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## My Side of the Conversation

What does “Regionalism” really mean? How does it impact this area?

Could it mean consolidation of services and provide streamlined response time?

Does Regionalism mean joint funding to alleviate delays in infrastructure repair and improvements?

Recently a market expert described a new regional meaning for the GEM City – Government, Education and Medical. Does it mean that this part of our region has distilled itself down to specialized uses and has focused on these three areas?

Perhaps it does, and it also seems possible that the issue of the existence of the “Three C’s” has introduced itself. Cincinnati, Cleveland and Columbus have always dominated economic development conversations for the state, with Dayton coming in a trailing fourth along with Toledo.

On Thursday, June 21, our quality Metro Breakfast presenters discussed the growth of the corridor from Dayton to Cincinnati. Our speakers, Steve Stanley and Doug Harnish, both regional development experts, demonstrated the dynamics of movement to the South of us.

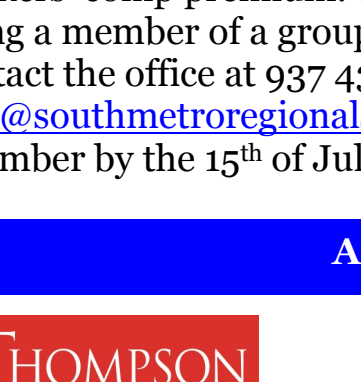
Check their presentation under the NEWS tab on our website [www.smrccoc.org](http://www.smrccoc.org). Their presentation will definitely pique your attention.

Just another example of South Metro Regional Chamber of Commerce providing you with good information.

Julia Maxton, President



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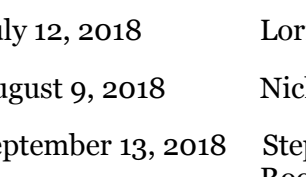


This month we are continuing our new feature called “**WHERE AM I**”. Each month we will feature a landmark or icon from one of our municipalities. We hope that you will enjoy seeing treasures of art and architecture that exemplify the history of our local area. Please feel free to contact the Chamber Office if you have any suggestions for this feature.

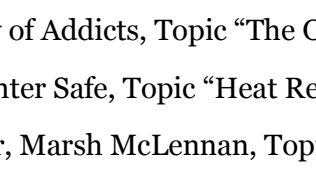
## South Metro Safety Council Enrollment

The open enrollment period for the Safety Council will be closing soon. The Safety Council is a great way to bring Ohio BWC updates and safety and hygiene best practices to your workplace. You are also eligible to earn a 2% to 4% rebate on of your workers’ comp premium. This is on top of any discount that you may be receiving for being a member of a group rated plan. For complete information and application contact the office at 937 433 2032 ext. 102 or email [info@southmetroregionalsafetycouncil.org](mailto:info@southmetroregionalsafetycouncil.org). All applications must be into the Chamber by the 15<sup>th</sup> of July.

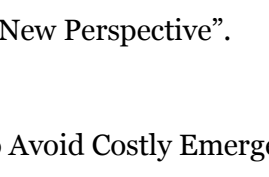
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## Safety Council Speakers and Information

All South Metro Regional Safety Council Meetings are held at Miami Valley Hospital South, Bed Tower Conference Room, and begin at 8 A.M. with networking and light breakfast. Please feel free to join us for our next meeting on July 12th. What is the South Metro Regional Safety Council? It is a means to gain pertinent information to improve safety and wellbeing in the work place. It is a way for owners and managers to improve workplace conditions. If you have 7 or more employees, you need to consider becoming part of the South Metro Regional Safety Council for 2018 – 2019. We have excellent speakers. Not only can you provide a safer work environment, but you have the ability to earn a 2% to 4% rebate of your workers’ compensation premium. The presentation begins at 8:30 A.M. To reserve your spot, email [info@southmetroregionalsafetycouncil.org](mailto:info@southmetroregionalsafetycouncil.org) or phone 937 433 2032 ext. 200.

