

DEVELOPING EFFECTIVE LEADERS FOR THE WORKPLACE AND COMMUNITY

DECEMBER 2024

OUR FELLOWS LEARNED TO INCORPORATE DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES



Our Fellows Class met for their November Session at the Carlisle Construction Materials Training Center. They started out the day learning about Authenticity, presented by the Class Group "Nerdy by Nature", highlighting the effect of authenticity on leadership and communities. Next they heard from Dr. Marcellus Taylor with Partnership for Better Health on Belonging followed by lunch and a tour of the Carlisle Construction Materials facility.

In the afternoon, they heard from consultant Tina Nixon, on Unconscious Bias. Through these two presentations fellows learned more about current community and personal thoughts and behaviors that challenge them to incorporate different perspectives. They are already looking forward to their last session in 2024!

JLC STUDENTS LEARNED THE IMPORTANCE OF NETWORKING & LINKEDIN



Our Junior Leadership Class met for their November session at Highmark Caring Place and had a full day of learning! They started the day with a presentation on Habit 2: Begin with the End in Mind by Coach Mike Greene of IntegrityWorks Coaching. Then Donovin Lindsay of Premier Career presented on LinkedIn, including the importance of networking, how to create their profiles, and talking about the long-term benefits of using the website.

The class completed activities with the Highmark Caring Place and Carlisle Kiwanis Club. They also heard a little bit about Harrisburg University of Science and Technology and the options that they provide in Higher Education from Kelly Griffith, Associate Director of Undergraduate Admissions, before finishing out the day. We're looking forward to learning the next habit and meeting for the last time in 2024 in December!

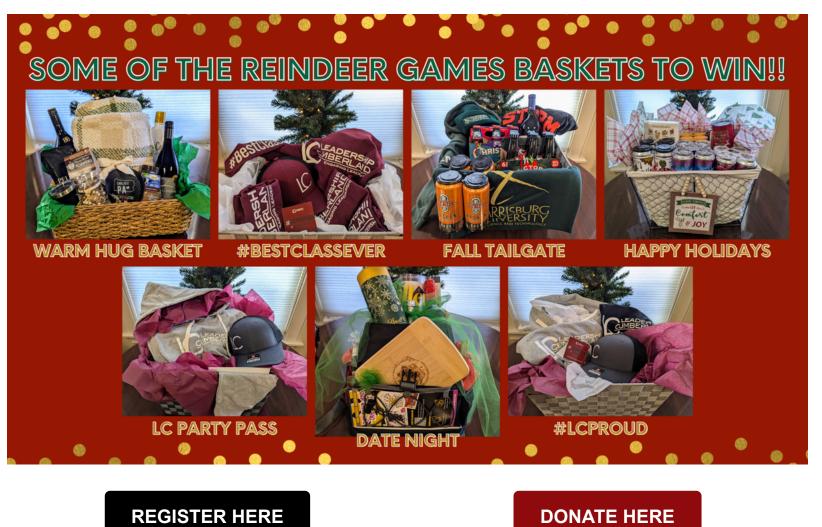
JOIN HAVE YOU SEEN THE NEW BENEFITS FOR THE MEMBERS OF OUR LC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION? CHECK THEM OUT HERE & CONSIDER JOINING!

Join your fellow alumni today and show you're <u>#LCProud</u>! Click the image above to join LCAA for only \$50 per year!

- Access to Online Alumni Portal
- Access to Recordings of Ongoing Education Webinars & Nonprofit Trainings
- Recognition in LC Annual Report & listed online as a member of LCAA
 Opportunity to be Featured on Alumni Spotlight page on our Website
- Discounted tickets to Leaders & Legends Alumni Awards
- And much more!



Join us on Zoom on **Thursday, December 12th at 7:00 PM** for our 5th Annual Reindeer Games! This FREE Alumni-Only Holiday Mixer & Fundraiser will bring LC Fellows classes together to reconnect and compete for the title of #BestClassEver. During the mixer classes will get to compete in six different categories and win the baskets below!



SAVE THE DATE FOR THESE 2025 EVENTS!



NONPROFIT BOARD OPENINGS, VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES

Do you have any Nonprofit Needs To Share?

Send them to <u>director@leadershipcumberland.org</u> to include them here in the next Newsletter!



CAHA's **Holiday Gift Basket Raffle** ends on December 6, 2024. The Holiday Gift Basket contains mostly gift certificates/cards valued at approximately \$700. The winning ticket will be drawn on Saturday, December 7, 2024 following Breakfast with Santa event held for the children of UPMC Carlisle employees. Ticket prices are one for \$2.00, three for \$5.00 and ten for \$10.00. Purchase tickets at the UPMC Carlisle Gift Shop. To see what is included in the Holiday Gift Basket, visit CAHA's Facebook page (Carlisle Area Healthcare Auxiliary).

CAHA's Holiday Plants that were ordered in late October and early November will be DELIVERED on December 5, 2024 and can be picked up at the UPMC Carlisle Gift Shop.

