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Abel Personnel in March celebrates its 50th anniversary as a successful 2nd-generation family-owned business that continues to thrive, providing qualified and ready-to-work staff to companies and schools. Today, Abel Personnel and its three divisions – Abel Personnel, A+ Teachers and Abel Executives -- offer direct hire, tempto-hire, contract staffing, and temporary staffing solutions.

Beauty After Bruises presents their 4th Annual Party in the Park. This community event offers hand-crafted items, food, entertainment, and fun for everyone! Entry and Parking are FREE! All day bracelets are available for \$10 with additional discounts for families. Volunteers are needed for day of help for both Saturday and Sunday. If you have anytime to spare, please contact Kim at 717.461.9916 or beautyafterbruises@gmail.com

Belco Community Credit Union recently awarded \$5,000 in scholarships to help 5 student member-owners meet their higher education goals. Winners were chosen based on an essay, academic excellence, extra-curricular activities, and community service. Belco has been awarding scholarships to members for more than 25 years. The winners of the 2019 Elton "Miller" Peterman scholarships are: Kyle Putt, East Pennsboro High School; Colin Boyd, Big Spring High School; Benjamin Cook, Boiling Springs High School; Hafiza Ferhatovic, Simmons University in Boston, MA; Jenna Brobst, Lock Haven University. For more information about Belco's Scholarship Program, visit belco.org, or call 1-800-642-4482.

For the fourth straight year, Boyer & Ritter CPAs and Consultants was recognized by Accounting Today Magazine as one of the top Mid-Atlantic accounting firms – one of only four Pennsylvania firms to make the list. To learn more, visit <a href="https://www.accountingtoday.com/data/the-2019-regional-leaders-the-mid-atlantic?collection=00000169-59ea-dbd0-a3ff-59eb24d70000">https://www.accountingtoday.com/data/the-2019-regional-leaders-the-mid-atlantic?collection=00000169-59ea-dbd0-a3ff-59eb24d70000</a>.

Capital BlueCross recently held its 2nd annual Employee Volunteer Recognition program. During the event, employees were recognized for their volunteerism, dedication and contributions to local community organizations. 3 employees, Latha Thomas, Nancy Fouts and Elaine Deimler, were named Volunteer of the Year and were presented with a special award and a \$1,000 contribution to the non-profit of their choice.

Shawn J. Farr will become Central Penn College's next chief financial officer (CFO). Farr has extensive administrative and financial management experience in the public and private sectors, including higher education, K-12 school systems, nonprofit organizations and governmental agencies. For more than 15 years, he worked in the California State University (CSU) system, holding a variety of positions, including assistant director for business management at CSU, financial advisor for the office of the Chancellor, and CFO for the Foundation at CSU, Fullerton.

Every first and third Wednesday of the month from 12:00-6:00pm is Open Appraisal Day at Cordier Auctions. Stop by with your items!

Galbraith has been selected by U-Haul Co. of Harrisburg to complete extensive structural repairs and building facade improvements to their recently acquired Cameron St. location. Work will consist of demolition, repairs, and reconstruction of the aging masonry and wood framed structure. Read more here: <a href="https://gp-inc.com/news/galbraith-pre-design-set-to-renovate-u-haul-co-of-harrisburg/Galbraith/Pre-Design">https://gp-inc.com/news/galbraith-pre-design-set-to-renovate-u-haul-co-of-harrisburg/Galbraith/Pre-Design</a> also recently welcomed Zach Latchford as the newest member of the Galbraith team. He serves as Project Manager, Co-Operations Manager, and Technology at Galbraith.

Herbert, Rowland & Grubic, Inc. (HRG) is pleased to announce that

Jeffrey A. Mikesic, P.E., has been promoted to practice area leader for the firm's Transportation Group. He will have four areas of primary responsibility: vision and strategy, professional development of staff, project delivery, and business development.

