#### ONTARIO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC.

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ONTARIO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & ONTARIO PARKS & RECREATION HOLIDAY CRAFT & VENDOR SHOW (70 Crafters) NOVEMBER 5, 2022 (Saturday) OPEN – 9 A.M. to 3 P.M. CASEY PARK, 6551 KNICKERBOCKER RD. COMMUNITY CENTER GYM Wide Selection of Homemade Gifts – Get An Early Start On Your Holiday Shopping

# **Ontario Chamber Annual Community Banquet**

On September 22, 2022 the Ontario Chamber held its annual community banquet at The Pub On The Green, 2101 Country Club Lane. This was the first community banquet since 2019 due to the Covid Pandemic. A large crowd of 120 representing residents and businesses was in attendance. Highlights of the evening included announcing our 2022 award winners as follows:

**Volunteer of the Year**: **Christine LoDestro** for her work with the Wayne Central Education Foundation and other community-based organizations. This award was sponsored by Empire Wrecking Co., Ontario, NY. (Christine pictured at right with NYS Assemblyman Brian Manktelow).

**Community Organization: Neighborhood Acting Company** (NAC):For supporting the arts and producing many well-known theatrical productions and awarding over \$120,000. in scholarships to students.

Pictured at right, from L to R: NYS Assemblyman Brian Manktelow, NYS Sen. Pam Helming, Morgan Kittleson (NAC) and Jeremy Cummings (NAC) and Brian Natale, Farmers Insurance Agency, sponsor of this award.

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**Business Improvement Award**: Headwater Food Hub, 6318 Ontario Center Road for helping sustain local farmers and bring nutritious food to local institutions. This award was sponsored by Brake Marketing.

(Pictured from L to R: NYS Assemblyman Brian Manktelow, Jenn Brake, and NYS Sen. Pam Helming. Chris Harman, President and founder of Headwater was called out of town and could not make our dinner.)





**Business of the Year**: A.P. Enterprise Property Services, 486Timothy Lane, Ontario, NY, owned by Sean Fico. This is an award that is co-sponsored by the Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc. and the Ontario-Walworth Rotary Club. Sean is also the new owner of the Ontario Golf Club.

Pictured at right, from L to R: NYS Assemblyman Brian Manktelow, NYS Sen. Pam Helming, Jim Switzer, Treasurer, Ontario Chamber, presenting the History of Ontario book to Sean Fico.



# **Ontario Chamber Extends Condolences**

The Ontario Chamber of Commerce was saddened to learn of the passing of Chery Legg, age 70, on Sept. 8, 2022. Cheryl was the Secretary of the chamber for many years and initiated our holiday craft sale and was instrumental in organizing our annual banquet. She was also a member of the ladies auxillary of the American Legion Post #428. She will be greatly missed.

The Ontario Chamber of Commerce also extends condolences to the family of Ray Cedruly on the passing of Anna Cedruly, age 97. The Cedruly family owns Furnace Mini Storage on Furnace Road and has been a member of the chamber since October, 2001. Anna worked in the family business for many years keeping accurate records of the rental units. She will be greatly missed.

The Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc. gratefully acknowledges the following businesses or individuals for contributing a donation or item for our Silent Auction helping to make our Annual Community Banquet a success.

Advance Auto **Advantage Auto** Altra Rental **Brake Marketing Cam's Pizzeria Charlie Riedel's** Constellation – **R.E. Ginna Nuclear Plant Costanza's Sausage Crown Electric Deidre's Hair Design Doze Guyz DJs Edler Acres Edward Jones Empire Wrecking Co. Fancy Nails Farmers Insurance Holiday Inn Express Suites** Jeffers & Birnie, CPA's Joe's Meat Market **McDonalds** Lakeside Restaurant L.W. Emporium

Mama Lor's Café Mamia's Island **Mooseberry Soap Co. NAPA Auto Parts Nature's Way Floral Ontario Seafood Ontario Golf Course Pines of Peace Reliant Credit Union Ryndock Realty** Save-A-Lot Secor Hardware Shadow Hill Landscape Sunny's Donuts Delight **The Feathered Nest Town of Ontario Tractor Supply** Virginia Molino WXXI Ziebart



Pictured:Front Row: Ann Windes, Sue Landon, Justin Hafner, and Mike Landon Back Row: Ann Windes; Sue Landon, Justin Hafner, Mike Landon First Row: Cheryl Phillips, Jeanne Menab-Henry, Sarah Hafner, and Brennan Landon

**ONTARIO** – **Sept. 29, 2022**. The Ontario Chamber of Commerce is pleased to welcome a new manufacturing facility into our business community. Mooseberry Soap company, owned by Sarah Hafner, cut the grand-opening ribbon to their new location at 6341 Ontario Center Rd., Bldg. #9, Ontario, with family and friends by her side.

