

Garrett County Chamber Volunteer Opportunities ***Get Active! Get Involved! Your Chamber Needs You!***

The Garrett County Chamber of Commerce invites you to become a part of our various committees.

Thank you in advance for your time, assistance, and participation!

If you are interested in serving on any of the committees listed below, please complete form below and fax to 301.334.8073 or scan and email it to Nick Sharps, nick@garrettchamber.com.

Autumn Glory Committee: Help plan and coordinate the annual October event including the Grand Feature Parade, Kick-off Dinner & Reception and Craft & Gift Show. The Autumn Glory Committee meets the first Thursday of each month at 10:00 a.m. Chair: Jeremy Bittner, Railey Mountain Lake Vacation Rentals. Staff Liaison: Sarah Duck, Vice President of Tourism and Marketing, 301.387.8746, sarah@garrettchamber.com.

HR Roundtable: Exclusively for HR Directors/Managers or those specifically responsible for human resources at your company. The HR Roundtable meets the first Wednesday of each month 8:00-9:30 a.m. to discuss different human resources topics and challenges facing our companies. Chair: TBD. Staff Liaison: Regina Sweitzer, Executive Vice President of Operations, 301.387.8739, regina@garrettchamber.com.

Marketing Roundtable: Discuss marketing strategies and ideas for promoting the community to visitors and guests. The Marketing Roundtable meets the second Wednesday of every other month 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Chair: Stacy Carlson, Taylor-Made Deep Creek Vacations and Sales. Staff Liaison: Sarah Duck. Vice President of Marketing and Tourism, 301.387.8746 or sarah@garrettchamber.com.

Membership: Help develop ways to enhance member benefits. This committee helps choose topics and locations for Member Events such as Business After Hours, Business Before Hours and seminars. In addition this committee reviews and recommends member benefits. The Membership Committee meets on the third Thursday of each month at 9:00 a.m. Chair: Lisa Ratliff, Wisp Resort. Staff Liaison: Nick Sharps, Membership Development Manager, 301.387.5237, nick@garrettchamber.com.

Legislative Affairs Committee: Discuss local, state and federal legislative issues and inform the membership of issues impacting their business and/or our community. The Legislative Affairs Committee meets the second Tuesday of each month at noon. Chair: Steve Green, High Mountain Sports. Staff Liaison: Nicole Christian, President & CEO, 301.387.8745, nicole@garrettchamber.com.

Garrett County Diplomats: Serve as greeters at Chamber events, deliver new member packets, attend ribbon cuttings/grand openings/ground breakings, assist with member retention and compete for a chance to be the Diplomat of the Year recognized at the Chamber's Annual Dinner. The Garrett County Diplomats meet the last Thursday of every other month at 9:00 a.m. Chair: Connor Norman, Norman Networking & Promotions. Staff Liaison: Nick Sharps, Membership Development Manager, 301.387.5237, nick@garrettchamber.com.

Mountain Maryland Gateway to the West Heritage Area Sub-Committees: The Heritage Area has two sub-committees to serve upon: Marketing Committee and Grants Committee. Staff Liaison: Jen Durben, Heritage Area and Group Sales Director, 301-387-5238, jen@garrettchamber.com.

Workforce Development Taskforce: Analyze the local workforce shortage and discuss solutions to meet workforce needs including affordable housing and public transit. Meeting time TBD. Chair: Laura Fike, Garrett Mentors, Inc. Staff Liaison: Nicole Christian, President & CEO, 301.387.8745, nicole@garrettchamber.com.

Please fill out the information on the back to apply.



Garrett County Chamber of Commerce Committee Application Form

Name: _____

Company: _____

Contact Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

YES! Please sign me up for _____committee(s).

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