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# Milford Miami Township Chamber of Commerce

February 2010 Newsletter

## 2010 Rediscover Milford Miami Township

A new year is upon us and we sincerely hope we will see an upturn in the economy. We at the Chamber cannot stress enough the importance of **SHOPPING LOCAL**. There are many interesting shops in Milford and Miami Township and though they may be off the beaten path your business partners would appreciate your support.

## CHAMBER INFORMATION

The Board of Directors voted to renew our contract with Toebben Co. to stay in the Milford Shopping Center for five more years taking us to 2015. We are in the process of doing some much needed improvements.

Your chamber wants to hear from you. If you need us to promote a special sale, event or an anniversary of your business just send us a small blurb about it. It will then be included in our end of the week update and our newsletter.

This year we are sending a small survey with your renewal invoice. It will give us an idea of what we can do to improve our chamber to help you. It is your chance to tell us how we are doing. We also ask that you include a business card as many of the ones we have are outdated.

Karen is busy completing the calendar of events for 2010. She is setting up networking luncheons at different restaurants. The Dinner of Excellence will be held at the Oasis, April 28th. This is our first major event of the new year and it is always such a great time, so mark your calendars. Information about the luncheons will be sent a couple of weeks prior. As a footnote, Frontier Days will be held June 3, 4, 5 and 6, 2010. This will be year 48 for this event.



### 2010 Event Sponsors

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## WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE CITY OF MILFORD

The City of Milford Council elected Amy Brewer as Mayor and Ralph Vilardo Jr. as Vice Mayor. The newly elected Councilpersons are Mark Rohrig and Laurie Walters. We wish all of them a very productive term.

The Miami Township Local 3768 Firefighters Union along with the Milford Community Fire Department are having a fund raiser to bring the "Toughest Two Minutes in Sports" to the Greater Cincinnati Tristate area. Last year it brought over 100 firefighters from the US and Canada. This year's event will be held at Target, Saturday, April 17 and Sunday, April 18, 2010. These firefighters demonstrate their profession's rigors through an obstacle course to vie for the best time. There is both individual and team competition. It is truly amazing to watch. **This worthwhile fund raiser will be held at Texas Roadhouse, 375 Rivers Edge Dr., February 22nd from 4:00 to 10:00pm. Take the attached flyer and 10% of your dinner proceeds go towards the Firefighters Challenge. There will also be a rib eating contest between the fire, police and service departments of Miami Township and the City of Milford. Hope to see you there.**

Tom Browning, Red Hall of Famer, will be the guest bartender at By Golly's, Tuesday, February 9th from 6:30 to 8:30pm. There will be a silent auction, giveaways and Tom will be signing autographs and telling stories. Bring the family, have some dinner and enjoy the evening.

Big Poppa Slims Café on Main has changed their hours. Located at 233 Main St. in Historic Downtown Milford they are now open for breakfast beginning at 7:30am. This goes until 11:00 when lunch is served until 2:30pm. Stop by. The food is good and the owners make you feel at home.

Ron Burke and Mike Castrucci are helping to coordinate relief supplies for Haiti with Matthew 25 Ministries. There will be a truck at both stores, Mike Castrucci Ford on St. Rt. 28 and Mike Castrucci Chevrolet on US 50 (Lila Ave.). They are accepting Cash Donations, Canned and Nonperishable Food, Personal Care Products, Cleaning Products. I am sure we all have some items that we could donate.



**SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL BUSINESSES**

**SHOP MILFORD MIAMI TOWNSHIP**

## EVENTS IN MIAMI TOWNSHIP

### JEFF WRIGHT

The Chamber would like to congratulate Jeff Wright taking on his new position with Miami Township as Assistant to Larry Fronk. Jeff is coming from the City of Loveland and previously worked for the City of Milford and we look forward to working with him again.

### KARL SCHULTZ

Karl Schultz was elected Chairperson of the Trustees for 2010. Karl was appointed as trustee when Ed Humphrey resigned. He was elected as trustee in 2009 for a four year term. We wish the best to Karl and the Township.

