

# Chamber Connection

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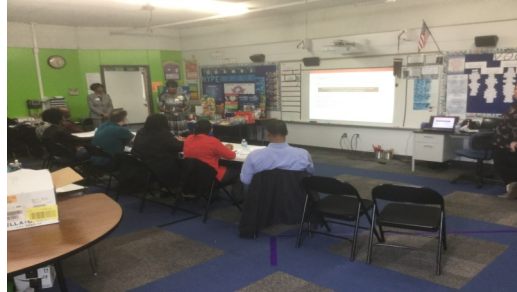
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*Mission: To work with businesses, government, the non-profit sector, and individuals to build a positive economic environment to ensure and enhance quality of life in Trotwood and the region.*



The North Dayton School of Discovery was excited to host this important Chamber of Commerce workshop on starting a new business with excellent hands-on, step-by-step guidance from Ms. Kim Woodbury, Director of the Ohio Small Business Development Center for our 15 workshop attendees. For NDS, this was another great

opportunity to put into practice our strategy and philosophy of being a true "community-based school" and not just another school in the community, as the City, Chamber, business and schools work together to promote and grow the local economy and our overall quality of life! Community partnerships are, indeed, the lifeblood of accomplishing more together than we ever could acting independently on our own!

**Jim Pierce, President**

Our sincere thanks to board member Deborah Smith for planning and executing "Starting a New Business Workshop" Saturday, April 13, 2019 at North Dayton School of Discovery, and Jim Pierce, North Dayton School of Discovery, for sponsoring and hosting this workshop.



## Self-Driving Cars—Are You Ready?

A self-driving car, also known as a robot car, autonomous car, or driverless car, is a vehicle that is capable of sensing its

environment and moving with little or no human input.

AAA Miami Valley will be presenting a networking event on self-driving cars Thursday, June 13, 2019 at Friendship Village from 5-6:30 p.m.; other chambers will be participating. This event is sponsored and hosted by Friendship Village—food will be provided. This is a free event but you must register. To register call the Chamber at 937.837.1484 or email [mbattle@trotwoodchamber.org](mailto:mbattle@trotwoodchamber.org) no later than Monday, June 10.

**Marie Battle, Executive Director**



**May is  
Mental Health  
Awareness Month**

May 2019 is Mental Health Awareness Month (also referred to as "Mental Health Month"), and has been observed in the United States every May since 1949, making this the 70th year of observing this important month.

For more information, visit [www.mentalhealthamerica.net/may](http://www.mentalhealthamerica.net/may).



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## Information Corner

*Congratulations* To Tracey Mallory, Trotwood-Madison Principal, Westbrooke Village Elementary School for being named as a 2019 Principal Honoree by the Ohio Alliance of Black School Educators.



### MEMBER FOCUS—KMG PHARMACY

Personalized care, fast service, and affordable quality products are part of our pledge to the community. Other services include:

- Free delivery right to your door
- Free home Rx pick up for all senior patients
- KMG Pharmacy offers a unique packaging solution that is designed to increase medication adherence and minimize Hospitalization by maximizing medication compliance.
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- (multi-Med adherence packaging) make it easy for users and caregivers to manage complicated regimens
- The convenient packaging makes it easy to know what to take and when to take it
- Punch cards help organize time of day and day of week to administer medication
- Color coded system makes it even easier to know what time of day to take each dose

KMG Pharmacy is located at 846 E. Main Street, Trotwood OH 45426, phone number 937-529-4433, (F) 937-715-4447, email [info@kmgpharmacy.com](mailto:info@kmgpharmacy.com).

## SAVE THESE DATES

**THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2019—5:00-6:30 PM**

**SELF-DRIVING CARS**

**FRIENDSHIP VILLAGE**

**5790 DENLINGER ROAD (ATRIUM DINING ROOM)**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2019—5:00-7:00 PM**

**BUSINESS EXPO PHILLIPS TEMPLE**

**3620 SHILOH SPRINGS RD.**

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2019—7:30 A.M.**

**ANNUAL GOLF OUTING,**

**MEADOWBROOK AT CLAYTON**

*Thank You* For renewing your membership: AAA Allied Group, Community Investment Corporation and Grismer Auto Service Center



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## Ohio BWC Helping Combat the Opioid Epidemic



Effective June 1, 2019, the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC) will no longer pay for the most commonly abused opioid painkiller, Oxycodone. This change will affect those covered by the BWC, which is one of the few state monopolistic workers' compensation systems and the largest state-run insurance system in the U.S.