JP Lilley provided all AV capabilities for the 2019 Central Pennsylvania Chapter JDRF Gala featuring a performance from country music artist Eric Paslay. To read more about the services they provided click here: <a href="http://www.jplilley.com/news/2019-central-pennsylvania-chapter-jdrf-gala-featuring-a-performance-from-country-music-artist-eric-paslay">http://www.jplilley.com/news/2019-central-pennsylvania-chapter-jdrf-gala-featuring-a-performance-from-country-music-artist-eric-paslay</a>

Junior Achievement is seeking volunteers at Harrisburg Area schools for our STEM, Financial Literacy, and Work Readiness programs. When we are looking at the one-day events scheduled within the next 30 days, we consider those events in the "Red Zone". At this point we are looking for the "Volunteers Needed" number to be on a solid descending glide path. With 127 one day events this school year we know we are going to end up with some events that, even after all of our recruiting efforts, are posing a challenge. Please contact Allison Kierce at <a href="mailto:akierce@jascpa.org">akierce@jascpa.org</a> for more info and dates that they need help filling!

Karla Lopez, former Assistant Property Manager, has recently been promoted to Property Manager at Lehman Property Managements' Harrisburg office. As Property Manager, Karla is responsible for managing daily operations with assigned properties. Karla joined the team in 2014. Also, Kara Graeff, China Scott and Sarah Gomaa have been added to the LPM team! Kara will be entering an Assistant Property Manager role at our Berks office, China will be taking on reception and other admin responsibilities at our Harrisburg office, and Sarah is our new Maintenance Coordinator. All three employees were hired in March 2019.

Medard's House is excited to bring the Amazing Sports & Activities to the West Shore. This 11-week summer camp offers parents a Full Day Summer Camp with sports, arts & crafts, and field trips. Spots are limited, reserve your space today at <a href="https://www.amazingsportsactivity.com">www.amazingsportsactivity.com</a>

Join McNees, Wallace & Nurick for their 29th Annual Labor & Employment Law Seminar on Thursday, June 6th. It will be held from 8:45am-2:45pm at The Hershey Lodge. Registration until April 30th is \$99 per person. Register here: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-labor-employment-seminar-tickets-57022957200">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-labor-employment-seminar-tickets-57022957200</a> and If you have any questions, please contact Karen Swaringen at <a href="mailto:kswaringen@mcneeslaw.com">kswaringen@mcneeslaw.com</a>.

Mid Penn Bank is pleased to announce the appointment of Julie A. Bramlitt as Financial Advisor for Mid Penn Financial Services, the wealth management and investment arm of Mid Penn Bank. In her new role, Bramlitt will be responsible for helping clients prioritize, organize and simplify their financial matters with customized financial solutions and sound money management.

NAICIR has an office space available on 3560 Gettysburg Rd in Camp Hill. It is a 1,568 second-floor walk-up office space. Four private offices, one restroom, and a kitchenette. It also boasts large windows with abundant natural lighting. Contact Ida McMurray for more information on this and other available properties at <a href="imcmurray@naicir.com">imcmurray@naicir.com</a> or by phone (O) 717.761.5070 x151 • (C) 717.443.5500

Did you know that at **New Hope Ministries**, it costs an average of \$1,000 to serve our guests at one of our six centers? Did you know your business can Sponsor A Day with us? Our programs transform lives! Your \$1,000 sponsorship will ensure that every guest has their need met in a given day. We will give your business special recognition on

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the day you choose via social media and our website. You can schedule a personal tour or group volunteer activity on your day. Visit our website at <a href="https://nhm-pa.org">https://nhm-pa.org</a> to transform lives today!

NexTier Bank is pleased to announce the expansion of the Camp Hill Loan Production Office, located at 4231 Trindle Road, to a full-service branch. The full-service branch opened, Monday, April 1st, and will host a Grand Opening for the community on May 10, 2019 from 10-2pm. Stop by for refreshments, games, and Wink 104! NexTier is banking designed for you. We are a community bank providing world class service and innovative products and services to enhance your financial services experience. We are committed to improving the communities we serve by supporting local organizations and businesses. For more information about NexTier Bank or our products and services please visit. <a href="https://www.nextierbank.com">www.nextierbank.com</a> NexTier Bank is Member FDIC. The Camp Hill location is the 29th branch for the Butler based bank.

