

# The Circle

A Quarterly Publication of the New Oxford Area Chamber of Commerce

# New Oxford Hosts 63rd Annual Antique Market & Craft Show



The Chamber hosted the 63rd Annual Antique Market and Craft Show on June 15 in New Oxford. The day's festivities and beautiful weather brought out a large crowd to downtown New Oxford.

The day started with an introduction from New Oxford Mayor James Eisenhart and the singing of our National Anthem by Carol Behnke.

This year's event featured a variety of antique, craft, direct sales and food vendors. A "food court" area, featuring seating, was set up on the first block of Hanover St. for the first time this year. Look for the food court to grow in 2020! Additionally, direct sales vendors joined the event for the first time on S. Peters St.

Craft vendors filled the circle while antique vendors set up on the surrounding streets. The Chamber's Market Day tote bags were a big hit again this year. All 500 were gone by late morning! The 2019 totes, made by Minuteman Press, featured goodies from our members. Thank you to the Chamber members that donated items for the totes!

The Chamber would like to thank all of the people who made the 63rd Annual Market Day a success. We could not pull this event together every year without the support of our sponsors,

volunteers, vendors, the local fire police and police, Market Day Committee and, of course, all of the event attendees! Additional thanks to Neiderer Sanitation for donating trash services and Staff Music and Amusements for providing the ATM.

Thank you to the following sponsors:

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We look forward to seeing you at the 64th Annual Antique Market & Craft Show on Saturday, June 20, 2020. Interested in getting involved in next year's event? Email the Chamber at *info@newoxford.org*.

Thank you to our 3Q 2019 Chamber Champion:

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# Remembering Former New Oxford Mayor Patricia Mummert Guise



New Oxford lost a beloved member of its community when Patricia Mummert Guise passed away on April 27 at the age of 81.

Patricia was a graduate of New Oxford High School. She was the first woman to be elected Mayor of New Oxford (1985) and made many other significant contributions to the local community throughout her life. Patricia was an individual member of the

New Oxford Area Chamber of Commerce before being nominated for honorary membership earlier this year.

In addition to her role as Mayor of New Oxford, Patricia also served as a Deputy Sheriff in Adams County. She completed police courses through the Pennsylvania State Police Academy and York Junior College. She received over 30 certifications and awards in public affairs, local government, police courses, judicial courses and community service organizations. Patricia was also an employee of Chamber member Aero Energy for almost 20 years.

Over the years, Patricia was a member and board member of many organizations including: the New Oxford Library, the Conewago Chapter of the Eastern Star, St. Paul's United Church of Christ (New Oxford), the New Oxford Municipal Authority and the New Oxford Exchange Club.

Patricia was a vital member of the New Oxford community, who will be missed greatly. Our thoughts are with her loved ones.

# **Upcoming Events & Meetings**



Thursday, July 25 - 5:30 p.m. - Board of Directors Meeting Borough Building, 122 N. Peters St., New Oxford

Thursday, August 22 - 5:30 p.m. - Board of Directors Meeting Borough Building, 122 N. Peters St., New Oxford

Wednesday, September 25 - 4-7 p.m. - HART Center 50th Anniversary Open House & Mixer

HART Center, 450 E. Golden Lane, New Oxford (See pg. 5 for additional details)

Thursday, September 26 - 5:30 p.m. - Board of Directors Meeting Borough Building, 122 N. Peters St., New Oxford

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For the most up-to-date information about upcoming events, please visit the events calendar at newoxford.org. Our calendar features both Chamber and member events.

We are still seeking a mixer host for November 2019. If you are interested in hosting a mixer at your business in November or sometime in 2020, please contact the Chamber office at (717) 624-2800 or info@newoxford.org.

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# 2019-2020 Chamber Business Directories Now Available

Copies of the 2019-2020 Chamber Business Directory are now available at the Chamber office. These directories feature all active Chamber business members as of April 2019. The directory is a great source for Chamber members looking to connect with other Chamber members as well as a resource for the local community and New Oxford visitors.

The Chamber included a copy of the directory in each of the 500 tote bags handed out to visitors on Market Day. Additional copies are available for pickup in the Chamber office. If you would like a supply of directories for your business, please send us an email at *info@newoxford.org*.



# **Member News & Updates**

# TREYSTA Technology Management Welcomes New Vice President

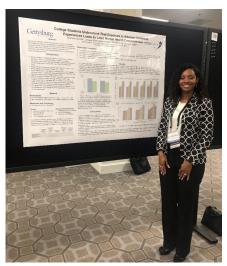


TREYSTA Technology Management LLC. recently welcomed a new Vice President, John George, Sr., to the organization. George succeeds Vice President/Chief Information Officer, Henry Grossman. He is responsible for leading TREYSTA's sales efforts as well as helping deliver business and technology solutions that enable client success. TREYSTA Technology Management celebrated its 24th year of service in January.

George has more than 20 years of experience in the technology industry. He relocated to Central PA from MD in 2006 and joined Morefield Communications in 2007. George launched Morefield's IT practice and helped build it into a multi-million-dollar line of business and profit center. From 1999-2007, he worked at Dataprise, Inc., a nationally recognized Managed Service Provider (MSP) headquartered in Rockville, Maryland. George served as a Vice President and was a member of the Executive Team at Dataprise.

George received a BA in Political Science from Mount Saint Mary's University and is a member of the Class of 2016 for Leadership Harrisburg Area, Executive Leadership Series.

# Children's Aid Society Presents Study in D.C.



Dr. Janique Washington-Walker, Director of Clinical Services at the Children's Aid Society (CAS) recently presented at the Association of Psychological Sciences annual conference held in Washington, D.C. Dr. Washington-Walker presented a pilot study titled "College Students Understand that Exposure to Adverse Childhood Experiences leads to Later Mental Heath Consequences."