July 12, 2018	Lori Erion, Family of Addicts, Topic “The Opioid Crisis, A New Perspective”.
August 9, 2018	Nick Seitz, Firefighter Safe, Topic “Heat Related Illnesses”
September 13, 2018	Stephen Gallagher, Marsh McLennan, Topic “Strategies to Avoid Costly Emergency Room Visits”

**You do not have to be a member of the Safety Council to attend the meetings.**

## Mark your Calendars

**Aug. 9, 2018 Safety Council Meeting, Miami Valley Hospital South**

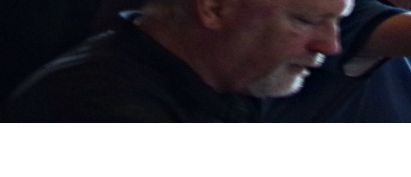
**Aug. 15, 2018 Identity Theft: How it can effect your business, Miami Township Library Branch**

**Aug. 16 2018 Metro Breakfast, “The Secret Lives of Teenagers: What you need to Know About Apps and Social Media”, Sycamore Hospital**

**Aug 16, 2018 Networking, Homewood Suites**

**Complete information on the event calendar at [www.smrccoc.org](http://www.smrccoc.org)**

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## June Events

Metro Breakfast June 21, 2018



Miamisburg Mayors

Golf Outing

Networking at the Flats At Austin Landing



## Member Spotlight



INCENTA REWARDS RIBBON CUTTING. Thanks to Dr. Warren Muth for EMCEE duties , Niraj Antani, Ohio State Representative and Dale Berry , Washington Township Trustee for their presentations.

## Member And Community Events

July 3, 2018 Centerville Americana Fireworks, Centerville High School

July 4, 2018 Americana Parade and Street Fair

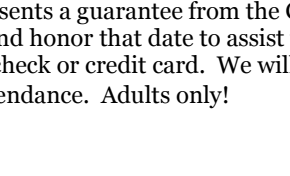
July 5th, 2018 and every Thursday Centerville Farmers Market, 892 South Main St. starting at 2:30 PM

July 8, 2018 Miamisburg Annual Ice Cream Social 5:30 to 8:30 Riverfront Park, Free Family–Friendly Entertainment

July 26, 2018 Small Business Resource Rally, Miami Township Library 7:30 to 9:30 AM RSVP Requested

## SOUTH METRO REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

### 2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS SPONSORED BY



**SAVE THESE DATES!**

#### EVENT RESERVATION POLICY

All reservations for Chamber events have a cancellation date, usually one week prior to the event (check our website at [www.smrccoc.org](http://www.smrccoc.org) or event invitation). This date represents a guarantee from the Chamber to the event facility concerning payment and commitment, no exceptions. Please be responsible and honor that date to assist this office in managing our budget. All event registrations will only be accepted IN ADVANCE by check or credit card. We will not offer payment at the door. No refunds after cancellation date or 3 days prior including lack of attendance. Adults only! **Reservations required. (937) 433-2032 x 200**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
Thursday	<b><u>Safety Council Meetings</u></b> (Improve Workplace Safety)	Miami Valley Hospital South
Jan 11, Feb 8, March 8,	Events & Programs will be held from 8-9:30 a.m. (Starts 8:30 Sharp)	(Bed Tower Entrance)
April 12, May 10, June 14,	Safety Council Members - \$15.00/ Non Safety Council Members - \$20.00	2400 Miami Valley Dr.
July 12, Aug 9, Sept 13,	Must RSVP – 433-2032 x 200	Centerville
Oct 11, Nov 8, Dec 13	Sponsored By: Miami Valley Hospital South, Hunter Consulting Co., Thompson Hine LLP, Key Ads	