### DADDY/DAUGHTER DANCE

A Dad/Daughter Dance will be held at the Miami Twp. Civic Center, 6101 Meijer Dr., Friday, February 5th from 6:30-8:30pm. There will be a DJ, Valentine crafts and snacks. For more information check out their website below.

### MIAMI TWP. FINE ARTS EXPO

This fun event will be held at the Miami Twp. Civic Center, Saturday, March 13th from 10:00am to 4:00pm. Admission is free. There will be art for sale, free music and kids crafts. For more information go to [www.miamitwpoh.gov](http://www.miamitwpoh.gov) or call 248-3725.

### CELL PHONES FOR SOLDIERS

Liberty Tax Service is providing a place to bring your used or broken cell phones. These cell phones will be serviced and sent to the troops so that they can call home. Liberty is located at 1067 SR 28 between Sonic and White Castle.

### LIVING WITH MOTION CHIROPRACTIC OFFERS NEW PRODUCT

Dr. Luke Reineck is proud to be the one of two Chiropractor's in the Tri State to offer BAX3000TM Neurological Stress Reduction Therapy. This painless & non-invasive method provides alternatives to patients suffering from Allergies, Asthma, Migraines, IBS, CFS & chronic skin conditions such as Eczema. Visit [www.biovedaofmilford.com](http://www.biovedaofmilford.com) to learn more.

### NEW MEMBER OFFER

Dr. Antonio Crisci of American Health Chiropractic, 1081-A St. Rt. 28 has recently joined the Chamber and is offering those that suffer from: headaches, neck & back pain, arm & leg pain, auto & work injuries, arthritis, herniated discs and sciatica a **FREE** chiropractic evaluation, 2 X-rays and first treatment. Promotion expires January 29, 2010. For an appointment call 576-6699.

### ANOTHER NEW MEMBER

Cynthia Foley, Sales Representative for Western & Southern Life Insurance is now a member of the chamber and would be happy to talk with you about Life Insurance. Her business phone is 513-474-3858 ext. 112 and her cell is 812-290-6125. She will be happy to answer any and all inquiries.

# MEMBERSHIP

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

American Health Chiropractic  
 Angilo's Pizza  
 Baker Heating & Cooling  
 Big Poppa Slims Café on Main  
 Dale Teaney Construction  
 Rendigs, Fry, Kiely & Dennis, LLP  
 Rooster's  
 Servicemaster MGM Facility Services  
 Western & Southern Life

Dr. Antonio Crisci  
 Randy Bryant  
 Darlene Roberts  
 Jeffery Goetz  
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 Michael Chapman  
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 Cindy Foley

## THANKS FOR RENEWING

Allen's Appliance Parts & Service  
 American Legion Post #450  
 Arbors at Milford  
 C. Edw. Lovins Insurance Agency  
 CARSTAR Collision Care of Milford  
 Cincinnati Nature Center  
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 Clermont County Equipment  
 Clermont Senior Services  
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 D.E.R. Development  
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 Duke Energy  
 Eric's Beauty Salon  
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 GSM Inc.  
 Historic Milford Association  
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 Living with Motion Chiropractic  
 Lykins Companies  
 McDonald's  
 Miami Twp. Fire & EMS Association  
 Michael Minniear, Atty at Law  
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 Milford Village Veterinary Clinic  
 National Bank & Trust  
 Newwave Technologies, Inc.  
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 Gary Clemon  
 Jay Benz  
 Keith Burkhardt  
 Dave Aspach  
 David Merry  
 Darrell Baumann  
 William Stevens  
 Maurice Kirby III

## Renewals Cont'd

PDQ Pole Buildings  
 Rahn Eye Care  
 Re/Max Results Plus  
 RSVP Catering, Inc.  
 Siemens PLM Software  
 St. Mark's Community  
 Texas Roadhouse  
 The Literacy Council  
 Toebben Ltd.  
 Victory Signs & Lighting Inc.  
 Wild About Birds

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 Jeffrey Rahn  
 Richard Hoffman  
 Adam Ward  
 Tom Rocklin  
 Alice Ballard  
 Brian Kutcher  
 Susan Vilardo  
 Larry Rytel  
 Patricia Combs  
 Peggy Flierl

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**YOUR BUSINESS!**

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