Mooseberry Soap Company produces skin and body care products. Each product is made by hand from organic, sustainable ingredients. The soaps are a specialty item that offer a wide selection of natural ingredients as mint; lavender; almond; and many others. Each bar of soap is unique in ingredients and style. In addition, products are made for the body, skin, hair, baby, pet, essential oils, and for the outdoor. Sales are from their website: www.mooseberrysoap.com. The company's mission statement is: "What you put on your body should be as important as what goes in." The factory/retail store is open Monday to Thursday 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. with always a 25% discount. Pop-up sales and specials are listed on facebook.com/mooseberrysoapcompany. For driveway access, make sure to make a left at the Mooseberry Soap Company sign on the west side of Ontario Center Road, north of the railroad tracks.

Mooseberry Soap can be reached at 315-332-8913, Monday – Friday, 9 am – 5 p.m. EST. Email: <u>customer.service@mooseberrysoap.com</u>. The ribbon cutting is sponsored by the Ontario

Chamber of Commerce, Inc.



# *KIDTOPIA* 6225 Slocum Road, Ontario, NY Cuts Grand-Opening Ribbon



Pictured above, Tamara Schomske, Director of Enrollment and Erik Graff, owner of Kidtopia

**ONTARIO, October 21, 2022.** Ontario Chamber members welcomed Erik Graff, owner of Kidtopia to our Ontario business community with a ribbon cutting ceremony at their new location, 6225 Slocum Road.

Kidtopia is a daycare facility and has been in business since March 2022. They offer a wide range of programs for children of all ages. Character building through a loving environment provided by professional educators is emphasized. Recently installed is a computer system that allows parents to login and see what's going on in every room at Kidtopia.

Full-service childcare is available on a full-time or part-time basis to suit different schedules. Programs offered include: Infant (ages 6 weeks to 18 mos.) Toddler (ages 18 – 24 mos.) Preschool (ages 3-4 yrs.) NYS Pre-K (math & literacy focused) UPK Program (2023-2024) School Year (child 4 yrs. By 12/1 – 5 mornings a week for 2.5 hrs./day) Before & After School (6 – 12 yrs) Summer Camp (during July & August for all ages)

For childcare rates please go their website: <u>www.kidtopia.com</u> or call 315-333-1119 to book a tour or email: <u>enrollment@kidtopia.school</u>. The ribbon cutting ceremony is a service provided by the Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc.



# JEROME WING SHACK 1250 NYS Rt. 104, Ontario, NY Celebrates Grand Opening

**ONTARIO.** October 26, 2022. Ontario chamber members welcomed Jerome Brooks and his fiancée, Crystal Carter into our business community with a grand opening ribbon cutting ceremony for Jerome Wing Shack located 1250 NYS Route 104 in the Ontario Plaza, located at southeast corner of Slocum Road and NYS Route 104 in Ontario, NY.

Jerome has over 12 years in the food industry business. He has worked in all positions, including management, to acquire the skills he needs to professionally operate his current business. Jerome Wing Shack specializes in a variety of chicken wings but also offers jerk chicken; fried chicken, chicken shish kabobs, and many other menu selections. You can go to toasttab.com/Jerome-wing-shack for a complete menu or follow Jerome on facebook.com/jeromewingshack. Jerome Wing Shack is open year-round.

Hours: Tuesday to Wednesday 12 Noon to 9 p.m.; Thursday 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday to Saturday 12 Noon to 9 p.m.; Closed - Sunday and Monday. Take out available. *Great Food Good Vibes!* Call today to place your order for some tasty chicken! Phone: 585-434-7430. Look for the red igloo in front of Big Lots.



L to R: Jerome Brooks, Crystal Carter, owners, and R.J. Jones



The ribbon cutting ceremony is sponsored by the Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc. September, 2022 Business of the Month *FANCY NAILS* 6280 Furnace Road, Suite 400 Ontario, NY 14519



Owners, Dang Loan (Lauren) and husband, LeVy (Levi)

All are welcome at Fancy Nails, your local small, woman owned nail salon located at 6280 Furnace Road in Ontario, NY. Serving men and women of all ages Fancy Nails has been providing nail services to the community since 2008.

The journey of Fancy Nails' owners, Dang Loan (Lauren) and her husband, LeVy (Levi), started over 23 years ago when they entered the nail industry after Lauren completed her Associate Degree in Business Administration at MCC and they were beginning to raise their young family.

