



# Chamber Connection

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**“think globally,  
shop locally”**



## Golf anyone?

Our annual golf outing this year will be at Meadowbrook Country Club, 6001 Salem Avenue. We invite you to participate in our outing, this is an effective way to network with other business and community leaders. Mark your calendar and plan to participate in our golf outing Friday, September 19, door prizes and the opportunity to win a new car are just a few of the perks available to you! Information on our outing is in this newsletter or you may visit our website at [www.trotwoodchamber.org](http://www.trotwoodchamber.org).

The Chamber's Annual Dinner and Business of the Year is scheduled for Thursday, October 23, 2014 at Friendship Village. We will be recognizing businesses celebrating anniversaries and large and small businesses of the year. In addition to recognizing our businesses this year, we will recognize an individual that has made a difference in our community. If you have someone you would like to nominate, write a paragraph on why you feel this individual should be recognized and submit to Trotwood Chamber of Commerce, 5790 Denlinger Road-Suite 4011, Trotwood Ohio. Deadline for submission is October 6.

*Marie Battle, CAP, Executive Director  
Trotwood Chamber*

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**Don't forget to visit the Farmers Market at Shiloh Springs & Salem Avenue for your fresh fruit, vegetables, cakes, pies, and wonderful food! The market is open from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. every Saturday through October 11, 2014**

### Scheduled Events

- Saturday, September 13**—2014 Trotwood Block Party, 2-9 p.m., contact Brenda Blausler at 937.854.7270 or email [bblausler@trotwood.org](mailto:bblausler@trotwood.org).
- Friday, September 19**—6th Annual Golf Outing, Meadowbrook Country Club (visit [www.trotwoodchamber.org](http://www.trotwoodchamber.org) for more information)
- Saturday, September 27**—BBQ Contest, Madison Park
- Thursday, October 23**—Annual Dinner/Business Recognition, Friendship Village
- Saturday, November 15**—Community Gala, Dayton Hara's Silver Arena



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**Ohio**

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July 2014

## **RE: Group-Rating Safety Accountability**

Dear Employer:

Each year Ohio employers have the opportunity to participate in BWC's Group-Experience-Rating Program or Group-Retrospective-Rating Program. While these programs are not required, they do provide you with an opportunity to significantly reduce your workers' compensation premiums, while increasing your awareness of safety and risk-management strategies.

Workplace safety is an important component of these programs. To succeed in accident prevention, we encourage you to use the many resources available to you. We believe a group-rating program is a partnership that includes you and your employees, your sponsoring organization or third-party administrator (TPA) and BWC. Each has specific roles and responsibilities, all designed to assist in preventing workplace accidents. This letter outlines the safety services expectations you should have as an employer enrolled in a group-rating program.

### The employer will:

- Maintain a safe workplace;
- Attend safety training to enhance workplace safety
- Use BWC's safety services as needed;
- Fulfill the required two-hour training requirement and provide proof of attendance to sponsor for claim(s) occurring within the last year.

### The certified primary and affiliated sponsoring organizations will:

- Sponsor eight hours of safety training (this may be done at one time or may be provided incrementally as long as the total is at least eight hours);
- Provide information regarding safety resources to group members;
- Possibly assist an employer in achieving its safety needs;
- Manage employer fulfillment of the two-hour training requirement, where applicable;
- Publish this letter to group members.

### The TPA may:

- Assist sponsoring organizations with fulfilling the group-rating safety requirements;
- Assist an employer with its safety needs;
- Work in conjunction with sponsors to develop safety training and deliver safety resources;
- Provide resources for claims handling.

### BWC will:

- Monitor all group-rating safety activities to confirm requirements are met;
- Remain in communication with sponsoring organizations to provide recommendations for fulfilling safety requirements;
- Provide safety training through Ohio's Center for Occupational Safety & Health;
- Offer on-site safety consultation (hazard assessments, air and noise monitoring, ergonomics evaluation, training) by a BWC safety professional;
- Offer publications and videos for safety program support;
- Conduct employer visits to confirm the employer is meeting group-rating requirements, when appropriate.

The goal of this collaborative effort is to make sure all your safety needs are met. Using these resources will assist you in preventing accidents, reducing claims costs and achieving the highest discounts possible. Below you'll find contact information for various resources.

Group sponsor: Trotwood Chamber of Commerce

TPA: Hunter Consulting Company

BWC: <http://www.ohiobwc.com/employer/services/safetyhygiene.asp>, [groupratingsafety@bwc.state.oh.us](mailto:groupratingsafety@bwc.state.oh.us)



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## Trotwood Chamber of Commerce

Trotwood Chamber's 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing is scheduled for Friday, September 19, 2014, at Meadowbrook Country Club, 6001 Salem Avenue. We invite you, your clients, or potential clients, to join us for networking, golf, the opportunity to win a new car for a hole-in-one and lunch.

Registration is from 7:30-8:15 a.m. (a continental breakfast will be provided by North Dayton School of Discovery); shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. with an approximate completion at 1 p.m. Refreshments will be provided on the course.

The success of our outing is dependent on our generous sponsors, volunteers, and supporters. Maria-Joseph Living Care Center has been our grand sponsor for three consecutive years ...thank you so very much! We invite you to become a grand sponsor as well. If you cannot sponsor our outing, consider donating an item for a door prize.

Below are categories for sponsorship

### **Grand Sponsor \$1,000**

Includes:

- ◆ 4 complimentary entry fees
- ◆ display your company banner
- ◆ acknowledgement in Chamber's newsletter/website
- ◆ name on donor board
- ◆ company listing in program and newsletter
- ◆ advertising on chamber's website for one year

### **Green Sponsor—\$250**

Includes:

- ◆ name on donor board
- ◆ company listing in program/newsletter
- ◆ advertising on chamber's website

### **Cart Sponsor—\$50**

includes:

- ◆ business name on golf cart c
- ◆ company listing in program/newsletter

### **Rams Sponsor—\$500**

Includes:

- ◆ 2 complimentary entry fees
- ◆ name on donor board
- ◆ company listing in program/newsletter
- ◆ advertising on chamber's website for 6 months

### **Hole Sponsor—\$100**

Includes:

- ◆ business name on a tee
- ◆ company listing in program/newsletter

### **Donors**

Includes:

company listing in program/newsletter



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Trotwood Chamber  
of Commerce  
6<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing



Friday, September 19, 2014  
Meadowbrook Country Club  
6001 Salem Avenue  
Clayton OH 45315

## SPONSOR AND PLAYER ENTRY FORM

### Please Check One

- Sponsor Levels
- Grand Sponsor (\$1000 includes four entry fees)
- Ram Sponsor (\$500 includes two entry fees)
- Green Sponsor (\$250)
- Hole Sponsor (\$100)
- Cart Sponsor (\$50)

Name of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration includes: Continental breakfast, golf cart, lunch, refreshments and driving range. Team registration: \$90 each player or \$360 per team (includes a steak lunch)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Total @ \$90 each \_\_\_\_\_

*I am unable to play golf but will have lunch at \$25 per person*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make check payable to Trotwood Chamber of Commerce and mail to:**

**Trotwood Chamber of Commerce  
5790 Denlinger Road-Suite 4011  
Trotwood OH 45426**

**Registration deadline is September 12, 2014 – Should you have questions, please call Marie Battle at 937.837.1484 or email [mbattle@trotwoodchamber.org](mailto:mbattle@trotwoodchamber.org).**





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