

NEWSLETTER ISSUE 11 NOVEMBER 2023

Thank you to **Kirkridge Retreat Center** for hosting and **J. DeFranco & Daughters** for catering the fall business luncheon. Scott and Dana from **Borked PC** shared a fantastic presentation on the topic of Cyber Security.

Congratulations to Businessperson of the Year award winner Justin Huratiak and Volunteer of the Year award winner Karen Brewer! These deserving winners will be recognized at the Awards Dinner on November 9th at 6pm.

Slate Belt Chamber of Commerce Nominations for Directors being accepted until November 9th; any Chamber member in good standing is eligible for nomination. There is a total of 15 Directors and roughly half are elected each year to a two-year term. This term will begin January 1, 2024. The nominees are Fred Curcio Sr, Adrienne Fors, Jim Dietrich, Mike Ortoski, Debbie Pettinari, Laura McLain, Connie Greenamoyer and Zach Miller. A vote will take place at the holiday party. Email nominations to info@slatebeltchamber.org or call 610-588-1000.



The Chamber will be collecting toys again for this holiday season!

Unwrapped toys can be dropped off at the Chamber during office hours Monday-Thursday 9am-1pm.

The toys will be distributed to Slater Family Network and Families First at the Toy Drive Luncheon on December 7th.

The Santa's Elves committee is also busy planning for the children's party which brings much joy to less fortunate families in the Slate Belt. For information on donating or volunteering with the Elves, contact the Chamber.

Thanks in advance for your generosity this holiday season!

New Members for October

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Mark your calendar to participate in SBCC Upcoming Events

November 6th 6:00pm – Marketing Series, Part 1: Social Media Best Practices at SBCC Office

November 9th 6:00pm – Businessperson/Volunteer Awards Dinner at Allegheny Creek Brewery (register by 11/2)

November 15th 5:00pm – LVHN Hecktown Oaks Tour (free registration on SBCC website available soon)

Registration Information Coming Soon!

December 7th Noon – Holiday Toy Drive Luncheon at BASD December 18th 6:00pm – SBCC Holiday Party at Scorecard!

Your suggestions are always welcome. Something special you want to see, let us know!

Slate Belt Gift Certificates are available year-round and can be redeemed at many of the area businesses!

<u>One Year Directors:</u> Fred Curcio, Adrienne Fors, Jim Dietrich, Deb Pettinari, Mike Ortoski, Laura McLain, Connie Greenamoyer

<u>Two Year Directors:</u> Rosemary Albert, Kristen Corrado, Jewel Williamson-Burns, Nadine Folk, Joann Ginder, Chuck Niclaus, Jeffrey Ott, Nancy Kessler

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Join us for a presentation on social media best practices and tips to reach your audience and build your following on a budget.

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Snacks and drinks included.

Register online: www.slatebeltchamber.org/events \$10-members/\$15 future members.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH AT 6:00PM 187 BLUE VALLEY DR, BANGOR



Caitlin Sullivan, Marketing Director Speaker



Awards

JOIN US FOR A CELEBRATION OF BUSINESSPERSON AND VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR!

Thursday, November 9th 6:00pm

Allegheny Creek Brewing Company

690 Allegheny Rd., Mt Bethel

Garden Salad, Buffet Dinner, Dessert, Tea/Lemonade, Cash Bar

\$38/person - Register online: www.slatebeltchamber.org/events