CARLISLE AREA HEALTHCARE AUXILIARY (CAHA) - VOLUNTEER INVITATION

The CARLISLE AREA HEALTHCARE AUXILIARY (CAHA) invites volunteers to join us as *Board Members, Committee Members, and General Members* to assist in promoting the Auxiliary's mission. CAHA is a small non-profit, volunteer-driven organization committed to promote healthcare and wellness in the greater Carlisle area through outreach, education and fundraising. Volunteer Opportunities are also available at the UPMC Carlisle Gift Shop, at the Visitors Desk and as Patient Escorts. Your time commitment may seem small but the decisions you make and the actions you take promoting healthcare and wellness in the lives of citizens will be far-reaching. Please reach out to Denise Garman, CAHA Nominating Committee Chairperson and Manager, Customer Relations/Volunteers at garmandl@upmc.edu for more information. Visit CAHA's Facebook page to learn more about CAHA's 100+ tradition of volunteer service!

CARLISLE FAMILY YMCA - TURKEY TROT 2024

The Turkey Trot is back for the 23rd year! If you are looking for a great way to enjoy family, friends and fitness this Thanksgiving, then you won't want to miss the area's premiere Thanksgiving Day race. In the past, over 3,000 participants have run, walked and enjoyed this celebratory event. The 5K run / walk starts and finishes at the Carlisle Family YMCA. In addition to the live event, participants also have the option to participate virtually. So challenge your family, your friends or your co-workers from all around the world to join you. And yes, the **GOLDEN FORKS** are back for the **TUCKEY TEAM CHALLENGE**! <u>Register Here.</u>

CARLISLE SUMMERFAIR – BOARD OPPORTUNITIES

Established in 1977, Carlisle Summerfair was the brain child of the late Wayne Powell, formerly of The Sentinel. With high gas prices, he wanted something for the families in the area to do over the Fourth of July. Our board of directors is made up entirely of volunteers from throughout the greater Carlisle area. Some represent businesses while others serve as community volunteers. Our goal is to offer free, family-friendly events around the 4th of July holiday for the Carlisle area. We want our region's families to be able to relax and enjoy activities close to home. With the generous support of many of our great business sponsors, we are able to put on over 35 events each year over about a week-long period of time that include things like baby races, a kid's carnival, mini-golf tournament, concerts, the Harrisburg Symphony concerts, open swimming pool nights, fishing derby, musical, and many other events. There truly is something for everyone. Reach out to Jennifer Love with any interest and for more information at lovej@dickinson.edu

DOWNTOWN CARLISLE ASSOCIATION - DOWNTOWN PERCEPTION SURVEY

Please take a few moments to complete this online survey about your perception of downtown Carlisle. Survey questions are not written essays, answers only require a simple rating that lies somewhere between STRONGLY DISAGREE to STRONGLY AGREE. Your feedback helps the Downtown Carlisle Association determine what areas are most important to focus on for revitalization, beautification and improvement initiatives. As an incentive, each week all survey takers will be eligible to win \$25 in LoveBucks certificates, which spend like cash at most downtown locations. <u>CLICK HERE TO TAKE SURVEY.</u>

DOWNTOWN CARLISLE ASSOCIATION - HOLLY JUBILEE

Join us on the town square for tons of free activities for kids at our Holly Jolly Jubilee! on Saturday, December 7th from 3-6 PM. There will be face painting, balloon twisting, caricature drawings, magic acts, various games, and ornament crafting. Enjoy free hot chocolate, carriage rides, and Santa Visits!

HUMANE SOCIETY OF HARRISBURG AREA PENGUIN PLUNGE

"Plunge" into the New Year with the Humane Society of Harrisburg Area. **Registration is NOW OPEN!** Celebrating its 28th year, the Penguin Plunge is a signature fundraising event to support animals in need. Participants register in advance to raise funds, then gather on New Year's Day to jump into the icy cold Susquehanna River. Hundreds more come to cheer on these animal welfare warriors! Register now, then join us for a fun day for the animals. You can fundraise and Plunge as an individual or create a team of friends, family, or coworkers. Fundraise in honor of your pet or pick your favorite pet from our shelter. Registration is \$40.00. Any individual that raises an additional \$75.00 receives an exclusive event beach towel. **Be an early bird (or Penguin): Register by December 15th and pay just \$30!**

TRI COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION - TAKE THE HATS SURVEY Help Shape the Future of Transportation: Participate in the Harrisburg Area Transportation Study! Reliable transportation is essential for connecting our community to jobs, healthcare, and education. That's why we're encouraging you to take part in the Tri County Regional Planning Commission's Harrisburg Area Transportation Study. Your input will help improve transportation options in Central PA, ensuring plans meet the needs of all residents, especially those facing challenges with mobility. Share your feedback by clicking the button below! Let's build a more connected community together! <u>Take the survey here.</u>

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