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July 31, 2017

Good Morning!

- **The Youth Council kickoff is August 5th and the group will be helping the Crumley House with their Polynesian Beach Party fundraiser.** This is open to all high school students. Please call Jennifer Wilder for more information or to sign up by July 31. Please contact Wilder about the Youth Council volunteering for any of your upcoming events.
- **Certified teachers in the Greeneville and Greene County school systems will have the opportunity to shop for free classroom supplies to enhance instruction in their classrooms and to promote student achievement Saturday, August 12th from 9 a.m. until noon.** We accept donations of supplies and money from individuals and companies all year. If you have any donations that you would like to donate, contact Dana Wilds at 423-638-4111 or email econdev@greencop.com . Donations may be dropped off at the Partnership.
- **Don't forget to RSVP for the August Membership Breakfast scheduled for Tuesday, August 15, at 7:30 a.m. at the General Morgan Inn and Conference Center.** Walters State Community College will be the sponsor and the cost is \$3 with reservations, \$8 without. Leadership Greene County Graduation will follow the breakfast. Please RSVP to gcp@greencop.com or call 638-4111 by Friday, August 11.
- **Mark your calendar now for the Greene County Partnership Golf Shoot-Out to be held on Thursday, September 21 at Link Hills Country Club.** Hole sponsorships are available at \$175. Call the Partnership for more information.
- **The Greene County Partnership welcomes new members: MEDTEC LLC and Greeneville-Greene County Humane Society.**

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- **Join us at the welcome reception for the new Leadership Greene County Class August 17 at 5:30 p.m. at the Greene County Partnership.** Twenty-four individuals have signed up to participate in the Leadership Greene County Class of 2018. Participants include Laura Anderson, Jessee Law Firm; Chris Boles, Greenville Light & Power; Jessica Bowers, Greeneville/Greene County EMS; Todd Collins, Parker Hannifin; Brian Cutshall, The Greeneville Sun; Erin Evans, Greeneville/Greene County Library; Mike Finchum, Greeneville Light & Power; Matt Garland, Greene County Partnership; Leanne Harkness, Laughlin Memorial Hospital; Calvin Hawkins, Greeneville/Greene County EMS; Amanda Hurley, Morning Pointe Assisted Living; Chanc Jackson, Parker Hannifin; Ginger Johnson, Takoma Regional Hospital; Collin King, SumiRiko Tennessee; Cindy Landers, First Tennessee Bank; Angela Manuel, Life Care Center of Greeneville; Casey McAmis, JD Metals; Marci Nimick, Walters State Community College; Paul Pinckley, Tusculum College; Felicia Rhodes, MEDIC Regional Blood Center; Chris Walker, John Deere Power Products; David Weems, Greeneville Fire Department; Michael Winger, American Greetings and Alexia Zatarain, John Deere Power Products.
- **Space is available for the September Member Emailing!** The deadline to submit a one-page PDF file is Friday, September 1, and the cost is \$100. This is a great opportunity to market products or businesses. Contact Lori Dowell at the Partnership for more information.
- **The Tourism Department's Fifth Annual Festival of Trees dates are set for November 12 through November 22 and will take place in the former Carolyn's Hallmark building in the Greeneville Commons.** The committee has already begun accepting applications for this event. This 10-day silent auction features items such as trees, centerpieces and wreaths decorated and donated by local businesses, churches, clubs and individuals. More than 3,000 visitors came through the festival in 2016 and enjoyed 55 items that were showcased. If you would like to participate by either donating an item or volunteering for this event, please contact Tammy Kinser at tkinser@greenecop.com or call 638-4111. Special thanks goes out to our sponsors Air Pro Heating & Cooling, Davy Crockett Travel Center, Food City, Greeneville Light & Power, SumiRiko Tennessee, The Greeneville Sun, State Farm Insurance-Jaron Snoeyenbos and WGRV.
- **The Tourism Advisory Task Force is currently putting together a Hospitality Training program for local businesses such as restaurants, hotels, historic sites, to inform and educate frontline employees on what our community has to offer tourists and locals alike.** Dollie Boyd, Director of Museum Studies at Tusculum College, has accepted the lead role of the project. Dollie, along with the Task Force, will be compiling information on all historic sites and tourism related businesses for inclusion in the program material. The Task Force's goal is to begin onsite classes in the fall. If you are interested in hosting this 10-15 minute Hospitality class for your frontline employees, please contact Tammy Kinser at tkinser@greenecop.com. There is no cost to participate and the return on your investment will be priceless.
- **Welcome back Tusculum College and Walters State Community College students, faculty and staff.**

Have a great week!!!