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The Greater Augusta Regional Chamber of Commerce Celebrates Education!!

Fishersville, July 11, 2019 – The first annual Education Appreciation Breakfast & Expo will be held on July 23rd at the Augusta Expo Event Center!! This celebratory, high energy event is designed to welcome educators and education staff back to school and share products and resources that can be of value to them personally and professionally. The event gives the Greater Augusta Regional Chamber of Commerce an opportunity to say thanks to those that prepare, support, and nurture the workforce of the future! The event is open to employees of our education community including staff and educators from all public schools and private schools in Staunton, Augusta County, and Waynesboro, Blue Ridge Community College, and Mary Baldwin University.

“The volume of work that our local education staff contributes during the school year is staggering,” says Annette Medlin, President & CEO for the Chamber. “The students that are supported through this work ultimately fill the jobs of local employers. As the regions largest business organization, showing our support through this event is the least we can do!”

There will be door prizes, lots of great music, a comedian to give us some laughs about getting back to school, many classroom resource vendors, a school spirit competition and much more! There is still time for teachers and staff to register for this FREE event! They can register directly on the Chamber’s [website](#).

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The Greater Augusta Regional Chamber of Commerce is a 501(c)(6) membership organization that serves Staunton, Waynesboro and Augusta County with a mission to strengthen and enhance the local business environment, represent the interests of our members, and foster balanced growth in our region. As a champion for our business community, we advocate, empower, inspire, and lead to build an environment where business can grow and thrive.