



Young Professionals Committee

Huntington Regional Chamber of Commerce Young Professionals Committee

May 2010 Newsletter

BBBS Bowl for Kids' Sake



The YPC participated in the 24th annual Big Brothers Big Sisters Bowl For Kids' Sake on May 17th, 2010! The YPC team enjoyed an evening of rolling numerous strikes, several spares and a few gutter balls! Together the YPC team raised \$760.00 to support the Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Tri-State! All proceeds from the event will help cover the cost of daily operations and services for children of the Tri-State. All funds raised stay in the area to serve children in the Huntington, Ashland and Ironton area through the mentoring, guidance and friendship of volunteer mentors. A special thank you to those who participated in the successful fundraiser; Matt Campbell, Heather Marrs, Elizabeth Ayers, Rachel Sargent and Heather Smith.

You can still sponsor YPC in this event and pledge a donation to BBBS until August 1, 2010. Please contact one of the participants to do so.

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Networking Event

June 3rd @ 6pm at
Frankie D's. Enjoy an
evening of fun with
other YPC members
during the Pullman
Summer Concert Se-
ries. For more infor-
mation and to RSVP,
contact

jennifer@wvvisit.org

JUNE MEETING

When: Thursday, June 3rd @ 11:30am

Where: Cabell-Huntington Health Department
703 7th Ave, Huntington, WV

Lunch: Cost \$5 includes chicken breast marinated in Italian dressing, garden salad,
green beans, roll, dessert and drink

RSVP to carly@huntingtonchamber.org **by Tuesday, June 2nd at noon**

MEMBER HIGHLIGHT

Anne Yon

Anne Yon works as a Realtor in the Huntington area selling both residential and commercial real estate. Anne works at McGuire Realty Company located at 1001 Sixth Avenue in Huntington, an established brokerage that has been a leader in the market for over 30 years. In addition to her real estate career, Anne is also in the midst of campaigning for the position of Cabell County Commissioner. After receiving the Republican nomination in the May Primary, Anne is busy gearing up for the November election. You can learn more about her campaign at www.AnneYon.com.

A long-time YPC member, Anne currently serves as Vice-Chair of Community Development alongside Matt Campbell. She serves on the board of TEAM for WV, an organization that works diligently to prevent child abuse in the state at every level, from working directly with families, in the court system and supporting legislation at the state level. She has been involved with the Huntington Women's Caucus for the last four years, a dynamic group that meets to discuss issues affecting the city.

Anne enjoys running and frequently participates in local 5k races, and likes to travel as often as possible. Anne is married to Daniel T. Yon, managing partner at the Huntington law firm of Bailes, Craig & Yon where he specializes in real estate, commercial, labor & employment law. Together they have a two year old daughter Elia, and the family attends Christ Community Church located on the south side of Huntington.

Anne is originally from Huntington, graduated from St. Joseph Central Catholic High School and went on to attend Marshall University. While at Marshall, Anne was active in the Student Government Organization while obtaining her B.A. in History.

You can contact Anne at Anne@CallMcGuire.com.



HANNAH MURRELL

RECOGNIZED FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE



We are excited to present the YPC First Quarter Community Service Award to Hannah Murrell. Hannah is a geologist for Natural Resource Partners LP here in Huntington. She is a graduate of Marshall University and a native West Virginian. This year, Hannah has volunteered with numerous activities, including sitting on the advisory committee for the Paul Ambrose Trail for Health (PATH) Golf Scramble, working with the Springhill Neighborhood Association to provide furniture and clothing to the Neighbors in Need program, planning and implementing an Easter Egg Hunt for local children, and continuing her work with the 2010 Leadership Tri-State. Hannah also helped petition Google to bring Google Fiber to Huntington and is involved with the Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Tri-State, Inc. and the U.S. Youth Soccer Region 1 Championships in Barboursville.

