

## The Pulse of Business in Culpeper

### members in the news

Celebrate the release of the 2026 Community Guide at an after-hours social, proudly sponsored by the **Culpeper Times!** This year's edition, third in a series on Culpeper's history and role in our nation's 250th anniversary, will be available at the event. Join us on February 18, 5-7 PM at American Legion Post 330, Culpeper.

**The Blue Ridge Chorale** begins its \*\*spring season Monday, Jan. 26 at 6 PM\*\* at Culpeper United Methodist Church. Singers of all abilities are welcome to join. Registration is open now, with concerts scheduled for the first weekend in May. Learn more at [BRCsings.com](http://BRCsings.com).

Friends of **SAFE** is hosting their annual Mardi Gras Luxury Bingo Masquerade Ball on February 21, 2026, at the Culpeper Center. For information about ticketing and sponsorship opportunities, visit our website at [www.safejourneys.org](http://www.safejourneys.org).

**Battlefield Services** is expanding our government contracting portfolio, continuing active forestry mulching projects across the region, and advancing our SWaM certification to support public-sector work. We're excited to grow our capabilities and serve both municipal and private clients in 2026.

**Jeniffer Rossy with The Rossy Group, Inc.** is excited to share that she is now proudly part of the Century 21 New Millennium family! This new chapter allows me to offer enhanced resources, marketing power, and support—while continuing to deliver the personalized, trusted service you've come to expect.

**Culpeper Mid-Day Lions** honored Frank Reaves Jr and Michael Grant with Melvin Jones Fellowship Awards for their service not only to Lions, but to the community. Frank received his award with his wife and son present. Michael's award was received by his son and daughter, Eric and Kelly Jo Grant.

Jennifer Mintz of **ANEROY** completed the Culpeper-Orange Entrepreneur Workshop with the Community Investment Collaborative this past Fall. ANEROY is excited to continue

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**Girls on the Run Piedmont** is kicking off spring with an amazing new group of volunteer coaches! These community champions will help girls build confidence, friendships, and joy through movement and connection. Coach recruitment is also underway for Camp GOTR and Fall seasons.

supporting churches, non-profits, and small businesses in the professional services sector and would also like to start supporting specialty crops and small-scale farmers.

**Epiphany Catholic School** is excited to announce the date for their annual gala: May 2, 2026, 6:00pm. The dinner, dance and auction will once again be held at Tuscany Hall, with food catered by Luigi's. Visit [www.epiphany-catholicschool.org/gala](http://www.epiphany-catholicschool.org/gala) for more information.

**Ageing Together's** Free Noontime Series - Join us on February 10 at noon via Zoom for "Person-Centered, Trauma-Informed (PCTI)

Framework for Caregiving: New Insight for Multicultural Family Caregivers." Lily Liu will share her experience applying PCTI principles while caring for her late parents, who experienced trauma as refugees during the Chinese Civil War. For Zoom link: <https://www.agingtogether.org/virtual-programs.html> or [info@agingtogether.org](mailto:info@agingtogether.org)

**The Culpeper Wellness Foundation** welcomes Bryan Millea as director of Powell Wellness Center. Bryan brings more than 15 years of leadership experience in recreation and facility operations to his new role. He looks forward to expanding access to the center's medically guided fitness and wellness programs.

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**Early's Carpet** - Our team attended the Mohawk Momentum Roadshow January 14-15 to learn about new flooring trends, products, and industry best practices. Events like this help us stay informed, build strong partnerships, and make thoughtful decisions so we can better serve our customers with trusted advice and up-to-date solutions.

### upcoming events

**Young Professionals Luncheon**  
Wednesday, February 4 12 pm  
Peppers Grill  
791 Madison Road, Culpeper, VA

**Tuscany Informational Call**  
Wednesday February 11, 2026  
5:30-6:30pm  
Microsoft Teams Meeting

**Community Guide Release Party/  
After Hours Social**  
Wednesday February 18, 2026 5-7pm  
American Legion Post 330 - 14222  
Rixeyville Road, Culpeper

**Young Professionals Paint for a Cause**  
Wine & Design - 219 Southgate Shopping Center, Culpeper, VA  
Thursday February 19th 6-8pm

**State of the Community**  
Wednesday March 18, 2026  
8-11am

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Janet Dylan was originally from Connecticut and moved to Orange County at the age of 13. She's been happily married for 55 years and is blessed to have a loving twin sister. Janet is the proud mother of four children and the cherished grandmother of two granddaughters and a great-grandson. Janet has dedicated 41 years of faithful service to **Dogwood Village of Orange County**. She values Dogwood Village most for its residents, who feel like her own grandparents. For Janet, it's the people—and the genuine love, kindness, and care they share—that make it special.

