



# Chamber Connection

Trotwood Chamber  
5790 Denlinger Road  
Trotwood OH 45426  
[www.trotwoodchamber.org](http://www.trotwoodchamber.org)

April 2024

Rather than ask businesses to sponsor a specific event, this year Trotwood Chamber is providing sponsorship packages. Each category indicates what you will receive for sponsoring an event. Below are sponsorship packages and the various categories.

Detailed information of our scheduled events for 2024 are on our website under the "Activities Tab", click on Events Calendar". Should you want to sponsor any of these packages, please call the Trotwood Chamber of Commerce at 937-837-1484, email [mbattle@trotwoodchamber.org](mailto:mbattle@trotwoodchamber.org) or visit our website at [www.trotwoodchamber.org](http://www.trotwoodchamber.org).

## Sponsorship Packages

<b>BRONZE SPONSOR</b> - \$300 -	<b>SILVER SPONSOR</b> - \$700 -	<b>GOLD SPONSOR</b> - \$1500 -	<b>PLATINUM SPONSOR</b> - \$2000 -
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Bronze Package Recognition at all events</li><li>■ Name recognition in monthly newsletter</li><li>■ One complimentary ticket to the annual dinner</li><li>■ Sponsor Mother's Day Event</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Silver Package Name/logo at all events</li><li>■ Recognition in monthly newsletter</li><li>■ Two complimentary tickets to the annual dinner</li><li>■ Advertising on Chamber's website</li><li>■ Sponsor Mother's Day Event</li><li>■ Listed on Social Media</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Gold Package Name/logo at all events</li><li>■ Recognition in monthly newsletter</li><li>■ Two complimentary tickets to the annual dinner</li><li>■ Sponsor Mother's Day Event</li><li>■ Advertising on Chamber's website</li><li>■ Listed on Social Media</li><li>■ Sponsor Business Showcase/Job Fair</li><li>■ Sponsor Annual Dinner</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Platinum Package Name/logo at all events</li><li>■ Recognition in monthly newsletter</li><li>■ Two complimentary tickets to the annual dinner</li><li>■ Advertising on Chamber's website</li><li>■ Display banner at events</li><li>■ Four tickets to the golf outing</li><li>■ Event sponsor sign at golf outing</li><li>■ Listed on Social Media</li><li>■ Sponsor Mother's Day Event</li></ul>

"Don't say, if I could I would. Say instead, if I can, I will."

*Marie Battle, CAP*

Executive Director,  
Trotwood Chamber of Commerce

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### Newsletter Includes:

Executive Director's  
Notes  
Info News  
Mother's Day Brunch  
Benefit Info.

### Membership Renewals 2024

Brunner Literacy Center  
Nationwide Homecare

**Save the Date** Dayton Metro Library's Annual Business Resource Fair Saturday, April 20, 2024—11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Trotwood Branch Library, 835 E. Main Street, Trotwood Ohio.



Strategic Ohio Council for Higher Education

**Ohio Technology Grant:**

The Ohio Department of Development covers the employer's cost of hiring a High School IT intern 100% up to \$5000 in the form of a rebate if the student works at least 200 hours from January – September 2024 and earns at least \$12 per hour. If a student works 120 – 199.9 hours, the employer receives a 67% rebate. The student can be employed directly by the business or by SOCHE working at a hosting business (SOCHE will invoice the host business monthly for the hours the intern works). The grant permits a business to hire multiple interns and the rebate check will be sent to the hosting business in December 2024.

Sample job descriptions attached: Electrician, HVAC, Digital Graphic Design, Help Desk, Web Design and Marketing, and IT Field Support

**MVIA Grant:**

The MVIA grant is for Ohio's in-demand careers. It is designed to give students career exposure and experience. Students must be on SOCHE's payroll, per the grant. Below is a sample cost breakdown for this grant. Students can work for a total of 250 hours in order to connect with the maximum number of students.

Student Salary: \$12.00 per hour (Paid by SOCHE every two weeks for hours worked. Employer sets the hourly wage).

Employer Hourly Cost: \$8.04 per hour (valid for 250 hours, then the cost is \$16.08) SOCHE invoices the company monthly for the hours worked the previous month.

**Cost includes:**

HR services, including intern's salary, payroll taxes, insurance, worker's comp, payroll fees, and onboarding/offboarding.

Professional development opportunities for the intern.

The Trades Assistant, Plumbing, Business Operations, Accounting, and Logistics are examples of positions that qualify for the MVIA grant.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

We appreciate your support. Tell a friend, colleague, or business about SOCHE.

