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Pike County Chamber of Commerce, 12455 St. Rt. 104,  
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December 2009

## Luncheon Wed., Dec. 9 ~ Business After Hours Wed., Dec. 16, 2009

### Luncheon

The Chamber luncheon will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 9 at 12:00 noon at the Grand Restaurant and Tavern in Waverly. Our speaker will be Angela S. Kinnaird, Project Manager/Deposit Group Business Development Representative for the Ohio Valley Bank. She will be speaking and giving a demonstration on the Remote Deposit Capture.

You may call in your food order the day of the luncheon. Phone – 947-7930

We are currently conducting our membership Drive. If you know a business or individual who would like to join the Chamber please let us know and we will contact them.

### Business After Hours

Our thanks to Russell Cellular, Verizon Wireless for hosting a very well attended and informative Business After Hours on Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>. There were lots of great food and prize drawings enjoyed by all.

On Wednesday, Dec. 16, Bristol Village will be hosting at the John Glenn Activity Center from 5 – 7 p.m. Chillicothe/Ross Co. Chamber of Commerce will also be having their Business After Business at Bristol with us.

### Seasons Greetings

*One of the great pleasures of the Holiday Season is the opportunity to exchange greetings with those whose friendship and goodwill we value so highly.*

*In this spirit, it is our pleasure to say "Thank You" and extend our sincere appreciation for the very pleasant association we enjoy with you.*

*May the coming year be a bright and prosperous one, and bring happiness to you and yours.*

*Chamber officers & Board Members*

### Annual Banquet

The Chamber's Annual Banquet will be held on Thursday, January 14, 2010 at the Pike Co. CTC, 175 Beaver Creek Road, Piketon, Ohio. Social hour at 6:00 p.m. Dinner 7:00 p.m.

### Photographs

Any member that has business photographs from 2009 please call the chamber at 947-7715. We are requesting photos of grand openings, celebrations, employee activities, etc. We are looking for promotional photos to highlight your business for 2009.

### New Member

EMI Consultants Inc.  
333 W. Vine St. Suite 300  
Lexington, KY 40507

## Phone Directory

The new Verizon Pike County Phone books has now been received by residents and businesses. Several members have contacted us in regard to the small size of the print (font) of the residential section. Many feel this has de-valued the use of the book and therefore affects their advertising. Upon inquiry at Verizon they said in order to make any changes in the printing of future directories it would be necessary to have feed back from those listed in the directory. Please call Verizon at 1-800-888-8448 for your input.

## Member News

On Thursday, November 19, 2009 the DOE Portsmouth Paducah Project Office presented TPMC with the VPP Star Flag.

The U.S. Department of Energy has recognized THETA Pro2Serve Management Company, LLC as a DOE Voluntary Protection Program "Star" employer. This distinction is reserved for companies who demonstrate excellence in safety leadership.

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Sam Ray Worker Health Protection Program held a Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony on November 19, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. for the early lung cancer detection program for Portsmouth Gaseous Diffusion plant workers at the USW Local 1-689 site.

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Pike County Partnership Against Domestic Violence will hold a Holiday Bake Sale on Thursday, December 10, at the Pike County Government Center lobby. Holiday-Themed baked goods and candies will be available. Profits from the sale benefit Pike County survivors of domestic violence.

## FNB Jingle Bell Residential Home Decorating Contest.

Awards for first, second and third place-awards given on best decorations representing our theme "Christmas Is".

Award for most unique decorated house regardless of theme.

Stickers will be placed on your door after judging

Entries will be judged Thursday, Dec. 17 between 6 - 10 p.m.

Registration Dead line is December 15, 2009

Call 740-947-9650 for a registration form and more information.

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## Advertise in Newsletter

The Chamber newsletter reaches 320 businesses and individuals; it is an excellent way to present your products and services to fellow members. The cost is \$75.00 and you provide the flyers. Check out the CATS brochure in this addition.

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## Please Keep Us Informed

*Many people think that the Chamber has all the information about local activities and events. Although we would like to believe this to be true....we often do not have the information from event organizers. Communications throughout the community is key to the success of the event. Knowing what is happening in your own backyard is important to your business as well. The more familiar you are with community events and other businesses and the key services they offer, the better you can serve your customers. Remember to give your information to the Chamber if you have a new service to offer or an upcoming event.*