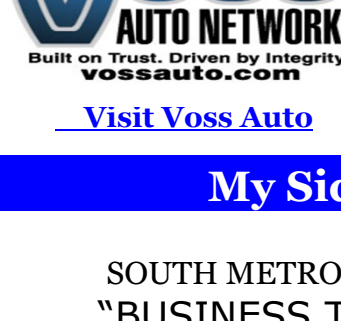
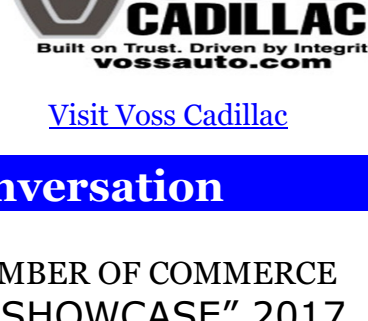


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SOUTH METRO REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
 "BUSINESS TO BUSINESS SHOWCASE" 2017
 SPONSORED BY: MIAMI VALLEY HOSPITAL SOUTH
Endorsed by: Southern Ohio Chamber Alliance

Thursday, September 28, 2017, 5 – 7 p.m.

Miami Valley Hospital South

2400 Miami Valley Dr., Centerville

All attendees welcome at **NO Charge** – Reservations Requested

Displays and information!

Adults Only

SUPPORT YOUR CHAMBER, OUR MEMBERS, AND THE REGION!

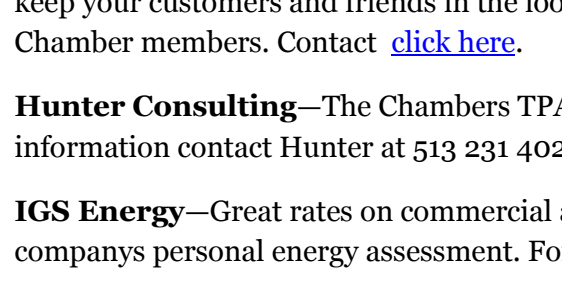
BUSINESS DISPLAY TABLE

This annual event is the premier opportunity for your company, your products, and your services to reach a targeted, potential audience in our area.

Members - \$100.00 includes one 6' display table Non-members - \$175.00 includes one 6' display table

Reservations required for attendance or a table display. Please call 433-2032 ext. 200 or e-mail info@smrccoc.org by Monday, September 18, 2017

Cancellations in writing by Sept 18, 2017



Congratulations! to Nova Creative Business of the Year Winner for 2016

Chamber Major Benefit Suppliers

When looking for a service for your business consider the following major benefit providers for the South Metro Regional Chamber.

Constant Contact—A great way to stay in touch with your customers, promote specials and events and keep your customers and friends in the loop with a monthly newsletter. Special pricing is available to Chamber members. Contact [click here](#).

Hunter Consulting—The Chambers TPA for group workers' compensation coverage and more. For information contact Hunter at 513 231 4023

IGS Energy—Great rates on commercial and residential gas and electric rates. Contact IGS to request your company's personal energy assessment. For information contact Reggie Franklin at rfranklin@igsenergy.com

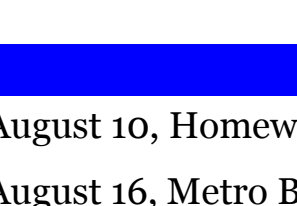
Meridian Processing—A very good product that gives excellent service and rapid payment. They can also provide on-line processing through your website. Contact them at 513 304 1593

Office Depot—Provides over 1,400 products, some discounted as much as 40%. With a an order of \$50 or more, there is free next-day delivery. [click here](#).