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TROTWOOD  
GROWING TOGETHER

***Bike Helmet Giveaway***

Saturday, May 18, 2024

10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Madison Park

301 S. Broadway, Trotwood OH

***City-Wide Garage Sale***

Thursday, June 6 to Sunday, June 9, 2024

Register with Planning & Development  
Department

***Community Movie Night***

Friday, June 18, 2024

Movie begins at DUSK

John Wolfe Park

4030 Denlinger Road, Trotwood OH



# Mother's Day Brunch

MAY 10, 2024

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

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TROTWOOD BRANCH LIBRARY  
855 E. MAIN ST, TROTWOOD, OH



TICKETS REQUIRED: \$20/PERSON

SPACE IS LIMITED, RSVP BY MONDAY, MAY 3 TO  
937.837.1484 OR [MBATTLE@TROTWOODCHAMBER.ORG](mailto:MBATTLE@TROTWOODCHAMBER.ORG)



Are your employees spending more time sitting than standing? With the rise of sedentary work and technology-driven jobs, it's easy for individuals to spend the majority of their day sitting down. But research shows that physical activity not only improves overall health but also increases productivity and morale in the workplace.

That's why the Southern Ohio Chamber Alliance recommends implementing these four methods to encourage physical activity in the workplace.

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## FOUR METHODS TO ENCOURAGE **PHYSICAL ACTIVITY** IN YOUR WORKPLACE



REDUCE SOME TECHNOLOGICAL  
COMMUNICATION



DISTRIBUTE PEDOMETERS TO  
EMPLOYEES



INSTALL STANDING DESKS TO  
ENCOURAGE WELLNESS



OFFER DISCOUNTED GYM  
MEMBERSHIPS

SOCA in partnership with Clark Schaefer Strategic HR, presented a presentation via Zoom March 25 regarding Ohio Recreational Marijuana Law. Below are links to the presentation.

**Ohio Recreational Marijuana Slides:**

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/13QIVcNjDnY425Zfe4\\_obmyVHOvPswK2d/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/13QIVcNjDnY425Zfe4_obmyVHOvPswK2d/view?usp=sharing)

**Ohio BWC Substance Abuse Slides:**

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1x2H2rHq\\_40qPLXQV48cvYYzXG-NgmJBU/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1x2H2rHq_40qPLXQV48cvYYzXG-NgmJBU/view?usp=sharing)



Know Your Customer refresh efforts are underway. As a lead-

er in the payments processing industry, U.S. Bank is committed to creating a compliant and safe environment for our customers. So it is important for us to not only satisfy regulatory requirements, but to also ensure our products and services are not facilitating unlawful activities.

As part of that effort, we are conducting a Know Your Customer (KYC)/Customer Due Diligence (CDD) “refresh” in compliance with federal banking guidelines and regulations. These laws include requirements regarding information that financial institutions must collect from customers to assist in identifying and preventing money laundering, terrorist financing and other illegal activities – and require us to periodically validate that the information we have on file for every customer is correct.

For all customers not exempt from anti-money laundering requirements, our KYC/CDD refresh is on a continual one-, three- and five-year cycle with time frames based on established customer-type risk ratings. While much of the refresh effort is behind the scenes using online data services, please be aware that a U.S. Bank representative from our KYC Outreach team may reach out to you to confirm account details such as:

- Legal Business Name
- Legal Business Address
- Tax ID (HST/GST # or Business Number)
- Tax ID Type
- Business Structure (Corporation, Partnership, Sole Proprietor, etc.)

Country of Primary Business Operation (U.S., Canada, other)

We appreciate your understanding and support of this ongoing effort to ensure the information we have for your business is accurate and to comply with these important financial regulations.

**Who do you call?**

Call Customer Care at 800-725-1243 or email [custserv@elavon.com](mailto:custserv@elavon.com) with questions about:

- Daily account activity and funding
- Point-of-sale terminal or PC product issues
- Your monthly billing statement

Contact your Customer Account Manager with questions about:

- Managing card processing for your business—
- Product and equipment information and training
- Other payment solutions or services that may be available to you.

For help setting up your talech solution, visit [talech PaymentStart](https://www.talech.com) or email [onboarding@talech.com](mailto:onboarding@talech.com). Manage all aspects of your payments online - Payments Insider. View statements, reports, file downloads and more. Securely view your account information anytime, anywhere.



Are you suffering from healthcare coverage anxiety? Symptoms include: spending your time browsing the marketplace for the best plan, second guessing your current coverage, and comparing your coverage to others.

Ditch the stress that comes with finding health coverage and make the decision easy! Sign up for the SOCA Benefit Plan as a perk of your membership. SOCA offers premium health coverage through Anthem that your employees will love.

There is too much world to explore to be worried about health coverage!

Click below to learn more about the SOCA Benefits Plan!

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