Summer Fun in Greater Huntington

By Jennifer Wheeler, Cabell Huntington Convention & Visitor's Bureau

With summertime fast approaching and the end of the school drawing near, many families and friends are wondering how to fill the days and nights.

Of course there are annual events to attend: Art in the Park in June; the Hotdog Festival in July; RibFest in August. However, some fun activities occur on a more regular basis this time of year...

Beginning in June, Pullman Square hosts a summer concert series. Enjoy live music and street vendors, Thursdays, from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Also with a June kick off, Huntington Symphony Orchestra begins its summer season with dates on the 12th followed by July 24th and August 21st. A community favorite, Picnic with the POPS will begin featuring a "Symphony Stroll" including cocktails and appetizers at downtown establishments prior to the shows. The first in the series features the music of Abba! A Hawaiian Luau and a beach party are also on the horizon.

There are also many unique attractions in our area. Did you know that Camden Park is the only amusement park in the state of West Virginia? Meanwhile, Huntington Museum of Art features over 15,000 works in the permanent collection. Each Saturday, the Museum hosts Kids Art, free from 1-3, and has a well-marked mile long nature trail. The trail has a variety of inclines, from nearly flat to gently sloping to steep. Hidden along the trails you will find amazing rock carvings by the artist, Earl Gray. Can you find all 7?

Don't forget about the area's newest waterfront restaurant, Schooner's, in downtown Guyandotte. Guests can dine at the dock or get on board the riverboat, Mark Twain, for sightseeing or dinner cruises. If it is cuisine that appeals to you, take a class at the Cooking and Culinary Institute. Learn to roll sushi or bake bread- by yourself or with a group of friends. Also for the epicurean, visit the fresh market at Huntington's Kitchen, every Thursday 11-7. Beginning June 11, a true farmer's market with locally grown produce will be held in Heritage Village. Located behind the Visitors Center and Cabell-Huntington Convention & Visitors Bureau offices, the Village has unique eateries such as Crumpets and Tea, a new lunch time delight.

For more ideas for fun things to see and do in Greater Huntington visit the CVB website www.wvvisit.org or phone 304.525.7333.

Top 10 Father's Day Gift Ideas in the Tri-State Area

By Teddy Kluemper III, Huntington Area Habitat For Humanity

Father's Day is Sunday, June 20th!!

	<u>Gift Idea</u>	<u>Where To Find It</u>	<u>Price</u>
10	Gift Certificates – Whether it's for the morning cup of coffee that all dads so desperately need, a new polo or dress shirt to make him look good at the office or for the putter that will take a stroke or two off his game, these are can't miss items.	Starbucks Macy's Dick's Sporting Goods	Your choice
9	Golf Gift Certificates – Let Dad experience golf at some pretty nice course, all that are within a 15 minute drive from downtown Huntington.	Riveria Twin Shilos Sugarwood	\$30 & up
8	Caravelle Watch – Made by Bulova, this watch is sure to please. It has a black face, stainless steel bracelet and date indicator.	C.F. Reuschleins, Inc. 947 Third Ave, Huntington	\$90
7	Assorted Beer or that Favorite Bottle of Whiskey or Scotch – The market is your “one stop shop” for that favorite beverage and the corresponding snack.	Julian's Market 1049 12 th Street, Huntington	\$30 and up
6	A membership to the Huntington YMCA – The perfect outlet for any dad to get exercise.	Huntington YMCA 935 10 th Avenue, Huntington	\$48.50/mth
5	Recycled Picture Frames, Desk Accessories and Wooden Pens – Made out of used tires and old keyboards, Dad will sure be well-equipped around the office. The pens are	MUG and PIA 929 Third Avenue, Huntington	\$6.50 & up
4	Cross Pens – Whether it's a sterling plate or a chrome finish, these pens, which are engravable, are a must for the office.	C.F. Reuschleins, Inc. 947 Third Avenue, Huntington	\$35 & up
3	2010 Habitat Classic Dinner Dance – Treat your favorite Dad to dinner, drinks and the sounds of the Oakwood Road Band on Sunday, June 20 th at Guyan Golf and Country Club.	Huntington Area Habitat for Humanity 240 Third Avenue, Huntington	\$75 each
2	Car Wash Gift Certificates – Dad works hard enough, head to Rollysons and get him a gift certificate to wash his ride.	University Car Wash 2130 Third Avenue, Huntington	Your choice
1	MU Football Season Tickets – An early gift for fall, make sure Dad doesn't miss the Marshall/WVU Football game this fall. Call the ticket office today.	Marshall University Athletics Cam Henderson Ticket Office	Price varies

