

April chamber advantage



The Pulse of Business in Culpeper

members in the news

Dunwright Insurance Agency is excited to announce that Monika Christian was voted Best Insurance Agent in the Best of Your Hometown competition! By doing a thorough review of her client's needs, Monika ensures every business, fleet, or entrepreneur has the right insurance, without gaps in their coverage.

You are invited to celebrate **Gary's Ace Hardware** with Gary Walker as they mark the TEN-year ACE Hardware store anniversary with him and the ACE team the weekend of Saturday, May 21, 2022. Festivities planned...outdoor BBQ, WJMA music remote, pony rides, in-store specials and a drawing for a grill giveaway, in-store entry between now and the day of the event. Come check out the store improvements as well as the new inventory for this momentous occasion. Ribbon cutting planned for Saturday at 11 a.m. to kick off the weekend celebration. Gary and team look forward to welcoming you and serving the community that they love for another 10 years!

Aging Together would like to thank Ginny Biggs for her 5 years of service to the organization. Ginny has worked closely with the county teams, and special events including several very successful Art of Aging Expos. We will miss her upbeat attitude and passion for helping older adults and wish her the very best in her retirement. We would also like to welcome Anna Rogers as the new County Resource Specialist. Anna comes back to Aging Together after having worked here when the organization was in its infancy. She

helped with the initial community conversations and Robert Wood Johnson grant. Anna has background as a program development professional and has worked for the US Department of State in several overseas locations.

The Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham Culpeper has been awarded the annual "Best of Microtel by Wyndham by Wyndham," which recognizes the brand's top performing hotels and their teams. "Receiving this honor is a testament to the incredible work of our hotel teams in delivering top-notch hospitality day in and day out," said Hemal Gandhi. "Winning the hearts and loyalty of guests is all about maintaining a quality hotel and cultivating a staff that's passionate about the details; we've succeeded on both fronts, and we'll continue striving to set the bar even higher for what it means to be a 'Best of Microtel by Wyndham by Wyndham.'" To be eligible for the award, hotels must demonstrate strong quality scores, outstanding guest reviews and an unwavering commitment to the Wyndham Rewards loyalty program and its members.

We would like to welcome Mickey Martin to our **RE/MAX Crossroads** family. He brings over 20 years of experience in real estate and we are proud to have him! And congratulations to Erin Quinn for being Agent of the Month for April!

Virginia Broadband is pleased to announce that Tyler Hearn has just completed his Tower Climber/Rescuer training with Comtrain. Tyler is certified as a 4th Edition Authorized Climber/Rescuer after just recently completing training at Wake Forest NC. Tyler Hearn is the latest addition to the Virginia Broadband family here in Culpeper.

member spotlight



Dogwood Village Volunteer Spotlight would like to recognize Ben Hulsey for his contributions as a volunteer for the facility. Ben attended Grymes Memorial school and is currently a Senior at Woodberry Forest School. Ben plans to attend Washington and Lee University in the fall where he hopes to major in history and public policy. Ben enjoys running and is a member of the cross country and track teams at Woodberry and a member of the Christian Fellowship Club. Ben has several hobbies to include fishing, hunting, and spending time outdoors. Ben is pictured with Senior Living resident Thomas Piccinin.

Faye's Office Supplies would like to put a spotlight on Wayne Mason for starting a new position with Faye's as a Sales Rep.

Partners 1st Federal Credit Union just celebrated their 70th Anniversary! We encouraged our employees to take advantage of our "Pay It For-

ward" \$70.00 program to put back in our community that has supported us for so many years!

Piedmont Dispute Resolution Center (PDRC) Executive Director Lawrie Parker was recently elected president of Resolution Virginia, the coalition of Virginia's community-based mediation centers. In March, she conducted a day-long training on conflict resolution and police relations for the Northumberland County Sheriff's Office. Co-trainers were Warrenton Police Department (WPD) Chief Mike Kochis and Public Information Officer Chai Fuller.

Fulton Mortgage Company is proud to announce that Kelly Collier has been promoted to a Mortgage Loan Officer. Kelly has over 18 years of experience in the banking/finance industry and started with Fulton Mortgage Company, a Division of Fulton Bank in 2020 as a Mortgage Loan Officer Assistant. As a Mortgage Loan Officer, Kelly provides mortgage services to the Culpeper, Greene, Orange, and Madison counties in Virginia. Learn more about Kelly Collier, NMLS #1410611 by checking out her website page.

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The SIGNATURE Team of ReMax Regency
Norma Bailey

ist at **Culpeper Wellness Foundation**-managed **Powell Wellness Center**, has earned certification as a personal trainer. Zajkowski coaches Rock Steady Boxing, a non-contact fitness program at

PWC designed to improve quality of life for individuals with Parkinson's disease. He also supports PWC's FITScripts exercise program for individuals with chronic disease.

Upcoming events

Young Professionals Luncheon
Wednesday, May 4 at noon
Piedmont Steakhouse

Young Professionals 2022 Charity Kickball Tournament
Saturday May 14th, 2022, 9am
Lenn Park
19206 Edwin Way

CulpeperFest
Friday, June 10, 4-8 pm
Eastern View High School Cyclone Stadium

Ribbon Cuttings

Bailey's Cookie Bar
Friday, May 6, 5pm
128 N. Main Street

Gary's Ace Hardware
10-Year Anniversary
Saturday, May 21, 11 am
509 Meadowbrook Center

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