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#### 2014 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Chair, Deb Tegtmeyer, Licking County Coalition for Housing

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#### **Chamber Mission**

The Granville Area Chamber of Commerce is an organization of business leaders whose purpose is to maximize the value and relevance of business by stimulating commerce, advocating for our businesses, and supporting responsible business development that preserves our heritage and sustains the quality of life in the community.

#### UPCOMING GACC MEETINGS MEMBERSHIP MEETING

WHEN: Wednesday January 15 TIME: 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM WHERE: Bryn Du Mansion PROGRAM: State of the Chamber



### Happy New Year!

Trish Newcomb, Executive Director, Granville Area Chamber of Commerce

Your chamber had a very interesting year in

2013, and I think it was well celebrated at our Annual Holiday Luncheon this past December. Wonderful things happen all year long in Granville, but one event was outstanding! It happened in September when Denison University announced that it would be purchasing the Granville Inn. The Inn had been struggling for several years and had spent the last year in receivership. Fortunately, the community can continue to claim the Granville Inn as one of our historic businesses and landmarks for future generations. Denison University saved the 86-year-old facility, along with some 35 jobs, and for having done so was honored by the GACC as the "2013 Business of the Year."

Many chamber members give of their time and talents on committees and special projects throughout the year. Volunteers are the life blood of the chamber. For one whole year, Granville resident, Kathy Tatham, spent two days a week working in the chamber office. Alan Hoffmann shared time and energy ensuring the Annual Golf Outing and fundraiser would be successful again this year. Both deserved recognition of their contributions to the chamber and were awarded "2013 Volunteer of the Year." November's election of the board of directors resulted in beginning new three-year terms for the following: Tom Argyle, of Licking Memorial Health Systems; Lisa Englefield, of Elms Pizza Parlor; and Don Jones, of the Orchard House Bed and Breakfast. Tobin Mann, of Mann Legal Services, will be continuing the remaining two years of Alan Hoffmann's three-year term. I would like to thank Ashley Wade, of Kendal at Granville, for completing my remaining term as board chair upon my accepting the position of executive director.

We also gave Maggie Barno a heartfelt tribute at the Holiday Luncheon. Her accomplishments in growing the chamber over the last six years

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## Announcements

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Happy New Year from the Chamber of Commerce



#### Volunteers Needed

Are you thinking about doing something special in your community in 2014? Or do you know someone who has some spare time?

Please consider an opportunity to volunteer at the Granville Area Chamber of Commerce Office.

There are several meaningful projects planned which would require the expertise of a few extra people, either on an as-needed or continuing basis.

If you know of someone who might be interested in knowing more about opportunities at the Chamber office, please contact us. 740-587-4490 or email chamber@granvilleoh.com

#### **Membership Renewals**

The Granville Area Chamber of Commerce is sending this reminder about 2014 Membership Renewals: We will be emailing invoices the month before your business's annual renewal date. If you would rather the invoice be mailed, please let us know. Payments by check or cash are accepted by mail, or stop by the office–we love to see you! Your membership in the Chamber is very appreciated and we look forward to servicing your business.

#### In Memoriam

Diana K. Jones, owner of Granville Carriage Company, LLC, unexpectedly passed away on Monday, December 16, 2013. Diana was well known for her beautiful white carriage and horses, especially Toby, a white Percheron, which, for nearly ten years, frequented the streets of Granville for a variety of events and celebrations.

Diana is survived by her husband Watson R. Jones; two children and two grandchildren. She lived on Battee Road, in Granville.

Granville Carriage Company became a member of the GACC in 2007. The iconic images of Diana in her elegant costumes and fancy hats, driving her beautiful white carriage with Toby, will be sadly missed in Granville.

Teresa Mae Peters, co-owner of The Going Green Store, of River Road, Granville, passed away peacefully on Monday, December 16, 2013, after a long battle with cancer. Teresa was an award winning change-maker, a lawyer by trade, and all around dogooder. She lived and worked all over the world helping to change lives and create hope. From the OEC in Paris, France, to her own foundation, Bridges.org, in South Africa, to The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation in Seattle, WA, and yet ultimately she returned home to Licking County to write the final chapter of her too short but well-lived life.

Teresa was frequently seen visiting vendors at the Granville Farmers Markets (both summer and winter), many of which became suppliers of products available at The Going Green Store. Her vision of an Earthfriendly business became a welcome addition to the community and central Ohio. Teresa is survived by her "boys," Harry and Gordon; her sisters Wendy and Jill, nieces and nephew, Amy, Katie, Payge, and Tyler; her life and business partner Mike Bauer, and his kids Hannah and Luke.