Orrstown Bank, which is currently celebrating the 100th anniversary of its founding, recently made a series of \$100,000 contributions to support various innovative, educational initiatives throughout Central Pennsylvania. Sixty-two area non-profit organizations received funds which were distributed under Pennsylvania's Educational Improvement Tax Credit program. They also announced that local banking industry veterans Adam L. Bryner and Salvatore V. (Sal) Fazzolari have joined the company in commercial banking roles. Mr. Bryner joins the bank as Senior Vice President and Senior Regional Loan Officer, and Mr. Fazzolari comes to Orrstown Bank as Vice President and Commercial & Samp; Industrial Relationship Manager.

RKL LLP today announced that Kevin Hartman, PMP, has joined the firm as a Consultant with its Operations Consulting Practice. With more than three decades of specialized experience serving the manufacturing, service and transportation industries, Hartman helps organizations improve their performance and profitability. Stephanie J. Etter has been promoted to Chief Compliance Officer. As Chief Compliance Officer, Etter is responsible for developing and monitoring the firm's compliance program, ensuring that all activities of the firm meet regulatory requirements and acting as a liaison with legal and regulatory bodies on compliance-related issues.

Are you beginning to think about spring home improvements, planning a summer vacation or even financing college tuition for a recent graduate? Regardless of the plans, S&T Bank's Home Equity Total Line of Credit can help! Call Tiffany Rintz, Community Banking Manager at S&T Bank in Camp Hill (717-920-6801) for details on our great introductory rate and appraisal waiver up to \$425!

Susquehanna SCORE supports business development through Free Mentoring & Low-Cost Workshops. Visit in Carlisle, Hanover, Harrisburg, West Shore, York. Contact them at <a href="mailto:susquehanna@scorevolunteer.org">susquehanna@scorevolunteer.org</a> for more information on upcoming learning opportunities and ways they can help.

The Foundation for Enhancing Communities (TFEC) is pleased to announce that eight grant opportunities are now available for application: Arts for All Partnership, Children's Home Foundation Fund, Emerging Philanthropists Program, Greater Harrisburg Foundation Benjamin Franklin Trust Fund, Greater Harrisburg Foundation Upstream, The Martin M. Sacks Memorial Fund, Mechanicsburg Area Community Foundation, and The Fund for Women & Girls. Interested applicants may learn more about the parameters of each grant opportunity and TFEC grantmaking at www.tfec. org. Questions about grant eligibility may be directed to Jennifer Strechay, Program Officer for Community Investment at TFEC, at 717.236.5040 or jstrechay@tfec.org.

Marriott International has recognized High Hotels Ltd.'s TownePlace Suites - Harrisburg West as its Hotel of the Year. The TownePlace was awarded the prestigious top honor from among the more than 350 hotels worldwide. The award was announced and presented during Marriott's Annual Select Brand General Manager Conference recently held in Chicago, Illinois. To qualify for the award, eligible hotels must meet rigorous criteria, and be in the top five percent of the brand for "intent to recommend," a key measure of guest satisfaction. In addition, they must comply with strict brand inspection standards and meet top performance thresholds for revenue and show at least 10 percent year-over-year revenue growth.

**UPMC Pinnacle** West Shore Emergency Department walk-in entrance relocated to main hospital entrance on April 1, 2019. The move is to accommodate the construction project that will add 58 patient beds, allowing more space to provide world-class care close to home. In addition, the circle road around the West Shore campus will be closed near the current Emergency Department entrance. Access to the hospital, the Fredricksen Outpatient Center and Ortenzio Cancer Center will not be affected. The ambulance entrance remains open at its current location. The walking trail also remains open with modifications to the path.

The U.S. Small Business Administration announced today that Economic Injury Disaster Loans are available to small businesses, small agricultural cooperatives, small businesses engaged in aquaculture and private nonprofit organizations located in Pennsylvania as a result of rain, flash flooding that began on July 21, 2018.

