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A Message from Sandy

Director of Marketing & Communications

Our 2023 Annual Report is hot off the press! Explore the accomplishments of the Richland Area Chamber & Economic Development and your community in our 2023 Annual Report.

Guided by our active board and our three-pillar 2022-2025 Strategic Plan, we enjoyed a successful year as described in the annual report. Some of those accomplishments include:

- Record membership of over 1,050 businesses
- 71 ribbon cutting ceremonies
- 27 events with 4,375 attendees
- 35 local companies highlighted through Richland Works
- 280 BrandRichland community brand logo downloads
- 8,000 Community Guides distributed
- Advocated for broadband expansion across U.S. 30
- Key 2024 Solar Eclipse communication partner
- \$900,000+ in sector funds raised
- Hedstrom Ball, Bounce, and Sport leased the Adena Spec Building
- Black Fork Brewing, LLC., opened its doors in Shelby
- \$100,000 in Business Resource Funds received
- \$200,000 Incumbent Worker Training Funds utilized
- 34 Young Leaders Institute students enrolled
- 25 Leadership Unlimited graduates

Our commitment to our community and the businesses within it remains unwavering. Click the link to explore our comprehensive 2023 Annual Report, or the 2023 Year in Review Video.



[VIEW ANNUAL
REPORT PDF](#)

[VIEW 2023 YEAR-
IN-REVIEW VIDEO](#)

Recent Staff Promotions



Jennifer Wagner
Member Services Manager

Jennifer Wagner, a dedicated and active member of our community, has been promoted to the position of Member Services Manager at the Richland Area Chamber & Economic Development.

In her new role, Jennifer leads the Chamber's membership program, fostering relationships with both prospective and existing members. With a keen eye for detail, she manages the Chamber's benefit plans and collaborates with internal and external partners to enhance support for the Chamber.

Jennifer's commitment to community service is evident through her involvement with organizations such as the Raemelon Therapeutic Equestrian Center, where she serves on the Board of Directors.

We congratulate Jennifer on this well-deserved promotion and look forward to her continued contributions to the Chamber.



Evan Stuart
Marketing & Communications Assistant

Last summer, Evan joined our team as a Marketing & Communications intern and has now been promoted to the position of Marketing & Communications Assistant. Currently pursuing an Associate's Degree in Business Administration-Marketing at North Central State College, Evan has showcased exceptional skills and dedication during the internship.

Evan plays a crucial role in our marketing efforts, collaborating on email blasts, curating social media content, conducting insightful marketing analyses, etc.

We extend our gratitude to the Richland County Foundation for providing the funding that supported Evan's internship, transforming it into a valuable part-time position at the Chamber.

Congratulations to Evan on this achievement, and we look forward to witnessing his continued growth and success.

ENCOURAGING SAFE WORK ENVIRONMENTS THROUGH EFFECTIVE HOUSEKEEPING

Prioritizing safety in the workplace is crucial for any organization, and an effective housekeeping program plays a vital role in creating a safe and positive culture for employees. Maintaining a tidy and organized workplace throughout the day is essential to prevent injuries stemming from poor housekeeping practices. It's important to discuss with employees how effective housekeeping procedures significantly reduce the risk of accidents, emphasizing that it is an ongoing process requiring repetition for success.

Benefits of Housekeeping Plans

- Reduce slips, trips, and falls by addressing clutter and slippery conditions.
- Decrease fire hazards for a safer working environment.
- Enhance control over tools and materials, contributing to overall workplace safety.
- Improve hygienic conditions, positively impacting employee health.
- Decrease property damage through enhanced preventive maintenance.
- Optimize space utilization for a more efficient workspace.
- Boost morale and productivity with a visually appealing and positive atmosphere.

Key Elements to Consider

- **Maintenance:** Keep buildings, equipment, and machinery in safe working order.
- **Ventilation Systems:** Regularly service to prevent health hazards, with proper disposal of waste materials.
- **Lighting:** Regularly clean fixtures and evaluate lighting efficiency in low-light areas.
- **Spill Control:** Prevent spills through regular cleaning, machine maintenance, and immediate cleanup with appropriate PPE.
- **Waste Disposal:** Regularly collect waste, implement recycling practices, and educate employees on proper segregation.
- **Storage:** Develop organized storage programs, ensuring materials are secure and preventing obstructions.