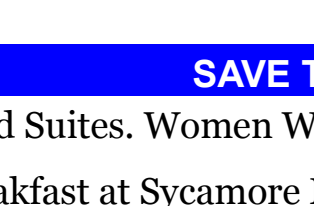
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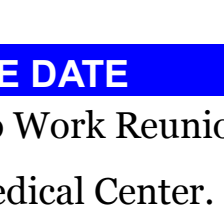
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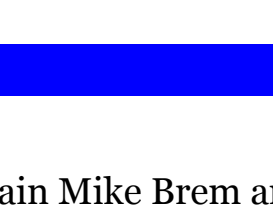
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Safety Council Speakers and Information

All South Metro Regional Safety Council Meetings are held at Miami Valley Hospital South, Bed Tower Conference Room, and begin at 8 A.M. with networking and light breakfast. Please feel free to join us for our next meeting on August 10th. What is the South Metro Regional Safety Council? It is a means to gain pertinent information to improve safety and wellbeing in the work place. It is a way for owners and managers to improve workplace conditions. If you have 7 or more employees, you need to consider becoming part of the South Metro Regional Safety Council for 2017 – 2018. We have excellent speakers. Not only can you provide a safer work environment, but you have the ability to earn a 2% to 4% rebate of your workers' compensation premium. The presentation begins at 8:30 A.M. To reserve your spot, email info@southmetroregionalsafetycouncil.org or phone 937 433 2032 ext. 200.

August 10, 2017 Scott Mullett, MA, AT, CEFE, FCT, Workplace Ergonomics. Topic "Ergonomics: Causes, Cases and Solutions."

September 14, 2017 Jim Wooten, Damage Prevention Specialist at Vectren. Topic to be announced.

October 12, 2017 Stephen Gallagher, Marsh & McLennan. Topic to be announced.

November 9, 2017 Joshua Grappy, Topic "Drones—Commercial uses, regulations and best practices"

SAVE THE DATE

August 10, Homewood Suites. Women Who Work Reunion.

August 16, Metro Breakfast at Sycamore Medical Center. Captain Mike Brem and Chief Deputy Rob Streck, Montgomery County Sheriff's Office. Topic **Miami Valley Gang and Cartel Update**.

September 20, Business Open House at American Testing Service, 2000 Old Byers Road, 7:30 AM. This is a no charge event but reservations are requested. RSVP to 937 433 2032 ext. 200

Nominations are now being accepted for 2017 Business of the Year. Nominating forms are on the website.

South Metro Regional Chamber

The South Metro Regional Chamber is an association of people representing commerce and the region. Come join us!

Shop local, buy local and buy American!

Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission

The Miami Valley Regional planning commission indicated that the six county profile showed that in 2016 -

24,336 businesses existed, a 1% increase since 2004.

514,974 jobs existed, a two percent increase since 2004

Wright Patterson is the largest single employer in the state of Ohio.

A 29 percent increase in jobs in the health care sector since 2004.

54 percent of the jobs in the area were in health care, government and retail.

Government accounts for 85,010 jobs in the area.

The largest decrease in jobs since 2004 has been in utilities and manufacturing, or 21 percent.

Austin Landing Young Professionals

Now, with nearly 200 active professionals, we're excited to grow even bigger, reach even farther, and give even greater. Traditionally, our members are between 20 and 40 years of age however, we welcome professionals of all ages, skill sets, and specialties. So go ahead...check us out, look around, and feel free to inquire for more information.

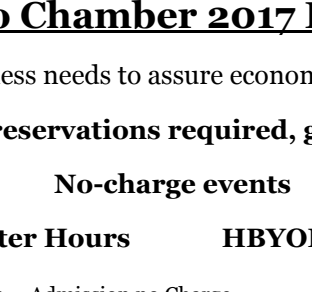
GET IN TOUCH.

Ohio Drug Price Relief Act

The Ohio Drug Price Relief Act is a proposal on the November Ohio ballot that would require state agencies to pay no more for prescription drugs than the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. To find out for yourself who is for and against the issue and the amount of money being spent, go to the drug price standards [website](#).

SOUTH METRO REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

2017 CALENDAR OF EVENTS SPONSORED BY



SAVE THESE DATES!