**Christ in Action** has already sent **3** tractor trailer loads of furniture to families still recovering from Hurricanes Helene + Milton (in Florida and North Carolina) in the first month of 2026.

**Culpeper County Parks & Recreation** Lead for Adaptive & Inclusive Programming Kelly Vetere recently completed the Inclusive Programming Specialist Program.

In December of 2025 **Mom2Mom** was able to distribute 7,153 Diapers, 197 Packs of Wipes, 89 Cans of Formula and 755 Feminine Hygiene Products

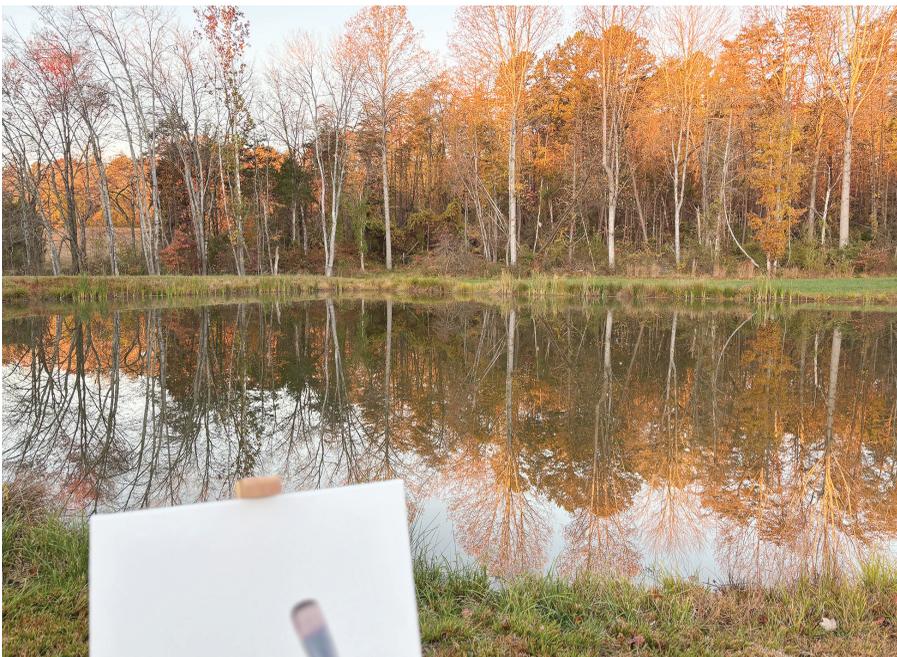
**Abacus Advisors** is celebrating its two-year anniversary this month. "Time sure flies by" said Cindy Dowell, owner and Certified QuickBooks ProAdvisor. "Working with Culpeper business owners has been such a joy and I'm so grateful for all the community support." As a thank-you, they are offering new monthly clients 50% off their first month through the end of February.

Kevin Olague, a lifelong motorcyclist receiving end-of-life care, recently fulfilled his dream of owning a Harley-Davidson. This meaningful experience was made possible through a partnership between **Hospice of the Piedmont** and **Stonewall Harley-Davidson**. Both organizations worked together to ensure Olague could experience the freedom of the open road again.

**Brynmor at Culpeper Baptist** is now enrolling for its 2026 Summer Programs! Offering 10 weeks of themed activities, hands-on learning, and summer fun, programs are available for children ages 2½ through rising 5th grade.

Comedian Andrew Stanley will be at **Culpeper Baptist Church** on Wednesday, February 25 at 6:30 p.m. Andrew has appeared on Nate Bargatze's The Showcase on Nateland.

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**Restore Peace** Painting Retreats now offers phase-specific, nature-held painting retreats, attunement paintings, and creative presence circles for women navigating seasons of change. These offerings support grounding, emergence, and becoming through guided painting, embodied creative presence, and time in nature.

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Andrea Brubaker of **Broadview Pest Management** attended the New York Rodent Academy in November, her second time since 2014. The program provides important training in rodent biology and control best practices. Touring subways, alleys, parks, and catch basins in NYC helps bring the latest strategies back to the DC region and surrounding communities, where rodent pressures continue to grow.

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