If you have questions or need further assistance in developing a workplace housekeeping program, please reach out to Andy Sawan, Risk Services Specialist, with Sedgwick at andrew.sawan@sedgwick.com or by phone at 330.819.4728

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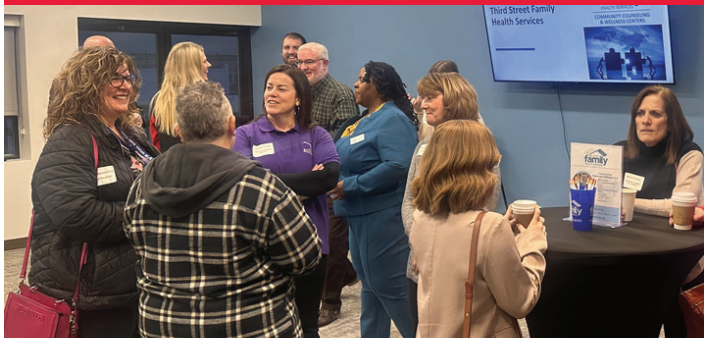
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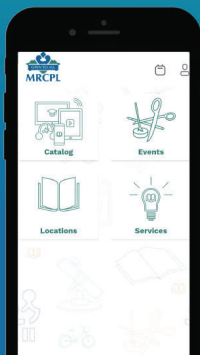


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Wednesday, April 24

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- Call Lisa at 419-522-3211
- Email Lisa at: lduckworth@richlandareachamber.com
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55 N. Mulberry St, Mansfield OH 44902

Register your staff today!

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\$30/person for Chamber members registered by April 5th.
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Sponsorship Form

Business Professionals Day Luncheon

@Mid-Ohio Conference Center

Wednesday, April 24 11:30am to 1pm



Gold (\$600)

- Eight (8) Tickets to the event (\$240 value!)
- Verbal recognition from the podium at event
- Table sign with corporate logo
- Logo recognition during slide show
- Logo in Chamber newsletter
- Logo on promotional emails
- Logo & link on Chamber event website
- Logo shared on social media
- Logo on event program

Silver (\$300)

- Four (4) Tickets to the event (\$120 value!)
- Verbal recognition from the podium at event
- Logo recognition during slide show
- Name in Chamber newsletter
- Name on promotional emails
- Name & link on Chamber event website
- Name on event program

Bronze (\$150)

- Two (2) Tickets to the event (\$60 value!)
- Verbal recognition from the podium at event
- Name recognition during slide show
- Name in Chamber newsletter
- Name on Chamber event website
- Name on event program

Your level of Chamber membership MAY include credit for sponsorship.

Everyone from CEO's to support staff enjoy this event!

Count Us In! We're excited to be a Sponsor for the 2024 Business Professionals Day Luncheon!

Organization: _____

Contact Name: _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL (Circle One): GOLD - \$600 SILVER - \$300 BRONZE - \$150

Payment: Check Enclosed

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Email: lduckworth@richlandareachamber.com Mail: Richland Area Chamber, 55 N. Mulberry St, Mansfield, OH 44902

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Business Professionals Day Luncheon

@Mid-Ohio Conference Center

Wednesday, April 24
11:30am to 1pm

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This is a great opportunity to highlight your business! Contributors will be thanked in the program and announced during the drawing.

Option one: Provide a prize for the live drawing (or we can shop for you).

Option two: Donate 400 small items branded with your name or unique to your business. These will be placed in the goodie bag that each participant receives.

To donate an item(s), return the completed form below or contact Lisa Duckworth.
Phone: (419) 522-3211 Email: lduckworth@richlandareachamber.com



Business / Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Item(s): _____

☐ Pick one: ☐ Item enclosed (for mailed gift certificates) ☐ Item will be dropped off / sent to Chamber office

Please respond by Friday, April 12th

Richland Area Chamber, 55 N. Mulberry St, Mans., OH 44902



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It's not too late to sponsor this event! Contact Lisa at (419) 522-3211 or lduckworth@richlandareachamber.com

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17th Annual Business Expo

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2024 BUSINESS EXP

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DETAILS:

- Thursday, March 21st, 10-4pm, at the Richland County Fairgrounds
- Set up will take place from 3-5pm on Wed., March 20 to allow for the "Expo Eve" Business After Hours taking place 5-7pm that evening - 300+ attended the BAH in previous years, with over 900 attending the Expo!
- Enjoy an exciting "Solar Eclipse" theme!
- Booth prizes will be awarded for: Most Creative, Best Use of Theme, & People's Choice
- Admission will be free, and once again, many forms of media will be used to promote the Expo to the public.

COST: Booth cost is only \$200 if you reserve your space before February 20th (\$250 after this date). Booth size is 8'x10'. 8ft. table, 2 chairs, and electricity/wifi included.

THIS EVENT WILL SELL OUT! TO GUARANTEE A SPOT, PLEASE RESPOND PROMPTLY!