From every day to special occasions, individuals, to large groups, Fancy Nails has what you need. Services range from pedicures, manicures, gel nails, acrylic nails, nail art, waxing and more. Why not treat someone special to you with a gift certificate? What sets Fancy Nails apart from other salons is they customize their services to meet your needs. The team is dedicated to exceeding their customers' expectations every time they walk through the door.

Like them on Facebook at Fancy Nails to see their latest nail creations, email at <u>loandang1973@yahoo.com</u> or call 315-524-9999 to book your next appointment. Hours: Monday to Friday, 10 am to 7 pm; Saturday 10 am to 5 pm; closed Sundays.

Ontario Chamber of Commerce, Inc. October 2022 Business of the Month *NAPA Auto Parts* 1250 NYS Rt. 104 Ontario, NY 14519



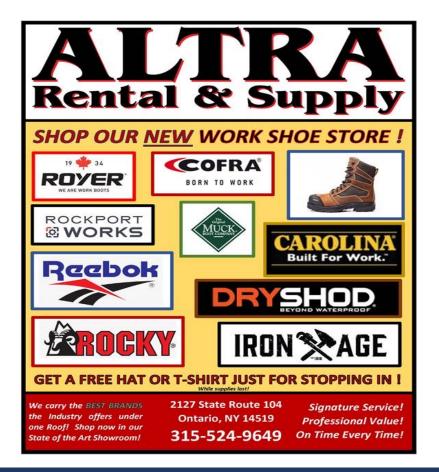
L to R: Walter DeVeronica, Louis Sardisco, Michael Timmerman, Brandon Laruer, & Joe Saya

Ontario Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce that NAPA Auto Parts of Ontario, NY is the October Business of the Month. NAPA (National Automotive Parts Association,) is located at 1250 NYS Rt. 104, Suite 90 in the Ontario Plaza, the southeast corner of NYS Rt. 104 and Slocum Road.

The store is owned by Beth Clark and her husband Al. The new Ontario NAPA store opened in December of 2020. The Clarks have a long history, 27+ years, of providing high quality Automotive, Farm, Marine, Heavy Duty Truck, and Paint products to the central New York area. Al & Beth own 3 other NAPA Auto Parts stores located in Fulton, Oswego, and Wolcott in addition to their new Ontario NY store. Recently, the Ontario store added 3,000 square feet to accommodate additional inventory, bringing the total square footage to 11,000.

NAPA, founded in 1925 in Atlanta, GA began with a humble beginning stocking wagon wheels and other parts needed for wooden wagons. Fast forward 97 years and they now have a distribution system with over 500,000 part numbers, distributed across 57 distribution centers to 6,000 NAPA Auto Parts Stores and more than 17,000 NAPA AutoCare and AutoCare Collision Centers within the United States.

The Ontario store is open (M-F) 8am–6pm and (Sat.) 8am-2pm. Their business phone is 315-524-4000 and their website is <u>www.napaonline.com/en/ny/ontario/store/802414</u> They offer online purchase/pickup in 30 minutes, as well as free one day shipping on over 160K parts. Please stop in and see the vast parts and product inventory and their very courteous staff there to help you!





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# Welcome New Members to the Ontario Chamber!

**KIDTOPIA ONTARIO, LLC**, Erik & Bridget Graff, 6225 Slocum Rd., Ontario, Ph: 315-333-1119 email: <u>enrollement@kidtopia.school</u>

**GEORGE MITRIS, ESQUIRE**, Law Office, 1842 Ridge Road, Ontario, NY 14519-9562, Ph: 585-704-1389; email: <u>office@rocbk.com</u>; website: <u>www.rocbk.com</u>. Free Bankruptcy Consultation.

**JEROME WING SHACK**, Jerome Brooks & Crystal Carter, 1250 NYS Rt. 104, (igloo structure) Ontario, NY. Great Food – Good Vibes! Specialty chicken items. Go to toasttab.com and search for Jerome Wing Shack for a full menu.

### Wayne County Winter Shopping Fling – Nov. 11, 12, 13 – 10 AM – 5 PM www.waynecountyshoppingfling.com

Stop in each location and be eligible to win gift baskets from \$150. to \$300. value! Ontario Stores Participating: Sarah's Country Barn, 2001 Ridge Rd., L.W. Emporium; 6355 Knickerbocker Rd., The Feathered Nest; 6365 Knickerbocker Rd. and Whistle Stop Antique Ctr., 6363 Knickerbocker Rd.

#### 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 <u>at www.ontarionychamber.org</u>.

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: _	
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 memb	pers 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**

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.
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