EVENT RESERVATION POLICY

All reservations for Chamber events have a cancellation date, usually one week prior to the event (check our website at www.smrccoc.org or event invitation). This date represents a guarantee from the Chamber to the event facility concerning payment and commitment, no exceptions. Please be responsible and honor that date to assist this office in managing our budget. All event registrations will only be accepted IN ADVANCE by check or credit card. We will not accept payment at the door. No refunds after cancellation date or 3 days prior, including lack of attendance. Adults only! **Reservations required. (937) 433-2032 x 200**

Under Construction

BEGIN or END your day with the South Metro Regional Chamber of Commerce Quarterly Events!

Date	Event	Location
Thursday	Safety Council Meetings (Improve Workplace Safety)	Miami Valley Hospital South
Jan 12, Feb 9, March 9,	Events & Programs will be held from 8-10 a.m. (Starts 8:30 Sharp)	2400 Miami Valley Dr.
April 13, May 11, June 8,	Safety Council Members - \$15.00, Non Safety Council Members - \$20.00	Centerville
July 13, Aug 10, Sept 14,	Must RSVP - 433-2032 x 200	
Oct 12, Nov 9, Dec 14	Sponsored By: Miami Valley Hospital South	
Thursday	Update on Ohio Taxes	
March 2	Joe Testa, Ohio Department of Taxation, Tax Commissioner	Thompson Hine Attny at Law Austin Landing 10050 Innovation Dr. Suite 400 Dayton, Oh 45342
Wednesday	Metro Breakfast	Sycamore Medical Center
April 19, June 21	FEATURING IMPORTANT SPEAKERS ON MAJOR TOPICS	4000 Miamisburg Centerville Rd.
Aug 16		Miamisburg
Wednesday	"The Entrepreneurial Brain"	Sycamore Creek Country Club
May 17	Oct. with Brenda Stansfield, Ron Weir and Danielle Fritz	8300 Country Club Lane
Tuesday	11:15 lunch and networking , program at 11:45	Springboro,45066
Oct 10	Cost \$30.00 RSVP 937 433 2032 or info@smrccoc.org	
Thursday	Business-To-Business Showcase	Miami Valley Hospital South
September 28	5:00-7:00 p.m. Admission: No Charge	2400 Miami Valley Dr.
	Members - \$100.00 per 6' display table, Non Members \$175.00 per 6' display table	Centerville
	Call for more information - (937) 433-2032 x 100	
	Sponsored By: Miami Valley Hospital South Please RSVP 433-2032 x 200	
Wednesday	Annual Breakfast & Business Awards	
October 25	7:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.	NCR Country Club
	Keynote Speaker Brady Kress , President, CEO Dayton History	
	No payment at the door	4435 Dogwood Trail
	Please RSVP 433-2032 x 200	Kettering

South Metro Chamber 2017 Business Open Houses!

"We advocate for business needs to assure economic vitality in our region!"

(Adults only, reservations required, guests welcome)

No-charge events

Date	Event	Location
Thursday	Business After Hours HBYO	123 N Springboro Pike
January 12	4:00 to 7:00 p.m. Admission no Charge	Miamisburg 45449
Wednesday	American Testing Services LTD (Open House)	2000 Old Byers Rd
September 20	7:30 am Admission no Charge	Miamisburg 45342
	RSVP 433 2032 X 200	
Wednesday	Business Open House Day Air Credit Union	9655 Dayton Lehanon Pk
September 13	Must RSVP 433 2032 x 200 No Charge Event	Centerville
Thursday	Zig Zag Gallery (Holiday Kick Off)	Zig Zag Gallery
November 9	5:00-7:00 PM	101 E Alex Bell Rd 172
	RSVP 433 2032 X 200	Centerville

We want to thank our generous sponsors for making our 2016 events possible:

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Business of the Year 2016, Rose Schulz owner NOVA Creative

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