

# MILTON CHAMBER NEWSLETTER

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## Membership News

We are pleased to welcome these new members to our Chamber this month.

*EDGE Academy, Michael Chamberlain, owner*  
*Toute de Suite Patisserie, David & Lisa Hines, owners*  
*Makarios Consulting-Patricia McGowan, principle*  
*Dry Zone-Burt Murray, Milton representative*  
*Quillen Signs-Teresa Quillen, owner*

## Member News

### **Beebe Medical Center receives Get With The Guidelines-Stroke Gold Plus Quality Achievement Award**

*Award demonstrates Beebe Medical Center's commitment to quality care for stroke patients*

**Lewes, DE (June 20, 2011)** Beebe Medical Center, a certified Advanced Primary Stroke Center, has received the American Heart Association/American Stroke Association's Get With The Guidelines®-Stroke Gold Plus Quality Achievement Award. The award recognizes Beebe Medical Center's commitment and success in implementing excellent care for stroke patients, according to evidence-based guidelines.

In May, in honor of National Stroke Awareness Month, the National Stroke Association increased the number of patient and hospital staff stories in its public education campaign Faces of Stroke that is located on its website, [www.stroke.org](http://www.stroke.org). One of the stories the website features is about one of Beebe Medical Center's speech/language pathologists, Holly L. Sullivan, CCC-SLP, who helped stroke patient and hospital nurse Virginia Kauffman to not only regain her ability to speak after her stroke, but to return to work as a full-time nurse. The story reflects Beebe Medical Center's commitment to stroke care, both through emergency and ongoing medical care, and to the therapy that is crucial to recovery.

According to the American Heart Association/American Stroke Association, stroke is one of the leading causes of death and serious, long-term disability in the United States. On average, someone suffers a stroke every 40 seconds; someone dies of a stroke every four minutes; and 795,000 people suffer a new or recurrent stroke each year.

Stroke is considered a medical emergency. Anyone having issues with sudden numbness or weakness of an arm or leg, slurred or garbled speech or confusion, or difficulty seeing out of one eye should immediately contact EMS at 911.

*Beebe Medical Center is a not-for-profit community medical center with a charitable mission to encourage healthy living, prevent illness, and restore optimal health with the people residing, working, or visiting in the communities we serve. For more information, please visit us online at [www.beebemed.org](http://www.beebemed.org)*

Susan L. Towers .Public Relations Specialist. Beebe Medical Center

## Milton Garden Club Annual Garden Tour- Saturday, July 9th

Be sure to support our Garden Club as they present the 12th Annual tour of beautiful Milton homes and gardens. 9 AM to 3 PM.

Tickets are \$12.00, in advance available at Antiques in Milton, 109 Union Street; Lewes Printing; Hillside Flowers on Lavinia Street; and at the Milton Farmers Market on Fridays.

Tickets will be on sale for \$15.00 the day of the tour.

## Farmers Market Flourishes in Milton-



**Every Friday 4 to 7 PM.**  
*We welcome this new addition to the Milton business scene. Folks enjoy the special offerings from our many local agriculture businesses*



## H & R Block Milton Summer Hours-

H & R Block located on the corner of Rt. 16 and Rt. 5 ( Union Street) in Milton will be open seasonally on Tuesdays from 10 am to 4 pm. For information or details, please contact representative Bruce Churchman –email:

**[bruce.churchman@tax.hrblock.com](mailto:bruce.churchman@tax.hrblock.com)**

## Free Summer Program at Milton Library

**Thursday, July 7th,** Mr Noble Prettyman will present a free program at the Milton Public Library at 6 PM on the **Milton Ice Business.** [www.milton.lib.de.us](http://www.milton.lib.de.us) for details



### Calendar of Upcoming Events

Please check the chamber website for current event updates-  
[www.historicmilton.com/events](http://www.historicmilton.com/events)

- Save the Date!-August 27**
- Bargains on the Broadkill & The Great Duck Race**
- Milton House and Garden Tour-July 9**
- Milton Historical Society Walking Tours-**
- Milton Public Library programs-**

**June Breakfast meeting at Lavender Fields** was attended by over 30 members. We welcomed our district representatives, Ruth Briggs-King and Harvey Kenton. We were pleased to get to know our state representatives from District 36 and 37. A lively Q & A session followed. New members David Hines of Toute de Suite Patisserie and Steve Ruczynski of Sobieski Services were able to enlighten us about their respective businesses. Dave provided the wonderful pastries for the meeting. Our thanks to Marie Mayor and Sharron Harris of Lavender Fields who hosted the morning meeting at their beautiful business located on Cool Spring Road. A very pleasant experience was enjoyed by all who attended.

