



Economic News

November 24, 2010



Outdoor Power World has announced they will be coming to Brunswick.

Bill Docherty and his son Brian will be taking two of their present locations (store and warehouse) and combining them into one. They are remodeling the former Carpet and Tile Liquidators building and getting it ready for a projected February 2011 Opening.



WGA Grand Opening

David Terrill and Norman Tannhoff had their Grand Opening of their new service center in the Gateway Center. Located at 55B Pearl Road across from Highland Square, they can repair your personal or small business computer, and also do consulting for larger companies.



Dean Tada, the manager of the Brunswick store, is a Brunswick resident.

Phone - 440-499-5559

Mayor Werner helps cut the Ribbon

City Commerce and Coffee Resource Forum - December 2, 2010

Speakers from Medina County, the State of Ohio, and the City of Brunswick join in on a discussion of resources that are available to businesses in the Industrial Park.

The event, hosted by Councilman Ron Falconi and the Economic Development Department, will discuss the new fiber optic ring that is being built by Medina County; training funds available through the state; and educational opportunities.

Attention - Browns Fans



Liberty Ford - Hosts Peyton Hillis – and Channel 8

Peyton Hillis Dropped by Liberty Ford on Center Road last week. The running back has Cleveland Brown fans impressed and excited about their team.



Midpoint Campus Center - Business and Information Technology

Entrepreneurship

Growing Your Business to the Next Level – Great course for small business owners who want to grow their business but don't know where to start. www.lorainccc.edu/ceb.

Professional Business Skills:

What's In It For Me At Work?

from you and how to communicate the good work you're doing. Make going to work more inspiring than ever during this challenging economy. www.lorainccc.edu/ceb.



“Quotes” Bar & Grill -

opens in Rolling Hills Plaza.

Rich Jones invites everyone to stop by and say “hi”.

This new nightclub has unique pictures on the walls of famous people with “quotes” from them.

801 Pearl Road

2010 Medina County Business Awards

The awards recognize Medina County businesses and individuals that have achieved significant and positive results in terms of innovation, capital investment, small business enterprise, sustainability and community involvement.

All of the **126 nominees** were deserving of this honorable recognition; however, the field was narrowed to a maximum of three in each category. A panel of three judges had the difficult task of choosing the award recipients.

CORPORATE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR—COMPANY: This award honors companies of all types and sizes that make outstanding civic contributions to their communities. This award's purpose is to encourage a charitable environment and recognize creative efforts that make a difference.

Finalist from Brunswick – Buehler's Fresh Foods (3688 Center Road)

CORPORATE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR—INDIVIDUAL: This award honors the **individual** who consistently goes well beyond the minimum expectation of community service. This award honors the individual, who makes a difference; who demonstrates exceptional charitable involvement in his/her community or the county.

Finalists: Barbara Dzur, Gerspacher Real Estate Group (Barb was the award recipient)
Rob Rapp, Homestead Insurance Company (1324 Pearl Road)

CAPITAL INVESTMENT: A Medina County business with a capital investment of more than \$500,000 during calendar year 2009 that has provided a sustainable increase in revenue and/or employment or has enhanced our community's appeal by expanding, building or renovating a structure in the county.

Award Recipient - Medina Hospital a Cleveland Clinic Hospital (Center Road)

SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE: A Medina County owned/operated business with less than 50 employees and/or less than \$3 Million in total revenues demonstrating long-term commitment to sound business practices in operation, management and sustainability.

Finalists: Madd Chef's (Hickory Ridge Plaza on Pearl Road)

BUSINESS GROWTH: This award honors a Medina County company that has shown/averaged sustained growth in revenue and employment for at least five (5) years.

Finalists: Integrated Marketing Technologies (2945 Carquest Drive)

Award Recipient - Foundation Software (150 Pearl Road)

**Brunswick Area Chamber of Commerce - COSE Business Space
is now open!**

Where: Brunswick Area Chamber Offices/COSE Business Space
1434 Town Center Unit C50, Brunswick



Brunswick Area Chamber of Commerce and COSE

Oaks Family Care Center Groundbreaking

Stan and Betty Barlow are expanding the Oaks ----- by over 2000 sq. ft. at 4196 Center Road



A social service agency providing support and encouragement to fathers, mothers, teens, and those in crisis.

Pregnancy related services are offered to the community without charge.



Animal & Avian Medical

Center expanding:

Animal & Avian Medical Center is adding on 9,500 sq. ft. of space on a project worth \$780,000



New

Keller II Water Tower gets painted

The cost of the project is \$4.3 million. The new tank contains 1 million gallons, which is the same amount as the existing tank. Another tank was required to provide the same amount of water pressure to handle the expanded growth in the city. The old water tower was built in 1963



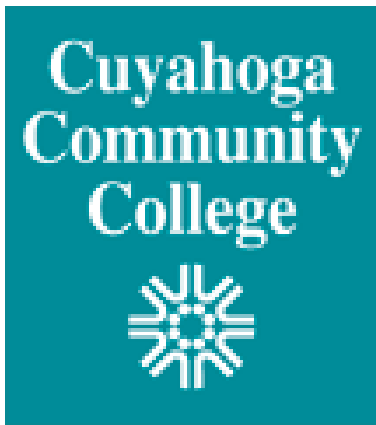
Quality Collision- Expands !

1191 Pearl Road

Dave and Deborah Kulka bought an existing building, and have updated and remodeled it to house their growing business. Starting out with just two employees, they have expanded to six and plan to hire more in the near future.

Dave is a Brunswick graduate and, with his wife Deborah, has built a successful business over the last five years.





Cuyahoga Community College

Names new Director for Brunswick College Center

COSE and the Brunswick Chamber hosted a meet and greet at their facility in Town Center, with the newly named Director, **Terri Hradek** of the Brunswick College Center. **Terri Hradek** has previous experience as Assistant Director of Extended Campus Operations for Cleveland State University West Center in Westlake, and has held various management and program coordinator roles at Cuyahoga Community College, Cleveland State University and Bryant & Stratton College. She has also been an owner of a successful business for many years. Ms. Hradek earned her Bachelor's



Degree in Communications and Business from Bowling Green State University and her Master's Degree in Education-Adult Learning and Development from Cleveland State University.

Check out this Video----- SEE - what area leaders are saying about us!

<http://www.brunswick.oh.us/Economic-Development/economicdevelopment.html>

Brunswick !

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For more information or updates check out the Brunswick Web page:

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