The U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center (USAHEC) in Carlisle, PA is excited to announce this year's theme for our 2019 Army Heritage Days program, "Remembering D-Day," commemorating the 75th anniversary of one of the most famous campaigns of WWII. USAHEC is highlighting the anniversary with two D-Day focused lectures, displays, WWII aircraft flyover, and special programs throughout the two day event, as well as an increase in equipment and reenactors on the Army Heritage Trail. As always, Army Heritage Days, will encompass the history of the Army and the development of the American Soldier from pre-French and Indian War to current operations. Events will run both May 18th and 19th, 2019 from 9am to 5pm each day.

Join WSYP for Tuesday, May 7th, 11:30am-1pm for their Tales from the Top with Brian Breneman. As Managing Director of 1847Financial, Brian is responsible for expanding business in the Great Philadelphia region and into the Central Pennsylvania market. He has a long track record of success, both as a distribution leader and sales leader. The event will be held at Medard's House, 1120 Drexel Hills Blvd, New Cumberland, PA 17070. Also, on Wednesday, May 15th, 4:30-6pm, Unplug with WSYP at Your Place (6035 Carlisle Pike, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050) Join your fellow WSYP for a casual networking round table discussion. Feel free to bring a topic you'd like to discuss or just come and join the conversation! Food and beverages will be available for purchase. No registration required.

YWCA Carlisle is hosting week-long half-day camps for elementary and middle school campers to explore a variety of educational topics by engaging with local professionals and participating in interactive activities and projects, while maintaining a safe, fun experience for all campers. Campers will participate in a field trip relating to the theme each week, and every week will culminate in a trip to the Carlisle Community Pool. I.D.E.A. Discovery Camps, designed for elementary-aged campers, will run from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and I.D.E.A. Career Camps, designed for middle school students, will run from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Registration is first-come, first-serve, and camp capacity is capped at 15 campers per week. Please complete one registration form per child, and return to Ashley Burkett, Community Impact Manager, at YWCA Carlisle or via email at aburkett@ywcacarlisle.org. Registration is open to campers in Cumberland County.

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## 50 - 59 years

Spinnaker Property Management

# 40 - 49 years

Essis & Sons Inc. Macro

## 30 - 39 years

BBEC Inc.

# 20-29 years

Alpha Consulting Engineers Inc. Kline Law Office Simon Lever LLC West Shore Evangelical Free Church

## 10 - 19 years

Alexander Building Construction
Bethany Village
Community Networking Resources, LLC
COR Construction Services Inc
Isaac's Central Office
Jennings Auction Group
Launching Lives, LLC
LegalShield Inc.
Munn's Diamond Gallery
SSS Printing
United Concordia Dental

# 5 - 9 years

AAA Central Penn Army Heritage Center Foundation Barton & Loguidice, DPC Black n Bleu Restaurant C.S. Davidson, Inc. Chick-fil-A Dr. Brice Arndt DDS
Fairway Independent Mortgage Corp.
Flinchy's
Haller Enterprises
IFS Group
Law Offices of Michael Cherewka
Martin Communications, Inc.
Northern York County School District
PA Careerlink Cumberland County
Pixel and Hammer
Pure Water Technology

# 1 - 4 years

West Shore Surgery Center

Barley Snyder
Beauty After Bruises
Capital Region Benefits/Farmers Insurance
Financial Compass Group Inc.
Galbraith/Pre-Design, Inc.
Keystone Payroll
Precision Training Concepts
Q'd Up Audio Services, Inc.
Sue Stuart, CFRE
Summit Pointe Advisors
The Woods at Cedar Run
Traditions Mortgage, a division of
York Traditions Bank
Vantage Commercial Cleaning

# #newMEMBERS

The following new members were approved for the month of April.

# **Families United Network**

Ms. Jennifer Abel 2 Market Plaza Way, Ste 4 Mechanicsburg, PA 17055 (717) 766-5900 www.families4kids.org

Nonprofit

### Medard's House

Ms. Jeanne Troy 1120 Drexel Hills Blvd New Cumberland, PA 17070 (717) 774-2633 wwww.medardshouse.org

Nonprofit

### **NexTier Bank**

Ms. Bree Vance 4231 Trindle Rd Camp Hill, PA 17011 (717) 963-7808 www.nextierbank.com

**Financial Services** 

## Studio B Power Yoga

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www.studiobpoweryoga.com

Health and Wellness

#### The Carlisle Group

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