A gathering of friends and family was held at The Going Green Store on Friday, December 27, to celebrate Teresa. The Going Green Store joined the GACC in July, 2011. Although Teresa's legacy continues, her presence in Granville will be noticeably missed.

#### **Granville Gift Card**



The Granville Area Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce its newest program created to enhance the "Shop Local" effort the Granville Gift Card. The card, designed by Tom Argyle, is ready and will be available for use at participating locations.

The next step is to get restaurants and shops on board to participate in the program so that our community can use the card after purchasing it.

> www.granvilleoh.com DECEMBER SEARCHES Business Directory: 2186 Search for Events: 4218

The *Granville Area Chamber of Commerce* made **1382** member promotions/referrals through calls, office visitors & social networking in December.

# Images from the Holiday Luncheon



Kathy Tatham received "Volunteer of the Year" award for her year-long volunteerism at the Chamber office in 2013.

2013



New executive director, Trish Newcomb addresses members of the Chamber.



Alan Hoffmann also received "Volunteer of the Year" for his chairing the Chamber's Annual Golf Outing.



Maggie Barno received a video tribute of her accomplishments as executive director of the Chamber for the past six years, along with a framed photograph of her favorite picture of downtown Granville– *Hometown Christmas*.



Denison University received the "Business of the Year" award for 2013. Seth Patton, Vice President for Finance and Management at Denison University, talks about what is planned for Denison's new enterprise: The Granville Inn.



The outgoing 2013 Board of Directors, along with staff of the Granville Area Chamber of Commerce.



The 2014 Board of Directors is sworn in by Melissa Hartfield, Mayor of Granville.

All photos of the event are by Gary Chisolm of Chisolm Studios.

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**GACC Members: PROMOTE YOUR BUSINESS** in **SNAPSHOTS!** Snapshots are about 65 words long. Send your business image, description, including hours of operation and contact info, to <u>Trish@granvilleoh.com</u>

## **The Buxton Inn**

On behalf of The Management and Staff of The Buxton Inn, Orville and Audrey Orr extend their best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year.

In January we invite you to join us for a new Winter Fare Menu in our first floor Fireside Room or the cozy Tavern. Check our web site at <u>buxtoninn.com</u> for our special winter room rates.



## OFF-BROADWAY SPOTLICHT Moundbuilders General Dentistry

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are sincerely appreciated and we celebrated her legacy with a beautiful video highlighting the chamber's growth and her accomplishments as executive director. Gary Chisolm, of Chisolm Studios; John Montgomery, of Home Video Studio: Wendy Hollinger, of Phoenix Graphix: and Casey Claxon, of The Novelty Advertising Company, spent numerous hours preparing this video, which has been posted on www.granvilleoh.com. One of Maggie's favorite Granville photographs is the one of the lighted downtown Christmas trees after a fresh snowfall, taken around 8 A.M. by Gary Chisolm. To her surprise, a mounted and framed copy of this photograph was also presented to her.

Our Candlelight Walking Tour, held December 7, was successful, despite the chilly temperatures and the OSU/ Michigan game scheduled for that evening. Between a new snowfall the night before, clear, sunny afternoon skies, Christmas trees tied to the roofs of various vehicles, decorated trees along Main Street and Broadway, along with Santa's helpers and families exploring the various activities, our Village could easily be mistaken for a Norman Rockwell painting! Jump, who has called Granville home for the majority of his life! Please call us today at (740) 344-1810 to schedule a New Patient appointment. We look forward to serving your family's dental needs.

## Moundbuilders GENERAL DENTISTRY

Benjamin N. Jump, D.D.S. Richard M. Main, D.D.S. Dena E. Towning, D.D.S.

The GACC has applied to the Internal Revenue Service for 501(3)c status to create the GACC's Chamber Foundation. If approved, the Foundation will be ready to begin its funding process, which means that we will need to apply for grants and other monies in order to provide educational and professional development programs.

In past years, Maggie spent time getting to know each member of the Chamber. I want to continue this very important process of interacting with our members. It is important that the benefits the GACC provides to membership are better understood and utilized as often as possible.

After the Board's January 8 meeting and retreat, where we will revise the chamber's strategic plan, you'll be hearing more about chamber goals for 2014. In the meantime, we will begin work on the *Granville Magazine* and provide more information on how the "*Granville Gift Card*" and "*I Love Granville*" programs work and how they can benefit your business.

I look forward to serving you this year, and wish to be accessible and helpful to you and your business. If you have ideas, questions, comments, or want to become involved in 2014, please let me know.

Here's to a prosperous New Year for Granville!



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