#### Next Breakfast-September 20th 8 AM

Our next breakfast meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 20th . Watch next month's newsletter for details. Tentative location is the new Bay Leaf Restaurant located on Route 16 in Milton. Our Guest speaker will be Sharon Gray, University of DE consultant for the Small Business Administration. New business members are encouraged to attend; this should be a helpful and informative session.

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New Member Michael Chamberland has taken over the management of John Milton Books on Federal Street. The bookstore will have regular posted hours for browsers enjoyment. Michael is the owner of EDGE Academy, the Martial Arts school located on Union Street. He brings much energy to our downtown Milton business community.

Watch our newsletter for details concerning new business in town. Be sure to support our latest restaurant, The Broadkill Boathouse located on Mulberry Street

Also, Maria de Forrest of Maria De Forrest Photography is generating our facebook page. **Be sure to have a look-**  
[www.facebook.com/MiltonChamberofCommer](http://www.facebook.com/MiltonChamberofCommer)

### Prime Hook lecture series continues

Thursday, July 14 at 7 PM at the Refuge Auditorium,  
"What's Bugging You?" An Upclose look at Insects



## Horse Shoe Crab & Shorebird Festival News

### Plane Ride Raffle Winner

The winner of the Plane Ride Raffle sponsored by the Century Club and The Chamber of Commerce is Chamber Member **Donna Kosky** of Char-don Ltd. In Georgetown! Congrats to Donna. Take Pictures and send them to the newsletter! Many thanks to pilot, John Chirtea for making this possible. The raffle was an event of the Horseshoe Crab & Shorebird Festival.



The 8th Horseshoe Crab & Shorebird Festival was a great success again this year! For the 8th year the Chamber of Commerce has sponsored this educational festival along with our co-sponsors Prime Hook National Wildlife Refuge.

We thank Festival Chairman Dave and Marilyn Dutton for their work with our active committee this year. And we want to give a special thanks to all of our Chamber member businesses who gave us extraordinary support.

### OUR SPONSORS

#### Community Partners

- Town of Milton
- Milton Arts Guild
- Milton Century Club
- Mt Zion Holy Church

#### Gold Sponsors

- Delmarva Power, Irish Eyes Pub & Restaurant, Friends of Prime Hook

#### Silver Sponsors

- Judith & Don Fisher, Bob Willey & Sons, East Coast Property Management, Sherman Heating Oils, Inc., Jack Lingo. Inc. Realty, Dogfishhead Craft Brewery, Bayhealth Medical Center, Best Ace Hardware, Forever Fit Foundation, Security Instruments, Corp., Cape Gazette, Joan Martin-Brown & James Brown,

#### Bronze Sponsors

- Short Funeral Services, Inc., Lavender Fields, LLC, Clean Delaware LLC, Jeanine O'Donnell State Farm Insurance, Kings Homemade Ice Cream Shops

#### Friends

- B. Gustafson Clock & Watch Repair, Victoria's Salon, Atlantic Homes, LLC, Salon Milton

#### In Kind Donors

- John Chirtea, Casablanca Design, Bill Tobin, Milton Chiropractic, Bill Shimmel, Copyright, Inc. All of our Volunteers who did a fabulous job!

**Thanks to ALL!**





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**Save these dates!**

**Farmers Market-Every Friday 4 to 7 PM**  
Downtown Milton

**Free summer concerts at Memorial Park,**  
**Wednesdays, 7 PM**

**July 14-July Board of Directors meeting**  
**Noon-Luther Gardens**

**August 11-Board of Directors Meeting-**  
**5 PM Security Instruments**

**August 27-Bargains on the Broadkill-9 to 3**  
**Memorial Park**

**September Breakfast Meeting-September 20th**  
Small Business Administration –  
Bay Leaf Restaurant-Rt. 16, Milton- 8 AM

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**Milton Chamber of Commerce**  
**Board of Directors**

**President-Mike Clark, Security Instruments**

**Vice Pres-Vicki Sammons-Victoria's Salon**  
Great Duck Race Chairman

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Membership Chairman

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