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From: **Clemson Area Chamber of Commerce** <info-clemsonareachamber.org@shared1.ccsend.com>
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To: <rhalfacre@cityofclemson.org>

Good morning! We hope you all are safe and well. We are heartbroken for the devastating impact Hurricane Helene has left on our community. Fortunately, we have power and are open if you need to use Wifi, work from our conference room, charge your devices, or even if you just need a hot cup of coffee.

Let's rally together to support our local businesses and community members!

Our Annual Golf Tournament is just 10 days away! Do not hesitate to secure our final spots for both teams and hole sponsorships and help give back to a great cause.

Our upcoming events schedule is still on track, with a few postponements and changes. Please be sure to pay attention to those details in the newsletter!

If we can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to reach out!

Sincerely,

Chamber Staff

Upcoming Chamber Events

The clock is ticking! The Annual Golf Tournament is 10 days away!

Just 4 team spots left to fill. Don't miss your chance to compete for a cash prize for the winning team while supporting a great cause—part of the proceeds will go to the Clemson Free Clinic.

There are also 7 hole sponsorships still available, so if you or your business would like to make an impact, now is the time! Secure your spot and sponsorship today.

To sign up, please contact us at natalia@clemsonareachamber.org.

Candidate Forum for City of Clemson Mayor & Council

We will be hosting a Candidate Forum for the upcoming election for City of Clemson Mayor and City Council on October 14th! This will be an incredible opportunity to hear from the candidates who are bidding for your vote, and their goals for the City of Clemson. Please be sure to RSVP **here!**

Business After Hours with Monaghan Co. Real Estate

Our annual Business After Hours with Monaghan Co. Real Estate is set for October 17th!

From 5:30 - 7:00 PM, plan to come out for an evening filled with networking, food and beverages, and a great time!

Register **today!**

Clemson Young Professionals with Kite Hill Brewing Co.

Young professionals! Mark your calendars for October 23rd, and join us for an evening at Kite Hill Brewing Co.

From 5:30 - 7:30 PM, come out for an evening of networking with other young professionals in the area, drinks, food, and a good time!

Be sure to **register**!

Ribbon Cuttin' at Maverick Hills!

Join us in celebrating the grand opening of Maverick Hills on Thursday, October 24th!

Sip & Shop at True Orange Boutique!

Calling all women in business! Come out for an awesome evening with True Orange Boutique.

Sip, shop, and network with all the incredible women in our community!

Register **today!**

Celebrating 50 Years of The Tiger Sports Shop at The Shepherd Hotel!

Mark your calendars for this exciting evening of Business After Hours with The Tiger Sports Shop and The Shepherd Hotel!

Join us on November 14th from 5:30 - 7:30 PM at The Shepherd Hotel for networking, food, and drinks.

Open to members and the public.

Registration required. Deadline to register is 11/4!

Upcoming Community Events and Announcements

POSTPONED - Upstate Community Resource Fair

The Upstate Community Resource Fair has been POSTPONED!

The event will be rescheduled for a later date, and we will be sure to inform you once it has been set!

Story Time in the Square

We are excited to be hosting a special Literacy Awareness Event, for the 2nd year, that's all about inspiring a love for reading in our youngest community members and making a positive impact together!

We are a Rotary organization (Community Rotaract), ages 18-40 years of age, focused on creating lasting

change in the local community through service projects.

Join us on Saturday, October 12th from 10 AM - Noon on (Pendleton Town Square) In the greenery area near the Little Free Library - in front of Raines on Exchange

Pickens County Board of Disabilities and Special Needs 5 Year Anniversary!

Please join the Pickens County Board of Disabilities and Special Needs in celebrating 5 years!

Celebrations will be held at the Jericho Apartments at SWU from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM.

Parking will be at 605 Wesleyan Dr. Central, SC 29630.

Volunteers Needed for 2025 Tax Season

The United Way of Pickens County is looking for volunteers to greet, prepare taxes, and coordinate our Free File volunteer income tax assistance sites around Pickens County.

All volunteers become Certified Tax Preparers for free. Training sessions will be available in late 2024 and early

2025 in person and online. No experience necessary. Tax season is from late January through April. You can volunteer as much or as little as you like. CEUs available for accountants and financial managers seeking them.

For more information, please contact Nicole Zeiset at nzeiset@uwpickens.org or 864-850-7094 x131. Or apply online at https://www.uwpickens.org/tax-volunteers.

Save the Date! Pendleton Fall Harvest Festival

Plan to come out on Saturday, October 26th for the annual Pendleton Fall Harvest Festival! With tons of local vendors, food, and fun... be sure to also check out all of the scarecrows!

10 AM to 5 PM on Pendleton Square. See you there!

Trick or Train on Main

Bring your family and friends out for a fun-filled afternoon in Downtown Central on October 26th!

With trick-or-treating, kids games, fall activities, mini train rides, vendors, food, and more you do NOT want to miss out!

Saturday, October 26th from 1:00 - 4:00 PM.

Empathy in Action

Plan to join in on this interactive simulation event to raise awareness for those experiencing substance use disorders and mental health conditions, and to help contribute to growing an empathetic community!

October 29th, from 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM at Southern Wesleyan University.

Register **here!**

McIntosh Monster Mash

Join McIntosh Insurance & Driving School in their 1st Annual McIntosh Monster Mash!

October 31st from 6:30 - 8:30 PM.

The entry fee is $50 per company/tent. Come prepared with your best trick or treating costumes, and be sure to join in on the costume tent contest!

Rooms for Rent!

Carolina Integrative Medicine and Clemson IV Bar & Aesthetics have rooms available for rent!

Starting at $300/month, with sizes ranging between 115 - 380 sq ft.

For more information or to request a tour, please email at nroberts@cimwellnessteam.com

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