**YPC would like to wish all of its fathers a
HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!!!**

Welcome New Members

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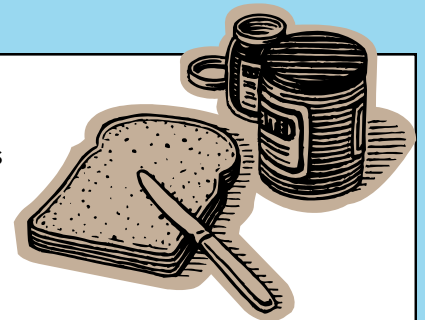
Peanut Butter & Jelly Drive going on now through June

We have a barrel at the Chamber of Commerce where anyone can bring donations

The Huntington Area Food Bank serves over 90,000 people in our region.

Summer is a particularly difficult time for families whose children get most if not all their nutritional needs met at school.

This food drive is targeted but not limited to school children, and we are asking that non-perishable food items such as peanut butter, jelly, macaroni & cheese, etc be donated to the food bank.



GET CONNECTED, STAY CONNECTED



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, June 3 - YPC June Monthly Meeting - 11:30am at Cabell-Huntington Health Department

Thursday, June 3 - Networking Event - 6pm at Frankie D's

Friday, June 11 – New Member Orientation – 11:45am at Huntington Chamber of Commerce

Lunch will be provided. Email notices will be sent to members who have joined in recent months. If you have questions please contact Charles Shumaker at (304) 208-2010 or charles.shumaker@chhi.org

Saturday, June 12 – Downtown Lives' 3rd Annual Children's Art Festival Extravaganza - 11am

Volunteers needed!! If you would like to help, please email Leah Edwards at edwardl@marshall.edu or call 304-696-6397.

Wednesday, June 16 – Networking & Recreation Subcommittee Meeting – Noon at CVB

Monthly meeting to be held in the conference room at the CVB/Visitor's Center (formerly Heritage Station/Boston Beanery) located at 210 11th St, Huntington. Brown bag lunch, bring your own. RSVP to jennifer@wvvisit.org

Saturday, June 19 – WV 5K Championship

If you are interested in being a member of the YPC 5K team for the WV 5K Championship, please contact Michael Misiti, mmisiti@fja-cpas.com, Christine Borders, cborders@bulldogcreative.com, or Jill Morris, jmorris@rbfinsurance.com

Sunday June 20 & Monday June 21 – 2010 Habitat Classic Golf Tournament at Guyan Golf and Country Club

2010 Habitat Classic Golf Tournament and Dinner/Dance. Details and Sponsorship information are forthcoming. For questions or further information, please call Teddy Kluemper III at the Habitat office at 304-523-4822.

Wednesday June 30 - Tuesday, July 6 - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Organizers for the US Youth Soccer Region I Championships beginning July 1 are seeking volunteers for various tournament events. Click [here](#) for more information.

New summer fitness classes at Marshall Recreation Center

All community welcome; membership not required.

To try the first class free contact YPC member, Heather Smith, wyatt6@marshall.edu or 304-696-3653

Classes include: Hatha Yoga, Zumba, Belly Dance, Pre/Postnatal Strength and Stretch, Latin Cardio, Health Rx, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu, C.U.T. (cross training under 30 minutes) and G.X.T. (group extreme training).

Visit www.marshallcampusrec.com for a complete list of classes, times and fees.

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