



POWHATAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Promoting Community, Prosperity & Integrity



Our New Location



3887 Old Buckingham Rd Suite F

This is the building exactly to the right of the County Seat Restaurant with the lovely porch on the front- *Right in the heart of "Wine Festival Country"*

Please stop by and visit!

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Big Quotes

Every man has his follies - and often they are the most interesting thing he has got.

-Josh Billings

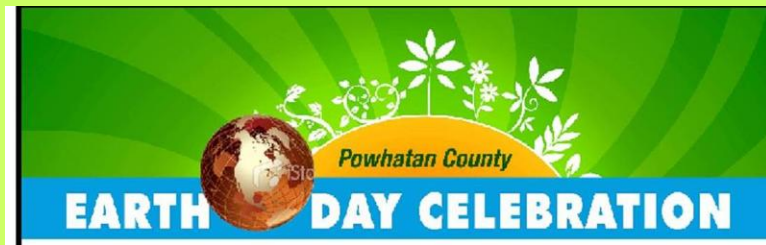
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Do your part to recognize Earth Day in Powhatan!

Saturday, April 17, 11am-1pm

On the Powhatan Courthouse Green in the Village

- Composting Demonstrations
- Earth Conscious Vendors
- Educational exhibits
- Live Music & Food
- Cell Phone Recycling (bring your old cell phones to the event for recycling)
- Aluminum Can Recycling (bring your aluminum cans to the event for recycling)
- Children's Activities
- Poster Contest Artwork Winners

Don't miss the Recycling Event on

Saturday, April 24

Electronics*, Tires and Appliances

will be collected 8am- 12noon at

Powhatan Fairgrounds *TVs-\$7 charge

For more information contact the

Powhatan Extension Office

at 804-598-5640, ext. 1

or email

chowland@vt.edu

**Brought to you by the
Powhatan 2010 Earth Day Coalition
and Sponsors**

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Powhatan County Anti-Litter Council,
Virginia Cooperative Extension - Powhatan
Office,
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Emma Powhatan County Public Schools

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4th Fridays



T.G.I.F

Bring your T.G.I.F. attitude, your kids, your friends and join us for our 1st Powhatan 4th Fridays of the season.

April 23rd

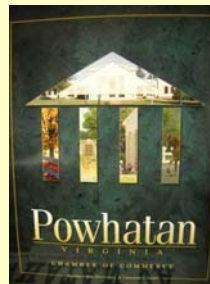
5:30-8:30

Friday Park at SouthCreek

Monacan Soil and Water Conservation District, Powhatan Tomorrow, Woman's Club of Powhatan County, Central Virginia Waste Management Authority, Capital Region Land Conservancy, Central Virginia Bank, International Dark Sky Association-Virginia, Powhatan Rotary Club, and Hot Diggity Dogs

Renewing Chamber Membership

Renewing your membership with the Chamber will keep you up to date with all of our events and keep you eligible for Chamber partnerships and sponsorships throughout the year.



Our new Directory is in the works

If you have not renewed for 2010 you will not be listed in this beautiful new Directory.

Also note the updated website is www.powhatan-chamber.org

and only current paid members are listed on the online roster.

This roster will be kept current as memberships come in.

Contact Chamber office with any questions

804-598-2636

Operation Spruce Up

Pick up Trash and Win Cash

Month-long clean up blitz runs April 1-30



\$500 will be awarded to Powhatan groups who are willing to make a difference

**2088 Carter Gallier Blvd
Powhatan VA**
powhatan4thfridays

Member Events

April 15th Chamber Luncheon 11:30am - 1pm
County Seat

April 17th Earth Day Celebration, 11-1, Courthouse Green

April 17th Hertzlers Fun at the Farm Day, 8am-2pm

April 17th Party Bus going to Richmond Chili Cookoff at RIR

April 17 Chesterfield Chamber Wine Festival
11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.-
Chesterfield County Government Complex

April 19 - 23
Administrative Assistant Appreciation Week

April 22 Earth Day Tree Planting, 12pm Admin Building

April 22 Casino Night for Leukemia Foundation - Mary Kay/Michelle Walters 6-9pm

Anril 23 Powhatan 4th

Help Keep Powhatan Beautiful and Trash Free

Based on an application process groups will be selected to pickup trash along 5 miles of a major roadway in Powhatan

Contact

**Powhatan Anti litter Council through
The Powhatan Extension Office**

598-5640 x 1

or email

chowland@vt.edu

for information and applications

Chamber Luncheon



Chamber Networking Luncheon

April 15th

11:30-1:00

Networking begins at 11:30

Lunch Buffet starts at 11:50

Meeting and Speaker begining at 12:00

**Luncheon is held in the backroom
of the County Seat Restaurant**

**Please RSVP to this email or
call 804-598-2636**

Lunch is \$8.00 per person paid at the door

April Speaker:

Charlotte Jensen of Cole James Associates

"Employer Misconceptions

That Affect Your Bottom Line"

Some of the most basic HR issues are the ones that trip up businesses the most.

The Heritage Project

The Heritage Collection is ready to be displayed and your business may qualify to participate.