COMPLETE FORM AND RETURN WITH PAYMENT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO RESERVE YOUR BOOTH

Booths are first come, first served. Online registration is available by visiting the event calendar at www.RichlandAreaChamber.com).

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Contact person: _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

PAYMENT: ☐ Check Enclosed ☐ VISA/MC/DISC CARD #: _____

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2024 BUSINESS EXPO

DON'T GET LEFT IN THE DARK!

Previous attendance = 1,000 + Booth space has sold out the past five events!

Eclipse Diamond Presenter — \$3,000

(Limited to One)

- Naming rights (Business Expo presented by...)
- Double booth space at main entrance, facing incoming guests
- Facebook Live interview at event streamed from Chamber's page
- Banner with your company name hung in prime location
- Your booth featured on cover of April Chamber Link Newsletter
- Company logo on booth map provided to attendees
- Logo (large) on sponsor banner displayed at Expo
- Logo (large) on tote bag given to attendees
- Logo (large) on posters displayed at Expo
- Logo on any major print media Expo ads
- Featured in new comparison report via live radio broadcast
- Name on Expo radio ads
- Logo & link on Chamber website for Expo
- Paid social media campaign featuring company photo (\$\$\$\$)
- Logo in Chamber newsletter
- Up to 3 items in tote bag given to attendees
- Logo on Chamber email blasts for Expo
- Inclusion in press release
- Right of first refusal for next year

Totality Trailblazer — \$1,200

(Limited to Four)

- Double booth space in a prime location
- An aisle sign will be hung with your company name and also printed on booth maps
- Logo (large) on booth map provided to attendees
- Logo (large) on sponsor banner displayed at Expo
- Logo (large) on tote bag given to attendees
- Logo (large) on posters displayed at Expo
- Logo on any major print media Expo ads
- Name on Expo radio ads
- Logo & link on Chamber website for Expo
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Expo Eve Business After Hours Sponsor — \$900

(Limited to Four)

- One (1) prime booth space in the Bus. After Hours networking area
- After Hours banner with sponsor logos hung in prime location
- Business name announced by DJ multiple times throughout event
- Name on booth map provided to attendees
- Name on tote bag given to attendees
- Logo & link on Chamber website and registration materials for Expo Eve Business After Hours
- Paid social media campaign featuring company photo (\$\$\$)
- Logo (small) in Chamber newsletter
- Up to 2 items in tote bag given to attendees
- Logo on Chamber email blasts for Expo Eve Business After Hours
- Right of first refusal for next year

Luminary Partner — \$900

- One (1) booth space in a prime location
- Logo (small) on booth map provided to attendees
- Logo (small) on sponsor banner displayed at Expo
- Logo (small) on tote bag given to attendees
- Logo (small) on posters displayed at Expo
- Logo on any major print media advertising
- Logo & link on Chamber website for expo
- Paid social media campaign featuring company photo (\$\$\$)
- Logo (small) in Chamber newsletter
- Up to 2 items in tote bag given to attendees
- Logo on Chamber email blasts for Expo

Cosmic Champion — \$600

- Save \$100 on a booth space
- Name on booth map provided to attendees
- Name on banner displayed at Expo
- Name on tote bag given to attendees
- Name on posters displayed at Expo
- Name on any major print media advertising
- Name & link on Chamber website for Expo
- Paid social media campaign featuring company photo (\$\$)
- Name in Chamber newsletter
- One (1) item in tote bag given to attendees
- Name listed on Chamber email blasts for Expo

Solar Beacon Supporter — \$300

- Save \$75 on a booth space
- Name on booth map provided to attendees
- Name on banner displayed at Expo
- Name on posters displayed at Expo
- Name on any major print media advertising
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- Paid Expo social media campaign featuring company photo (\$)
- Name in Chamber newsletter
- Name listed on Chamber email blasts for Expo



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The Young Leaders Institute students gathered on Jan. 4. The day began with a leadership discussion on challenging the process.

Clint Knight led an exercise on career pathways (bottom right photo).

Jessica Gribben and Mayor Steve Schag shared about economic development and gave a quick, chilly tour of Black Fork Commons Plaza (bottom left photo).

The 179th Cyberspace Wing hosted the students to discuss the base's economic impact on the region as well as career opportunities within the base and U.S. Airforce (top photo).



Program Day Sponsor



Members of the class of 2024 analyzed ways to challenge the process during their January program day sponsored by Schmidt Security Pro. The group heard from many speakers about the impact of violent crime on our community, law enforcement responses, court systems, and re-entry services.



Class members analyzed and responded to a leadership case study on Challenge the Process.



Participants learned to create and improve upon a process by tossing string balls. The groups improved the process so well that their completed time was less than 1 second!

