

CHAMBER MONTHLY

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MARCH 2022

Don't forget: Banquet is March 16

FBI special agent on white-collar crime is guest speaker

Cleveland FBI Supervisory Special Agent in charge of White-Collar Crime, Milan Kosanovich, will be the guest speaker at the March 16 annual Chamber banquet. He will speak about the best way to protect your business and yourself from fraud.

The Chamber will honor current and past Richfield Joint Recreation District board members with the 2021 Beautification Award and the owner of the Cuyahoga Valley Inn as the Business of the Year.

The RJRD board members have worked tirelessly to develop the Richfield Heritage Preserve since 2014, the year that residents of Richfield Township and Village voted to purchase the property. The volunteer board, with support from the Friends of Richfield Heritage Preserve and many other volunteers, has guided the park through dam repairs, hiking trail improvements, lodge renovations and a tight budget.

The chamber will also recognize Joyce Mihalik, who has transformed an historic home to be a thriving bed and breakfast on Brecksville Road. The 1867 Orson Minot Oviatt House has been listed on the Registry of Historic Places and now, as a successful bed and breakfast, is booked every weekend of the year.

The chamber-sponsored event will be held in the Richfield Quality Inn at 4742 Brecksville Rd. Cocktails and hors d'oeuvre, sponsored by National Interstate Insurance, will be served starting at 5:30 p.m. A buffet dinner will start at 7 p.m. followed by the program at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$50 each, or \$45 each for tables of eight.

Fill out the attached reservation form and mail with a check to the Chamber office at 4300 W. Streetsboro Road, Richfield, 44286. Call 330-659-3300 for more information. The deadline to register is March 7. ∞



CHAMBER BANQUET

**Wednesday,
March 16, 2022**

Banquet Speaker

Milan Kosanovich

**Cleveland FBI Supervisory
Special Agent, White-Collar Crime**

**5:30 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres
& Cocktails**

7 p.m. Dinner

8 p.m. Program

at the

**Quality Inn & Suites,
Richfield**

Reservations

**must be received by
Monday, March 7th.**

**Please see page 3
for reservation form.**

Chamber Scholarships

The Richfield Chamber of Commerce will offer three \$1,100 scholarships to graduating seniors living in the Revere school district who plan to continue their education at any college, trade school or technical school. Students can obtain an application at the Revere High guidance office or at richfieldchamber.com. The deadline has been extended to April 15.

Reminder: There is no Chamber luncheon this month.
The next luncheon will be Wednesday, April 6.
Details to follow in next month's newsletter.

Richfield Chamber of Commerce 'Links for Education' golf outing to be held June 15; Volunteers needed

This year's outing will be held on Wednesday, June 15, at St. Bernard Golf Club in Richfield. Registration, lunch, and our putting contest will begin at 11:30 a.m., shotgun start at 1:00 p.m. and dinner (steak or chicken) immediately following golf (estimated around 5-5:30 p.m.).

Many of your favorite contests will be back along with some fun new ones and, as always, there will be lots of great raffle prizes (all donated by local businesses and individuals)!

For the eleventh year, Group Management Services (GMS) is tournament sponsor for our "Links for Education" Golf Outing. Our continued gratitude to them for once again taking on this important role! Thanks also to Schulte & Company CPAs for again signing

on to be our Keg Stop special sponsor.

Several other \$250 special sponsorship opportunities (including beverage cart and golfer gift) as well as unlimited individual hole sponsorships, at various monetary levels in \$100 increments, are available. Also offered is the "Exclusive" sponsorship which provides the donor exclusive rights to a particular hole along with an opportunity to set up a table on that hole with a representative promoting their business, sharing company "swag", etc.

Volunteers are needed to help with our various contests as well as to drive the beverage cart on June 15. No "job" requires prior experience and you're guaranteed to have a great time while on duty! "Work" shifts are from 1-3

p.m. or 3-5 p.m.

Registration and sponsorship forms are included with this newsletter. Remember, a \$5 per person late fee will be assessed after the June 1 registration deadline so you want to make sure you get your form in on time to avoid any "penalties".

Please contact Karen Smik at 330-659-4750 or kls1650@roadrunner.com for more information about sponsorship and volunteer opportunities and/or for specific event details.

A portion of the proceeds from this event will fund the Chamber's scholarships for graduating Revere High School seniors. Last year three \$1,100 scholarships were awarded, and over \$100,000 has been awarded since the golf outing's inception.

Trustees thank Service Department

The Trustees of Richfield Township express their thanks and gratitude to Jerry Schall, Don Rentz, and Domenico Olivo of the Richfield Township Service Department for their extraordinary efforts in keeping our Township roads clear and safe this difficult winter season. Your good work is much appreciated.

