



The Chamber Chatter Box



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PRESIDENT'S CORNER



I find it very hard to believe that my two years as the President of the Brentwood Baldwin Whitehall Chamber has come to an end! I also cannot believe how many friends I have made and how much fun I have had serving the chamber. I hope that you all have at least had some laughs with me at the

podium! You are an amazing chamber and a great, great group of people.

Thank you so much for allowing me to serve as your President for the past two years. I would also like to thank the Board of Directors and especially Mary Dilla, our chamber secretary. If it was not for the board and Mary I would not have made it through a single meeting! I know you all find that hard to believe! I hope to get the opportunity to continue to serve the chamber in the future. Please continue to support our chamber members and their businesses.

Now I will be able to sit at a table and actually network (nag you for your business). So if you get up and move when I start to sit down I completely understand!

Please have a great summer and I look forward to seeing all of you at the summer breakfast or at next year's lunches. Best of luck to all of you!

Oh yeah...look to the left and on the next page for the announcements!!!

LUNCHEON & GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

June 4, 2015

South Hills Country Club
4305 Brownsville Road

Noon

Guest Speaker

Mary Pham-Gruber, Executive Director,
Jefferson Regional Foundation

A New Community Asset: Jefferson Regional Foundation

Jefferson Regional Foundation is a grant making foundation dedicated to investing in the health and vitality of the communities served by Jefferson Hospital in the South Hills and lower Mon Valley. The Foundation was funded with \$75 million two years ago as part of the agreement when Jefferson Hospital became affiliated with the Allegheny Health Network. Its mission to improve the health and well-being of the community served by Jefferson Hospital through grant-making, education and outreach and its intention is to have long-term impact. Come and hear about the Jefferson Regional Foundation's community priorities, early grantmaking and other activities in a presentation by its Executive Director. Mary Phan-Gruber, MSW, is a social worker with three decades of experience in leading community and government programs, college teaching and nonprofit board service.

Advance reservations requested

Email Mary Dilla: secretary@bbwwchamber.com

\$20 with reservation

\$25 without reservation and non-members

BBW Chamber 10th Annual
Community Golf Day
South Hills Country Club
Monday, July 27th



\$70.00 per Person includes Green Fees & Cart

Tee Times available from 8:00AM—3:30 PM

(Tee time reservations will be confirmed via email once payment has been received.)

A member of each foursome must be a resident of Brentwood, Baldwin or Whitehall Boroughs.

Contact Mary Dilla for more information.
secretary@bbwwchamber.com

Board of Director Election

You will be electing four chamber members to serve a three-year term on the Chamber's Board of Directors at the June 4, 2015 General Membership Luncheon. The government of the Chamber and the direction of its work are vested in the Board of Directors. Please plan to attend the luncheon. *Ballots will be distributed to one representative from each chamber member organization in attendance.*

Nominees:

- Dr. Amy Burch – Brentwood School District
- Sam Dorsey – Dorsey Design
- Andrea Hulsman – Dollar Bank
- Debbie Maddock – First Commonwealth Bank
- Jennifer Scott – ManorCare, Whitehall

WOMEN'S NETWORKING LUNCHEON

June 12, 2015

Noon

South Hills Country Club

The monthly luncheon meeting of the Women's Networking of the Brentwood Baldwin Whitehall Chamber of Commerce will meet on **Friday, June 12, noon, at South Hills Country Club.** Please plan on attending and bring a friend. We welcome members and non-members. Everyone will pass out cards and brochures and present a one-minute "commercial."

This month's speaker

Nancy Shelton

Mon Yough Community Services

Nancy Shelton from Mon Yough Community Services will speak about the new trend in Healthcare to treat the "whole person" instead of individual symptoms. She will be providing resources to help with mental health substance use and developmental disability issues. You can be a part of this process. Partnering with Women-owned businesses can help to spread the word and remove the stigma of seeking help.