Fridays 5:30-8:30pm

April 25 Powhatan Historic Bike Ride Tour/ Benefiting Free Clinic

May 22 - Celebration on the James, Belmead

Most of these events are mentioned in the newsletter. If you do not see an event and need more information please contact the Chamber office at 804-598-2636

New Members

We Love New Members

Club Z! In Home Tutoring
County Line Productions LLC

Edible Arrangements

Gregory's Grill

Hertzlars Farm and Feed Inc.

Kathy's Kopies

Lee Wayne Corp

Powhatan County Public Library

Powhatan Sports Center

Premier Dance Studio
RideFinders

Tidewater Physical Therapy

Here how to qualify:

- **Business with regular open hours (ie: 9-5 weekdays)**
- **Space in Public Area to hang pictures (not in Private area)**
- **Must be an active Chamber Member**

This is a service of the Powhatan Chamber of Commerce to drive traffic to our chamber businesses and there is no charge associated with this opportunity. The Chamber will be responsible hang and maintain the pictures.

A list of photos and map of locations housing this Heritage Project will be maintained on line at www.powhatanchamber.org.

This project is a cooperative effort between the Chamber of Commerce, Economic Development, and The Historical Society.

The Economic Development Authority of Powhatan has provided funding to help business growth and promote tourism.

The Powhatan Historical Association has also provided funding to help promote interest in the rich cultural history of Powhatan.

Photos will be hung on a first come first serve basis. Please respond quickly if you're interested in participating in the first introduction of the Heritage Collection.

[Powhatan Chamber](http://www.powhatanchamber.org)

804-598-2636

Historic Bike Tour



The Powhatan Historic Bike Tour

to benefit the Free Clinic of Powhatan

April 25th

8:00am-9:00am start at

Powhatan Village Courthouse

Register online at

www.powhatantourism.com

Come kick off the Spring cycling season in beautiful Powhatan County, Virginia. On Sunday, April 25th, Powhatan will host the First Annual Powhatan Historic Bike Tour to benefit the Free

Tri-Cities Insurance
Tye's Antique
Venetian Marble Inc
Wachovia Bank

***Welcome to
the Powhatan
Chamber***

County Seat

County Seat Restaurant
3883 Old Buckingham Rd
Powhatan, VA 23139
804-598-5000
www.thecountyseat.com

Hertzler Farm and Feed

Fun Day on the Farm



**Saturday April 17
8 am - 2 pm**

Farm Animals
(Poultry, pets & critters
for sale)
Chicken Tractors \$699
Tiger, Lion & Alpacas
on site

Fun for children
Bring your favorite
kite to fly
Wagon rides
Pony rides

Truck load Sale

Clinic of Powhatan.

The Powhatan Historic Bike Tour has three rides designed to appeal to cyclists of all abilities. The rides include a 100 mile century, a 100 Km (62 mile) metric century and a 50 Km (31 mile) half metric century. All three bike tours are on gently rolling, country roads with scenic views. Additionally, fully stocked rest stops will be provided at unique historic sites along the routes.

We look forward to seeing you !

Discover Belmead

@ Celebration on the James

*Saturday May 22nd
10 am - to 5 pm*



*Currently accepting vendors for this event.
Applications at the Chamber office
or by contacting Marilyn Catlett at
804-598-4907*

PartyBus/Countyline Productions

Richmond Chili Cook off



The Party Bus is going to
The Richmond Chili Cookoff
at the Richmond International Raceway
R.S.V.P. today to reserve your seat on the Party
Bus

\$25 per person

First 25 people get seats, so reserve your seat
today to guarantee a spot

10% Horse Feed - \$4.99

Price good thru April 30-
pick up price only

Vendors Welcome

Rain date :

Saturday April 24

R.S.V.P. to countylineproductions@hotmail.com

Pick up times and Locations:

pickup 1- Old FoodLion (Academy Rd) 10:30 am

pickup 2- New Foodlion (SouthCreek) 11:00 am

pickup 3 -TGI Fridays (Hull & 288) 12:00 noon

You must be 21 years of age and over

Antique Power Show

14th Annual Powhatan Spring Antique Power Show

2455 Academy Road Powhatan, VA

www.coalitionofpowhatanchurches.com

Saturday April 24 & Sunday April 25th

8am-6pm

The Coalition of Powhatan Churches

will be featuring

The Nelson Blanton Antique Tractor Pull & Swap Meet

(Classes A,B ,C, and Modifieds both days)

*Antique Gas engines and tractor display

*Antique Cars & Trucks by Powhatan Cruisers

*Craft Show and Flea Market

*Relay for life Yard Sale

*Silent Auction

Home Place Tractor parts - New Parts for old tractors

Children's Activities:

Sunday Church Service at 3:15

Lots of great food and baked goods

Sound provided by Dynamic DJ Jamie Timberlake

www.dynamicdjservices.com

**For More information on this event please call
804-598-4464, 804-598-4913**

NO ALCOHOL ALLOWED

Powhatan Chamber of Commerce

598-2636

***Tina Bustos Executive Director
Diane Mishico Assistant Exec. Dir.***

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