Instead, Oxycodone will be replaced with what the BWC Chief Medical Officer, Terry Welsh, calls "an equally effective but harder-to-abuse drug" named Xtampza ER. The new drug, Xtampza, is engineered to resist manipulation common in abused drugs, including being able to be crushed, snorted or injected. Read more on the BWC website:

[BWC drops painkiller Oxycontin from formulary](#)



Any employer that incurred a claim during the GREEN period and is currently participating in a WORKERS' COMPENSATION GROUP RATING PROGRAM, must complete 2 hours of safety training to be compliant with Ohio BWC guidelines.

### **Private Employer green year:**

July 1, 2016- September 30, 2017

### **Public Employer green year:**

January 1, 2017 - March 31, 2018\*\*

There are a number of options available for completing this requirement, employers can:  
Complete 2 hours of online training

@ [www.bwclearningcenter.com](http://www.bwclearningcenter.com)

- Attend a training session provided by the BWC's Division of Safety & Hygiene
- Complete the BWC's online Accident Analysis course and the corresponding report.

Once you have completed the training send your CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION to Tammy Purcell via fax at (513) 372-8742 or via email at [tpurcell@hunterconsulting.com](mailto:tpurcell@hunterconsulting.com)

## Public Employer Group Rating Enrollment Now Open!



**Enrollment Forms Have Been mailed!**

**Deadline to enroll is May 24th, 2019**

**Questions? Contact Tammy Purcell @ 513-231-4023**



**Do you know anyone starting a new business in Ohio? Be sure to tell them about the BWC's Incentive Program.**

Grow Ohio - allows employers new to the Ohio area the opportunity to take advantage of significant discounts when they either sign-up to join a group-experience-rating program or can receive an automatic discount on their workers' compensation premiums.

- Employers who opt to join a group-experience-rating program receive a premium discount-potentially up to **53%** effective their **FIRST** day of coverage.

Those employers who do not join a group, can receive up to a **25%** discount on their workers' compensation premiums. Visit the BWC [www.bwc.ohio.gov](http://www.bwc.ohio.gov) to learn more about Grow Ohio.



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## FREE SAFETY SEMINAR!

*"What a Safety Coordinator Needs to Know"*

1/2 DAY SEMINAR

Presented by: Mr. Gary Hanson, President  
American Safety and Health Management Consultants, Inc.

This seminar is being put on for Group Rating member companies and for companies and for companies required to attend a 2-hour safety training requirement.

This seminar meets the requirements of the 2-hour training requirement for employers who are required to attend a 2-hour safety training class who had a claim from 7/1/16 – 9/30/17.

Dates/Locations:

May 21, 2019—Hamilton Butler County - Extension Office  
June 4, 2019—Akron/Fairlawn - Holiday Inn

**ALL Seminars are from 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon**

PLEASE RESPOND NO LATER THAN 3 DAYS BEFORE THE SEMINAR OF YOUR CHOICE.

Fax or Mail to: Kathy Hanson/ASH 6920 Meadowlands Ave. NW, North Canton, OH 44720  
- FAX: (330) 244-8915 -E-mail: ASHMCI@aol.com

Please Print - (Max. 3 People)

Name: # of People Attending ( )

Name:

Name:

Name:

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Association Affiliation: Hunter Consulting

Please check which Seminar you will be attending.

May 21, 2019 at Hamilton  June 4, 2019 at Akron/Fairlawn

**ALL Seminars held from 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon**

### Hotel Information

Akron/Fairlawn, OH

Holiday Inn  
4073 Medina Road, Akron, OH 44333

Hamilton, OH

Butler County Extension Office  
1802 Princeton Road  
Hamilton, OH 45011-4797



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