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December 4, 2017

Good Morning!

- **Tourism's Fifth Annual Festival of Trees concluded its 10 day silent auction with a successful day on Tuesday, November 21.** The event venue hosted more than 50 folks either stationed at their favorite treasure hoping to have the final bid or strategically placed around the 51 items ready to collect clipboards and determine winning bidders. A special thanks goes out to the committee, all 51 businesses that decorated and donated items for this tourism fundraiser and to our sponsors Food City, SumiRiko Tennessee, Inc., Greeneville Light & Power, WGRV 1340, The Greeneville Sun, Air Pro Heating & Cooling, MECO, Davy Crockett Travel Center and Jaron Snoeyenbos – State Farm. The dates for the Sixth Annual event have been set for November 11-20 with the location to be announced. The Committee asks you to take advantage of after Christmas sales this season and plan your entry for 2018.
- **Congratulations to Tony Bird, recipient of the J.W. Massengill Award for Distinguished Service to Agriculture and Dan & Linda Dugger, recipients of the Robert C. Austin Distinguished Service to Community Award!** The awards were presented at the 29th Annual Farm-City Banquet November 30 at the Clyde Austin 4-H Center with more than 200 guests in attendance. Many thanks to the members of the Partnership Agribusiness Committee, host of the event, and to the sponsors: George Mays, Andrew Johnson Bank, C&C Millwright Maintenance Company, Consumer Credit Union, Farm Credit Mid-America, Delfasco, Greene County Farm Bureau, Greene County Soil Conservation District, Greene County Veterinary Medical Center, Greeneville Federal Bank, Greeneville Light & Power System, Heritage Community Bank, John Deere Power Products, The Greeneville Sun, Tusculum Farm Bureau-Wayne Hughes, First Tennessee Bank and to Still Hollow Century Farm who also provided the decorations.
- **The Greene County Partnership welcomes new member: Community Pharmacy.**

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- **More than 130 reservations have already been made for the Partnership's Annual Christmas Luncheon that will be held Thursday, December 7, at 11:30 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church.** The luncheon sponsor will be Delfasco and the cost is \$20 with reservations, \$25 at the door. Special entertainment will be provided by the Tusculum College Jazz Band. Call 638-4111 or email gcp@greenecop.com to make a reservation by Monday, December 4.
- **The Greene County Manufacturing Council will meet on Monday, December 18th at John Deere Power Products.** The agenda includes a presentation on the CareerConnect program, a review of Made in Greene County, and a Lego exercise on How to improve 5S and Productivity/Learn about the 7 Wastes. Please contact Dana Wilds at 423-638-4111 or econdev@greenecop.com for more information or to RSVP.
- **Patron sponsorships are still available for the Andrew Johnson Bank Ladies' Classic scheduled for December 27 – 30 at Hal Henard Gymnasium.** The sponsorships provide two tournament passes, hospitality room privileges, and reserved seating. For more information, call 423-638-4111 or email chamber@greenecop.com.
- **Tourism and its Sports Council asks all interested businesses that would like to donate 300 items for the goody bags for the Andrew Johnson Bank Ladies' Classic, to please have them delivered to the Partnership office by Wednesday, December 6 at 2 p.m.** This does not have to be 300 of the same item. For instance, you may donate 150 pens and 150 note pads, etc. Please contact Tammy Kinser at tkinser@greenecop.com.
- **Sponsorships are available for the 2018 Monthly Membership Breakfasts.** Contact Lori Dowell at 638-4111 or email gcp@greenecop.com for more information on sponsoring one of these events.
- **The Keep Greene Beautiful Program is looking for interested individuals to serve on the KGB Advisory Board.** The board meets monthly to discuss ways to help improve our community. If you or someone you know is interested, contact Jennifer Wilder at kqb@greenecop.com.
- **Please look over the sponsorship opportunities for the 2018 events for all the departments that was sent out this month.** Please contact Lori Dowell at 638-4111 or email gcp@greenecop.com for more information or to sponsor.
- **Looking for a different gift for Christmas....**stop by the Partnership office and check out the First Baptist Church and Greeneville Cumberland Presbyterian church ornaments at a cost of \$10 each and the historic Greeneville wrapping paper that features buildings downtown for \$2 per roll.
- **Tourism's Sports Council has announced the dates for its East Tennessee Spring Sports Festival slated to take place April 19-22 at local high school ball fields, Link Hills Country Club, the Greene County Tennis Center, and the Greene County Sports Complex.** The event is designed to attract athletes ages 40 and over across the southeast in competitive play. If you are interested in supporting this event by volunteering, participating as an athlete or sponsoring the four day tournament, please contact Tammy Kinser at tkinser@greenecop.com.

Have a great week!