Janet Jankura
Don Laubacher
Robert Luther

Historical Society Cabin Fever Tour

Let us help relieve your cabin fever and beat those winter blues while supporting local businesses and institutions at the same time!

Take the Richfield Historical Society's Cabin Fever Tour on Saturday, March 19 and travel through Broadview Heights, Hinckley, Richfield and Peninsula to visit treasure houses of local history, art, antiques, cuisine, floral arrangements, gardening, gift items, home furnishings and more.

Detailed information about tour participants - including location, hours, and special promotions - can be found online at richfieldohiohistoricalsociety.org.

Dollars spent locally are more likely to stay in the community!

Cuyahoga Valley Career Center to host Job Fair

CVCC is hosting a Job Fair on Thursday, March 3, from 3 to 5:30 p.m.

CVCC invites all job seekers age 14 and older to attend. This event is free for job seekers, registration is not required. Area businesses and nonprofit organizations will be on site to interview potential employees for full-time, part-time and seasonal employment opportunities.

For more information, including job fair tips and a list of participating businesses and organizations, visit www.cvccworks.edu/JOBFAIR.aspx or contact Martha Sluka at mssluka@cvccworks.edu or 440-746-8260.

Richfield Chamber of Commerce Board Members

*President – P. Lynn Seifert, Esquire
(Seifert & Cox LLP)*

*Vice President – Mark C. Yantak
(Regina Health Center)*

*Secretary – Jennifer Stencil
(Richfield Branch Library)*

*Treasurer – Justin Hamlin
(HFS Wealth Advisors)*

Past President – Amy French (OEC)

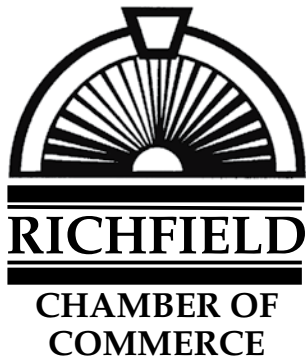
*Taste of Richfield Chair – Sue Serdinak
(Scriptype Publishing)*

*Links for Education Chair – Karen Smik
(Richfield Historical Society)*

*Scholarship Committee Chair – Jim Koewler
(Koewler Law Firm)*

As a Chamber Member,

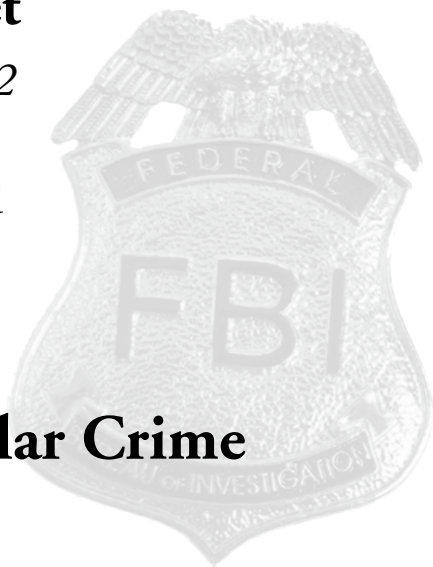
If you have an event, special promotion or recognition that you would like included in the monthly newsletter, please submit a press release to mail@richfieldchamber.com by the 20th of the month. Your release should be in paragraph format of 100 words or less. Attachments will not be accepted.



23rd Annual Banquet

Wednesday, March 16, 2022

Quality Inn and Suites,
4742 Brecksville Road, Richfield



Guest Speaker

FBI speaking on White Collar Crime

Honorees

**Beautification Award: Richfield Joint Recreation District, board
Business of the year: Cuyahoga Valley Inn**

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5:30 p.m. - Hors d'oeuvres & Cocktails - **Sponsored by National Interstate Insurance**

7:00 p.m. - Buffet Dinner - featuring Chicken Marsala, Orange Roughy

8:00 p.m. - Program

*\$50 per person; \$45 per person for reservations for tables of 8*

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Name: _____ Business: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Please reserve _____ dinners @ \$50 each. My check # _____ for \$ _____ is enclosed.

-or- Please reserve a table of 8 @ \$45 each. My check # _____ for \$ _____ is enclosed.

Please indicate names for name tags.

1) _____ 2) _____

3) _____ 4) _____

5) _____ 6) _____

7) _____ 8) _____

Please return this form with your payment by **March 7, 2022** to:
Richfield Chamber of Commerce, 4300 Streetsboro Road, Richfield, OH 44286.
You may call 330-659-3300 for more information.



RICHFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
 "LINKS FOR EDUCATION" ANNUAL GOLF OUTING
 (With Over \$100,000 in Scholarships to Revere High School Students)
 SPONSORED BY GMS



DATE: Wednesday, June 15, 2022

LOCATION: St. Bernard Golf Club
5364 Streetsboro Road -- Richfield

GOLF: 4 Person Scramble (**soft spikes only**) **foursomes will be kept moving at a steady pace on the course**

Check-in/Lunch/Putting Contest Begin at 11:30 a.m.
Shotgun Start at 1:00 p.m.
Contests/Raffle throughout event
Dinner after golf (steak or chicken)

FEE: **Super Ticket \$400 per foursome by 6/1; \$420 per foursome after 6/1 (this package available to foursomes only)**
(includes hot dog for lunch, greens fee for 18 holes of golf, cart, refreshments, dinner, skins, mulligans, 2 regular raffle tickets and special gift for each member of the foursome)

Golf & Dinner \$90 per person (\$360 per foursome) by 6/1; \$95 per person (\$380 per foursome) after 6/1
(includes hot dog for lunch, greens fee for 18 holes of golf, cart, refreshments, dinner and special gift for each golfer)

Golf Only \$50 per person by 6/1; \$55 per person after 6/1
(includes hot dog for lunch, greens fee for 18 holes of golf, cart, refreshments and special gift for each golfer)

Mulligans (\$5/person) and skins (\$20/foursome) will be sold the day of the event for those not on the Super Ticket

Dinner Only \$30 per person

PLEASE COMPLETE AND MAIL THIS FORM ALONG WITH YOUR CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO:
 "Richfield Chamber of Commerce" 4300 W. Streetsboro Road Richfield, Ohio 44286

Golf Foursome

(All foursomes must be on the same fee "package")

	Dinner (indicate steak or chicken)	Super Ticket	Regular Fee	Golf Only
By 6/1		\$400/4some	\$90/person	\$50/person
After 6/1		\$420/4some	\$95/person	\$55/person

Name: _____

(Team Captain)

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Dinner Only

(indicate steak or chicken)

\$30/person

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (CHECK PAYABLE TO "RICHFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE") \$ _____

Company Name (if applicable): _____

Address: _____
 (street---or p.o. box # if applicable) (city) (zip code)

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

PAYMENT IN FULL MUST ACCOMPANY REGISTRATION FORM
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JUNE 1 (\$5 LATE FEE PER GOLFER ASSESSED AFTER JUNE 1)



RICHFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
 "LINKS FOR EDUCATION" ANNUAL GOLF OUTING
 SPONSORED BY GMS
 June 15, 2022
 St. Bernard Golf Club -- Richfield, Ohio



HOLE AND EVENT SPONSORSHIPS/DONATION/RAFFLE PRIZE FORM

This popular and worthwhile event has provided over \$100,000 in scholarships to Revere High School students from funds raised through participation in the golfing event as well as hole and other sponsorships, cash donations and raffle prize contributions. Whether or not you attend the event, here's another way to show your support and make a difference in advancing educational opportunities for our young people.

Levels of sponsorship available:

PAR	\$100	receives 1 distinctive hole sign/recognition in Chamber newsletter
BIRDIE	\$200	receives 2 distinctive hole signs/recognition in Chamber newsletter
EXCLUSIVE	\$250	receives 1 distinctive hole sign plus exclusive rights to hole/opportunity to set up table on hole with representative promoting business, offering company "swag", etc./recognition in Chamber newsletter
BEVERAGE CART	\$250	receives signage on beverage cart which travels the course throughout the event/recognition in Chamber newsletter
GOLFER GIFT	\$250	receives company logo imprinted on gift/recognition in Chamber newsletter
EAGLE	\$300	receives 3 distinctive hole signs/recognition in Chamber newsletter
DOUBLE EAGLE	\$400	receives 4 distinctive hole signs/recognition in Chamber newsletter
HOLE-IN-ONE	\$500+	receives 5 distinctive hole signs, keepsake hole flag, and recognition in Chamber newsletter and on Chamber website

Hole sponsorship _____ \$100 _____ \$200 _____ \$250 _____ \$300 _____ \$400 _____ \$500+

Donation: _____ \$100 _____ \$75 _____ \$50 _____ \$25 _____ Other

Raffle Prize: _____

Individual/Company Sponsor Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____
(street---or p.o. box # if applicable) (city) (zip code)

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Return Your Hole Sponsorship/Donation/Raffle Prize by no later than June 1
"Richfield Chamber of Commerce" (check payable to same)
 4300 W. Streetsboro Road
 Richfield, Ohio 44286

Contact Karen at 330-659-4750 or kls1650@roadrunner.com with questions or for pick-up of a raffle prize.

Note that because the Chamber is a 501(c)(6) organization, "contributions and gifts are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes". If you are a business, however, you may claim this as an advertising expense deduction.