Buffi Williams shared about the impact of violent crime on youth and families. She charged our group with seeking solutions for a peaceful community.



Detective Burt Skeen shared the Richland County Sheriff's Department's approach to community safety.



Mackenzie Meyers reviewed the type of cases heard by the Richland County Court of Common Pleas.



Mario Davison moderated a panel on re-entry services and supports with Alan Mitchell, Former NECIC MBAC Director; Jacquie Walker, Goodwill Industries of Greater Akron; Nicholas Emmons, Ohio Department of Rehabilitation & Corrections, and Rev. Pernell Allen, Healing Hearts



Class members learned about the relationship of crime to economic development and job growth from Deanna West-Torrence.

Learn more about program days at facebook.com/LeadershipUnlimited.



Plan your Perfect Richland County Solar Eclipse Viewing Experience!

Prepare for a celestial spectacle like no other! Below are exciting events and prime viewing locations in Richland County to witness the 2024 Total Solar Eclipse during its captivating moment of totality at 3:12:15 p.m. on April 8th, 2024.

- **OHclipse Mansfield at the Richland County Fairgrounds** (April 5-8, 2024, 10AM - 10PM)
- **Kindred Kove 2024 Solar Eclipse Camping Experience** (April 5-9, 2024)
- **Eclipse in the Yard at the Historic Ohio State Reformatory** (April 8, 2024, 11AM - 4PM)
- **You'll Burn Your Eye Out! Eclipse Watch Party at the Phoenix Brewing Company** (April 8, 2024, 11AM - 5PM)
- **Total Eclipse of the Park Viewing Party at Dan Lew Exchange** (April 8, 2024, 11:30AM - 3:30PM)
- **Dine with a View at Hudson & Essex** (April 8, 2024, 12-5PM)
- **Solar Eclipse- Malabar Farm State Park** (April 8, 2024, 3-5PM)
- **Solar Eclipse Suncatcher with Richland Soil and Water Conservation District** (April 9, 2024, 6-8PM)

Eclipse Outdoor Viewing Locations

- [Bicentennial Park](#)
- [Patriot Park Soccer Fields](#)
- [Marshall Park](#)
- [Richland County Fairgrounds](#)
- [Patriot Parkk](#)
- [Stowell Park](#)

IDENTIFYING AND REPORTING SUSPECTED FRAUD CLAIM

The term "fraud" carries weight, and reporting it to the Bureau of Workers' Compensation might seem daunting. If you suspect a fraudulent claim, the Bureau has a dedicated Special Investigations Department, formed in 1994, specifically for analyzing and investigating fraud concerns.

In 2022, the Department received 2,661 fraud allegations, closed 1,431 cases, and secured 69 convictions, saving \$90 million. Recognizing potential fraud indicators is crucial:

- Collecting disability benefits while receiving compensation
- Receiving under-the-table cash for work
- Claiming work-related injuries that occurred elsewhere
- Exaggerating disability complaints
- Falsifying claim-related documents

Employers often learn about potential fraud from co-workers or personal observations, like social media posts. Suspicions should be reported to the BWC Fraud unit via their website or by contacting them directly at 1.800.644.6292.

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We believe your best health is always within reach.



MAYORAL VISION 2024



The Leadership Unlimited Advisory Board hosted the Mayoral Vision 2024 Panel at Westbrook County Club on Jan. 24, 2024. Seven Richland County mayors spoke during the panel moderated by Jeff Parton, Park National Bank Business Development Officer. Thanks to our presenting sponsor ES Consulting.

The 145 attendees heard from Teri Brenkus of Bellville, Wesley Dingus of Butler, Cassaundra Fryman of Plymouth, Randy Hutchinson of Ontario, Bob Jarvis of Lexington, Jodie Perry of Mansfield, and Steve Schag of Shelby. Mayors Todd Hall of Lucas and Paul Currier were not able to attend.

Our mayors are dedicated to the beautification, growth, and safety of their cities and villages. They seek funding and partnerships to make initiatives happen. Their success with collaboration demonstrates that Richland County is a family of communities setting the standard for innovation and reinvention. Residents are encouraged to get involved with the dreaming and building as well.

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UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENTS

Register for these events **HERE**
or visit our event calendar at
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- 02/15/24 Legislative Business After Hours, Kingwood Center Gardens, 5-7pm
- 02/16/24 Exploring Career Pathways in Technology, ES Consulting, 8:30-11:30am
- 03/06/24 EmployMePalooza, Richland Academy of the Arts, 10am-12pm
- 03/20/24 Women's Leadership Connection, DLX, 11:45am-1:00pm
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