Lunch for Chamber Members - \$20 - Bring a friend!

Lunch for Non-Members - \$25

Display Table \$10

Please make a reservation by contacting our secretary:

Mary Dilla - secretary@bbwchamber.com

GET INVOLVED WITH THE CHAMBER!

If you would like to help with the planning and activities of the golf outing, participate in Whitehall Community Day at the Chamber booth, or work with other chamber members on future events, please join a committee by contacting Mary Dilla.

FREE JEFFERSON FOUNDATION PROGRAM

Thursday, June 11, the Foundation will host the **Jefferson Forum: Collaborating for a Changing Community**, a free day-long learning and networking conference for community organizations and leaders focused on the South Hills and lower Mon Valley. *Registration is required by June 1 at www.jeffersonrf.org. or call 412-267-6770 for more information.*

Welcome New Members

Mon Yough Community Services—Nancy Shelton
412-675-8413 sheltonna@mycs.org

2014-2015 Officers

PresidentSteve Gardiner, Eber & Associates Insurance
Vice PresidentMary Ann Laudato, Pittsburgh Asphalt
TreasurerSean Hayes DC, Hayes Chiropractic
SecretaryMary Dilla

UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE

- **June 4th** – General Meeting Luncheon/BOD Election, noon, at South Hills Country Club
- **June 6th** – Outdoor Yoga, Whitehall Library, Registration required. www.whitehallpubliclibrary.org
- **June 11th** – Jefferson Regional Foundation – Jefferson Forum, 7:45 AM – 3:00 PM, Crowne Plaza Pittsburgh South. Keynote Speaker: Dr. Karen Hacker, Director, Allegheny County Health Dept.
- **June 12th** – Women's Networking Luncheon at South Hills Country Club
- **June 12th** – Brentwood EMS Golf Outing at Victory Hills Golf Course, Elizabeth (Registration by May 29th)
- **June 12th** – Military Connections Annual Golf Outing at Birdsfoot Golf Course, Freeport PA 9 <http://www.militaryconnections.org>
- **June 17th** – Flowers by Terry floral design class, call 412-884-0800 to register
- **June 20th** – Baldwin Library presents Touch-A-Truck family event at the Baldwin Borough Building, 10 AM – 2 PM. (<http://baldwinborolibrary.org/touch-a-truck-fundraiser/>)
- **June 23rd** – Whitehall Library Fundraiser – Paints & Pour, 6:30 – 9:30 PM \$45 per person. (register: <http://paintnite.com/pages/events/view/pittsburgh/887532>)

Deluxe Cape Cod Trip presented by Baldwin Borough Public Library

September 13 – 19, 2015 – Deluxe motor coach provided by Lenzner Coach Lines! Join us as we take a motor coach trip to Cape Cod. Visit our website for details on this great 7-day trip! Please return a reservation form (found online) and a \$100 deposit to the library. Cost per person is: \$1,290 for a double. Full payment is due by July 25. Don't miss out on this exciting trip. For more information visit: <http://baldwinborolibrary.org/discover/trips/>

JULY

- **July 4th** – Brentwood Borough Parade and 5K Race
- **July 10th** – Women's Networking Luncheon at South Hills Country Club
- **July 23rd** – *BBW Chamber Summer Networking Breakfast at Gianna Via's*
- **July 26th** – Pittsburgh LadiesFest at CONSOL Energy Center, sponsored by ClickerShows (Pittsburghladiesfest.com)
- **July 27th** – BBW Chamber of Commerce Community Golf Day at South Hills Country Club

AUGUST

- **August 1** – Baldwin Community Day!
- **August 13th** – Women's Networking Luncheon at South Hills Country Club

Board of Directors

Amy Burch	Steve Gardiner	Debbie Maddock
Margie Benson	Sean Hayes	Terry Unger
Dottie Coll	Mary Ann Laudato	Virginia Weida
Christine Crompton	Randy Lutz	George Zboyovsky