



**Chamber Chatters**  
News from the members of the  
**TAMAQUA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**  
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<http://www.tamaqua.net>

**HAVE A SAFE AND FUN FILLED INDEPENDENCE DAY WEEKEND!**

The Chamber office will reopen on Monday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, at 9 am.



**CELEBRATING THEIR 50<sup>TH</sup> YEAR IN BUSINESS**  
**TOM'S AUTO & MARINE**  
250 South Greenwood, Tamaqua  
Celebrate with them on July 12<sup>th</sup> (see details below)  
**CONGRATULATIONS!**



Join them on **Saturday, July 12**, 10 AM to 2 PM. WMGH Live remote, FREE hot dogs & drink, Gift basket raffle, 20% off everything in the store, FREE Troop 777 Car Wash, Drawings for a Set of Weather Tech Mats and 50% off 20 lb propane tank. Book a Rhino Lining on July 12 and receive 10% off. Everyone is welcome! For more information, stop by 250 South Greenwood Street, Tamaqua or call (570)668-5066.

**WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST CHAMBER MEMBERS**

**AT&T Wireless Exchange**  
45 Plaza Drive  
Hometown Commons  
Tamaqua PA 570-225-7390

And

**Amazon Discovery**  
**Fine Herbal Products**  
257 Lafayette St, Tamaqua  
Clarence Opolsky 570-668-3491

**IMPORTANT NEWS!**  
Summer Concert Series  
**TONIGHT'S CONCERT  
HAS BEEN POSTPONED**  
WATCH FOR DETAILS ON A NEW DATE  
COMING SOON  
SPONSORED BY  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY CHRISTINE HOLMAN

## NEW THIS WEEK

**NEW - HO! HO! HO! - GUY'S FLOWERS AND MORE**, Route 309, in Hometown, is proud to announce their first annual "Christmas in July" sale. Preview the hot new items for 2014 and stock up on your old favorites.

Thomas Kinkade's 2014 collectible – "A Kiss for Santa" pre-sale will include a 10% off bonus – purchase this item during our pre-sale and pick it up beginning late October/early November. Stay tuned for more details coming soon! For more info, call Kevin at 570-467-3636

**NEW - MOUNTAIN VALLEY GOLF COURSE** – 1<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL GALEN GLEN WINE DINNER, Sunday, July 13. Meet Sarah Troxell, Galen Glen's Award-winning winemaker, learn about the wines and enjoy a fantastic 5-course dinner prepared by Mountain Valley's Executive Chef and her staff. Reservations required. 6 to 9 pm, Live music by Tommy Dee. Call 570-467-2242, for more information.

## JULY EVENTS

**"DEAR TAMAQUA" WRITE NIGHT** – Become a part of this exciting event. **July 8**, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tamaqua Community Art Center

**TAMAQUA ROTARY CLUB** Tamaqua Rotary Club meets weekly on Wednesday's at 8 a.m. at The Tamaqua Salvation Army, 105 West Broad Street, Tamaqua (570) 668-2775. New members are always welcome!

**Program Meetings – July 9, 16, 23, 30** – 8 am Tamaqua Salvation Army

### **MOUNTAIN VALLEY GOLF COURSE, RESTAURANT & DECK ACTIVITIES**

Visit <http://www.mtvalleygolf.com> for more information

**Junior Golf Clinic** has been rescheduled due to the weather. New dates – Monday **July 7** to Wednesday **July 9**.

**Friday Fun Night July 11** – 2 Person Scramble, with Steak Dinner, 4 pm – Shotgun Start, Call the Pro Shop at (570-467-2242 to register.

**TAMAQUA SALVATION ARMY** is sponsoring an American Red Cross Blood Drive, Wednesday, **July 16**, 1 to 6 pm, in the gym at 105 West Broad Street, Tamaqua. Blood drive is open to the public and walk-ins are welcome. Please call 1-800-RED-CROSS or visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) to schedule an appointment. All July donors will be eligible to win a \$100 American Express gift Card. One card will be given away daily.

**"JUSTUS"** in concert, **July 19**, 7 pm to 9 pm, **Tamaqua Community Arts Center**. \$10 Advance, \$15 at the door. Call 570-668-1192 or email [leona@taczp.info](mailto:leona@taczp.info) for tickets.

**TAMAQUA COMMUNITY ARTS CENTER - See the [schedule](#) of Concerts, Shows, Classes and Activities.** For more information regarding shows, music and theater, classes and other events visit [www.Tamaquaarts.org](http://www.Tamaquaarts.org) or call 570-668-1192. If you're interested in sponsoring a show at the Tamaqua community arts Center call Rose at 570-778-0917. All of our show's proceeds go directly to low-cost and no-cost programs at the Tamaqua Community Arts Center. Your support is extremely appreciated!

## AUGUST EVENTS

**Kidz Karnival, Tuesday, August 5, 2014**, 2 pm to 9 pm as part of Tamaqua's National Night Out festivities. Rain or Shine event on the North Railroad Street parking lot, across from the Tamaqua Train Station. Games Food, Rides and Prizes, Proceeds to benefit Tamaqua Salvation Army. Fun for the entire family. **Tickets now available by stopping by the Tamaqua Salvation Army or calling (570)668-0410 for more information. (See attached flyer) Help us spread the word about this fun event by posting this flyer.**

**CPR certification class – August 9, 2014**, at The First Methodist Church of Tamaqua. To register, contact Reverend Susan Daniels at (570)668-3344. Fee includes cost of training materials.

