770 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, 315-524-5419
ERIC AND DAWN MEHSERLE, Project Management & Engineering, 1088 Hillsboro Cove Circle, Webster, NY
SHIRLEY LOCKWOOD-KUSHALL, 7713 Tamarack Lane, Ontario, NY, f/k/a Lockwoods' Old Time Stuff, 315-333-5228
LAZZARO PERFORMANCE, INC., Kevin & Christine Lazzaro, 1712 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, 315-524-3816
INTERGROW GREENHOUSES, EAST, INC., James Williams & Dirk Biemans, 663 Timothy Lane, Ontario, 585-236-2435
CORNERSTONE REAL ESTATE, LLC, Luke Cino, Broker, Owner, 1652 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, 315-524-7320
FAMILY HEALTH NP IMMEDIATE CARE, PLLC, Patricia Venniro, FNP & Denise Ruiz, FNP, 6280 Furnace Rd., 315-791-0050
EDWARD JONES, Jon Wordingham, Financial Advisor, AAMS, 6323 Knickerbocker Rd., Ontario, 315-524-3130
DEIDRE'S HAIR DESIGN, Deidre Beach, 1781 Ridge Road, Ontario, 315-524-8049
NOTO FRUIT FARM & CIDER MILL, Fedele & Phyllis Noto, 7539 East Townline Rd., Williamson, 315-589-8703
MAMIA'S ISLAND, Neymaris Sierra, 1808 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, 315-333-1245
EMPIRE WRECKING CO., INC., Julie Steffen DiLella, CFO & Vince Steffen, CEO, 6372 Knickerbocker Rd., 315-524-4099
PROFETTA OVERHEAD DOOR CO., Dana Profetta, 6362 Dean Parkway, Ontario, 585-265-3630
RUSTIC TACO, Carrie & Sean O'Rourke, 153 Lake Rd., Ontario, 585-545-4335

#### **Welcome Package Materials Needed**

If you would like your marketing materials distributed to new residents in Ontario, please deliver 50-100 items to Edward Jones Investments, 6323 Knickerbocker Road, Ontario, NY 14519, Attention: Aileen Hurlimann. Approximately 12-15 packages are delivered each month. Acceptable items include brochures, pens, pencils, note pads, sticky notes, key chains, any marketing items or business flyers, and business cards. This is an opportunity for you to reach new customers and advertise your business. Thank you to Edward Jones for coordinating this program and for the delivery of the packages. If you would like to help with the delivery, please contact Donna Burolla at email: <a href="mailto:dburolla@gmail.com">dburolla@gmail.com</a>. Please call Edward Jones prior to delivering your items at 315-524-3130.

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 2022)

Donna Burolla, President (315) 524-8286 Sherry Verstraete, V.P. (585) 820-8801 Jim Switzer, Treasurer (585) 750-2277 Jenn Brake, Secretary (585) 315-0935 Board of Directors: (3 year terms)

Brian Natale, Farmers Insurance – term expires 2025 (315) 524-4400

Virginia Moline - term expires 2024

(585) 737-5456

Sylvia Ryndock, Ryndock Realty – term expires 2023

(585) 943-0203

William Riddell, Community Liaison

(315) 534-5908

#### 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; Quarterly Marking Award; National Small Business Week Appreciation; Ribbon Cutting and Ground-Breaking Ceremony; and support for our Business Improvement District. Community projects include: Support for the Ontario Food Pantry; Christmas Tree Lighting Event; Scholarship to a Wayne Central Graduate; Annual Community Awards Banquet; Annual Holiday Craft Show; Tribute Bench Program; and Distribution of Welcome Packages to New Residents. For more Information about additional projects visit our website at www.ontarionychamber.org.

Please consider joining us and becoming part of our team to support businesses and our community. Your membership and participation would be welcomed!

#### ONTARIO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE – MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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

BUSINESS NAME:			
NAME OF OWNER: _			
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BUSINESS ADDRESS	(No. and Street)  (Post Office Box) (City, State, Zip)	<u> </u>	,
-	(No. and Street)  (Post Office Box) (City, State, Zip)		_
HOME PHONE:			
BUSINESS PHONE:			
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
FAX NUMBER:			
*PERMISSION TO AD	D TO ONLINE BUSINESS DIRECTORY (	circle one) YES	NO

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

#### **Delivery Tips**

#### **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**

#### **Dollar General, Ontario Plaza**

1250 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, NY

Send & Receive

Money/Messages

#### Walgreens - FedEx & Western Union

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 Available during regular store hours Phone (store) (315) 524-4052

**Advance Auto Parts Store** (within store)

1971 State Route 104 Ontario, NY 14519

#### **2022 Chamber Meetings**

January 17 February 21 March 21

April 18

May 16

June 20

July 18

August 15

September 19

October 17

November 21

December - No Meeting

Meetings are held at 3:30 P.M via Zoom until further notice. If you would like a link to the meeting, please email dburolla@gmail.com.

All chamber members are invited to attend as well as the general

public.