In collaboration with Gettysburg College, the research relationship grew from a Adams County Resiliency Work Group that CAS has supported for several years. Participants were Gettysburg College students. The follow-up study will include a sample of students from North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University and will compare data from both institutions.

Preliminary results show that students have awareness of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and the long term effect on mental illness; however, there is limited awareness regarding ACEs and long term physical health consequences.

# Children's Cancer Recovery Foundation Hosting 2nd Annual Drafts & Crafts Pop-up Fair

CCRF will hold their 2nd Annual charity benefit event "Drafts & Crafts Pop-Up Fair" on Saturday, July 27 at the New Oxford Social Club Pavilion. All of the proceeds will benefit families navigating through a childhood cancer diagnosis.

A \$10 (\$15 at door) donation gives attendees access to a day full of fun. The event will feature booths from local breweries, distilleries and wineries, who will be offering samples and sales. There will also be food trucks and BYOB. (CCRF requests that guests do so responsibly and follow the guidelines on their website).

There will be a variety of music throughout the day from seven local musicians, including childhood cancer survivor, Chris Staub. A variety of vendor booths offering items for sale by local artisans and local small businesses, game booths, raffles and auctions and free lawn games, such as corn hole and giant beer pong, are just a few more of the things that you will find at this benefit event.

The event is rain or shine and you must be 21 or older to attend. All sales are final. Please visit childrenscancerrecovery.org/drafts-crafts-pop-up-fair for additional information, or call (717) 688-7940.

# **MASCPA Hosts Successful Annual Event**



Keynote speaker Dr. Robert Ballard

The Manufacturers Association of South Central Pennsylvania (MASCPA) hosted its 113th Annual Event on April 25 at the Pullo Center in York. The event is an opportunity to publicly recognize and honor member companies and partners making a difference in the regional economy, lives of their employees, their communities and the local manufacturing sector. The keynote speaker for the event was oceanographer and explorer Dr. Robert Ballard, who discovered the Titanic. Approximately 600 guests from throughout South Central Pennsylvania and Northern Maryland attended the event.

For additional information about MASCPA and its programs, please visit mascpa.org.

# HART Center to Host 50th Anniversary Celebration on September 25



Come out and join the HART Center on Wednesday, September 25 from 4-7 p.m. to celebrate its 50th anniversary! Members of the New Oxford Area Chamber of Commerce, Hanover Chamber of Commerce and the Chamber of Gettysburg and Adams County are invited to attend this event.

The evening will feature refreshments, networking, facility tours, a brief reception, raffles and more! Additionally, the Center's Thrift Store will be open during the event. Be sure to stop by the store to take advantage of a special deal. All proceeds from the raffles and Thrift Store will benefit the HART Center.

The HART Center provides vocational rehabilitation and a variety of work experiences for adults with disabilities residing in Adams County and Western York County. The Center's primary objective is to provide each individual with opportunities for personal growth and self-dependency with regard to work skills. Individuals choose to obtain competitive employment whenever possible. In addition, the HART Center offers extended work training programs to individuals needing more support and structure to reach their vocational objectives.

Those interested in attending the 50th Anniversary Celebration are encouraged to RSVP to Michaela Shaffer at the New Oxford Chamber by emailing info@newoxford.org. RSVPs are greatly appreciated so an approximate count of attendees can be provided to the HART Center for planning purposes.

The HART Center is located at: 450 E. Golden Lane in New Oxford.

Attention: Did your company recently win an award? Did you hire a new employee? We want to share the good news with other members and the community!

Send us your press release at info@newoxford.org! If a photo is included, please ensure it is high-resolution. Please submit business briefs by Friday, September 13 for inclusion in the 4Q newsletter. Business briefs are included as space allows and at the discretion of the Chamber.

# New Oxford End of Town Signs Get a Makeover



Members of Boy Scout Troop 125 stand by the end of town sign on the west end of New Oxford

The New Oxford Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce that both end of town welcome signs recently underwent restoration thanks to Ray Deardorff and Boy Scout Troop 125. Ray and the Scouts generously donated their time to prime and paint both signs. Additional restoration work on the signs was also completed. We are grateful to have dedicated community members such as Ray who are willing to donate their time and energy to keeping New Oxford beautiful.

Prior to the restoration, the paint on both signs was chipping badly, and the sign posts were rusted. Both issues have now been addressed. The newly renovated signs were completed in time to welcome visitors to the 63rd Annual Antique Market & Craft Show on Saturday, June 15.

The Chamber would also like to thank our paint and primer donor for helping make this restoration possible.

To see more pictures of the restoration process and before and after photos, please visit our Facebook page.



Restored sign on the east end of New Oxford

# Scenes from the 63rd Annual Antique Market & Craft Show - Saturday, June 15

















For additional photos from this year's event, please visit our Facebook page (New Oxford Area Chamber of Commerce)!

# **Thank You Renewing Members!**

The following list includes members who renewed after March 13. Members who renewed prior to March 13 were featured in the 2Q newsletter.

### **Business/Professional Members**

Cross Keys Mini Storage
DL3 Systems LLC
Essis & Sons
Kona Ice of Adams County
Sandra Leiby/Berkshire Hathaway

### **Individual Members**

Patrick Sullivan

# Limited bobbi becker New Oxford Season Prints Available at Chamber Office

Interested in adding some bobbi becker prints to your home or office art collection? The Chamber currently has individual framed prints of spring, fall and winter as well as individual unframed prints of fall and winter. There is also an extremely limited number of unframed complete sets. The prints will be available as an extension of our Market Day sale.

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