

Happy Monday Morning!

(Williams)

We are excited to announce that Williams Energy is once again a major sponsor for this year's Pay it Forward event with a donation of \$3000! This event provides an opportunity for non-profit organizations in our area to present what they do to the community and a chance to take home some of the total donations we raise from the event. To learn more about this event and download an application form, follow this link: <http://www.wetzelcountychamber.com/newsevents.html>

(Pay It Forward)

This week's Chamber Focus Member is the Wetzel County Convention & Visitors Bureau (CVB). The CVB does many things in the community and this week we are going to be taking some time on Facebook to explore many of those, including events like; Chili Fest, The Festival of Trees, and Taste of the Town. They provide learning opportunities to the community like; Plant-a-Pizza, The Wetzel County Hall of Fame and various Historical Educational Events. They also run the Wetzel County Museum at 136 Main St in New Martinsville which you can visit between 10-4 Mon-Thurs and Noon-8PM Fri & Sat. Follow us this week on Facebook as we explore all of these events and more, and see a little bit of the behind the scenes to see what it takes to put on The Back Home Festival which begins this Friday at 6PM. Click this link for a schedule of events for the Back Home Festival.

(Back Home)

This is going to be a busy week for the Chamber. Tuesday, we have a Lunch & Learn event at noon in room 110 at WVNCC. Everyone is invited to come have some lunch and learn about some of the basics of QuickBooks. We will be offering a make your own taco salad bar at this event!

Thursday, Bombshell Hair Studio and MiaLia's Boutique will be hosting a Business after hours. Brooke and Barbara also would like to let everyone know about their "Undie Drive." They are looking for donation of NEW children's underwear to be donated to children who attend local schools who are in need. If you are going to attend this event, or if you can just stop in sometime this summer, please help them out. Everyone who donates will also be entered in a drawing to win a MiaLia's bag filled with hair care products from Bombshell, over a \$50 value!

(Taco Bar)

The Lighthouse Child Advocacy Center is offering Kennywood and Idlewild Soak Zone ticket for just \$30! This is a great chance to enjoy some summer fun and help raise money to help local children who have suffered the trauma of abuse.

(Lighthouse)

ArtsLink is still looking for people who would like to sign up for Arts in the Park on July 4th in Bruce Park. This is a great way to enjoy our awesome parks, celebrate our freedom and experience some culture. (application attached).