Thursday	<b><u>Metro Breakfast</u></b>	
April 19, June 21,	FEATURING IMPORTANT SPEAKERS ON MAJOR TOPICS	Sycamore Medical Center (4 <sup>th</sup> Floor)
Aug 16, Oct 18	Breakfast Buffet/Networking: 7:30 a.m. Speaker: 8:00 – 9:00 a.m. \$17.00 per person /Members \$20.00 per person/ Non Members Members / Non Members - \$25.00 at door	4000 Miamisburg Centerville Rd. Miamisburg

Reservations Required. Hosted By: Kettering Health Network, Sycamore Medical Center/ Sponsored By: Caliber Home Loans, Flying Ace Express Car Wash, St. Leonard—CHL Living Community, Beacon Orthopedic, Active Electric

Monday	<b><u>Dayton Dragons Unique Outing</u></b>	Fifth Third
May 21	6:00 – End of Game – Dragons vs Lake County Contact Ryan Tuttle 937-228-2287 Ext. 109	Dayton
	Night Includes: 1 Suite/Party Deck Ticket for Game, Unlimited Food & Nonalcoholic Beverages, 2 Alcoholic Drink Tickets, A chance to win Dragons merchandise, Great Networking with Chamber <a href="mailto:ryan.tuttle@daytondragons.com">ryan.tuttle@daytondragons.com</a>	\$25.00 per person – MUST RSVP

Thursday	<b><u>Business-To-Business Showcase</u></b>	Miami Valley Hospital South
September 27	5:00-7:00 p.m. Admission: No Charge Members - \$100.00 per 6' display table ~ Non Members \$175.00 per 6' display table Call for more information - (937) 433-2032 x 100 Sponsored By: Miami Valley Hospital South Please RSVP 433-2032 x 200	2400 Miami Valley Dr. Centerville

Wednesday	<b><u>Annual Breakfast &amp; Business Awards</u></b>	NCR Country Club
October 31	7:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. <b>No payment at the door</b> Please RSVP 433-2032 x 200 Sponsored By: Hunter Consulting Co., Key Ads, Kettering Health Network, NCR Country Club, Tech2bit, Voss Auto Network, Wright Patt Credit Union, Thompson Hine LLP, Lizard Apparel & Promotions, LLC, St. Leonard—CHI Living Express Car Wash, Southern Ohio Chamber Alliance, Active Electric	4435 Dogwood Trail Kettering

#### **South Metro Chamber 2018 Business Open Houses!**

	<b><u>Business Open House</u></b>	The Flats at Austin Landing
Thursday	<b><u>The Flats at Austin Landing</u></b>	10501 Landing Way
June 28	5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Must RSVP 433-2032 x 200/ NO CHARGE EVENT!	Miamisburg 45342

	<b><u>Business Open House</u></b>	Homewood Suite
Thursday	<b><u>Homewood Suites by Hilton Dayton South</u></b>	3100 Contemporary Lane
August 16	5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Must RSVP 433-2032 x 200/ NO CHARGE EVENT!	Miamisburg 45342

	<b><u>Business Open House</u></b>	Dayton Wright Brothers Airport
Thursday	<b><u>Wright “B” Flyer Hanger</u></b>	10550 Springboro Pike
September 20	5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Must RSVP 433-2032 x 200/ NO CHARGE EVENT!	

	<b><u>Business Open House</u></b>	Tobias Funeral Home
Thursday	<b><u>Tobias Funeral Home</u></b>	5471 Far Hills Ave
October 18	5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Must RSVP 433-2032 x 200/ NO CHARGE EVENT!	Dayton 45429

	<b><u>Business Open House</u></b>	Zig Zag Gallery
Thursday	<b><u>Zig Zag Gallery (Holiday Kick Off)</u></b>	101 E. Alex Bell Rd., Ste. 172
November 8	5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Must RSVP 433-2032 x 200/ NO CHARGE EVENT!	Centerville 45459

Use our convenient reservation line – (937) 433-2032 ext 200 for quick registration

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Questions? Call 433-2032 ext 100