**TAMAQUA SALVATION ARMY** to host AARP classes in August. Anyone age 55 & up can refresh their driving skills, save money, volunteer and find useful information about getting around. Insurance discount eligibility is age 55. Classes to be held at **Tamaqua Salvation Army**, 105 West Broad Street, Tamaqua. Call (570)668-0410 to register. AARP Members - \$12, Non-Members - \$14

#### FULL CERTIFICATION CLASS

08/18 and 08/19, Noon to 4 each day (total of 8 hours), Language: English, Instructor: James Greaser

#### REFRESHER CLASS

08/21 Noon to 4 (refresher class is total of 4 hours), Language: English, Instructor: James Greaser.  
NOTE: This refresher course is open to those who have completed a previous course within the past 36 months.

## NEWS FROM OUR MEMBERS

**WASHKO & THOMAS AGENCY** has just announced their partnership with AFLAC. **Washko & Thomas Agency** now offers the AFLAC suite of products as part of their insurance portfolio, including the ability to assist current AFLAC clients as well as new clients to AFLAC. Call Gar Thomas at (570)952-4591 for more information and a no-cost consultation. **Washko & Thomas Agency** is a Federal Facilitated Marketplace, Certified Agent/Broker, offering Individual & Group insurance products. (**See the attached flyer**)

**BRONWYN'S DECORATING & MORE, LLC** – Now you can find them on Facebook  
Give Cathleen Studer a call to discuss your needs. **570-436-1025**

**HANG LOOSE BAR & GRILLE** - 300 East Broad Street, Tamaqua, (570) 668-2739 offers great patio space available for summer events. Call us, we cater to please!

#### Daily Specials:

Monday – Ham, Turkey and BLT Club Sandwich w/ff \$6.99  
Tuesday – Cheese Steak Sandwich w/ff \$6.99  
Wednesday – Build your own burger (up to 3 toppings) w/ff \$6.99  
Thursday – Wrap Sandwiches w/ff \$6.99  
Friday – Salad for Healthy Friday \$6.99  
Saturday – Pulled Pork Sandwich w/ff \$6.99  
Sunday – 2 clusters of crab legs w/ff and coleslaw \$15.99  
All You Can Eat Crab Legs w/ff \$20

**REVOLUTION FITNESS STUDIO WANTS YOU TO MAKE THE CHANGE** – Try Piloxing, Rev Flex or Butts & Gutts. **Revolution Fitness Studio**, 125 East Broad Street, Tamaqua, is committed to empowering individuals by providing high-quality fitness instruction which revolutionizes their body, mind, and soul and equips them to make positive lifestyle changes. Visit [www.revfitmtamaqua.com](http://www.revfitmtamaqua.com) for a full list of class schedules. (570) 668-6700

**CANCER TREATMENT CENTER AT HAZLETON** – **Cancer Treatment Center at Hazleton** offers patients throughout the region the most technologically advanced radiation therapies from their newly updated location. This facility provides treatment using an advanced technology that enables physicians to treat tumors with greater accuracy in a painless, noninvasive outpatient procedure. Explore the website to learn more about expert cancer care [www.cancertreatmentcenterhazleton.com](http://www.cancertreatmentcenterhazleton.com)

**HANDS FOR HEROES PROGRAM** – **Massage Therapy**, 105 East Broad Street, Tamaqua  
Our “Hands for Heroes” program is for military men and women. They are welcome to come in and receive a free massage (1 session per month) as our thank you for their service to our country.

Effective May 1, 2014, New Hours – Monday, Tuesday 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Wednesday 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Thursday and Friday 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday and Sunday – Closed. Other hours by appointment. Call (570) 668-6225

**TRIVIA NIGHTS** – **Hang Loose Bar & Grille**, 300 East Broad Street, Tamaqua, will hold Trivia Night every Thursday, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Pub Quiz! 3 rounds of current events, pop culture, music and more! Team size 6 or less. Prizes given! For more information call (570) 225-7008.

**VONZ RESTAURANT** 18 North Railroad Street, Tamaqua, PA 18252 (570) 668-6439 .

[www.vonzrestaurant.com](http://www.vonzrestaurant.com)

**Happy Hour Specials** – Every Tuesday – Friday 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

\$1 off Appetizers, \$1 off all pint size draft beers, \$1 off all wines

Wednesday is **Senior Discount Day** at **Vonz Restaurant** in the historic Tamaqua train station.

Seniors enjoy 10% off any lunch or dinner meal (alcohol excluded)

Make a reservation at **Vonz Restaurant** and enjoy dinner on the platform while enjoying the Chamber's Summer Concert Series. Call (570)668-6439 to make your reservation now.

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**ATTENTION 2014 Chamber Members**

If you have information you want us to distribute here, it must be received by the office  
no later than Thursday, at 5 pm to be included in our weekly email newsletter.

Only current Chamber member's information will be distributed here and on our website and Social Media outlets.

*Want more information on those opportunities? Membership forms and information always available online at  
[www.tamaqua.net](http://www.tamaqua.net) or call us at (570)668-1880*