

## **March 13<sup>th</sup> update from Saline Area Chamber of Commerce**

### **Love on Local update**

The “Love on Local” initiative is moving forward. The yard signs and window decals will be delivered soon. Please make sure your dues are paid up to receive yours. You may also contact Lori at the Chamber office to make sure you get one. 734-429-4494 or [lori@salinechamber.org](mailto:lori@salinechamber.org).

### **Local Happenings**

The Salt Springs Brewery has moved up to 5<sup>th</sup> in the USA Today poll of Best Brewpub’s in the US. As chamber members let us make them #1!! You can still vote every day until the end of the month. [10best.com](http://10best.com)

lott Insurance Agency Incorporated has been recognized as an elite agency for Hastings Mutual in 2021. Hastings Mutual Insurance Company is an award-winning regional property casualty insurer serving six states in the Midwest, congratulates lott Insurance Agency Inc on its membership into the 1885 Club for 2021. Of the approximately 600 agencies contracted with Hastings Mutual, only 24 have attained this elite recognition for profitability, partnership, and production.

Join us in Congratulating them on their accomplishment!

We have decided to spot light businesses in the Saline Area, that have proven the test of time. McNaughton & Gunn has been in business for 46 years. Founded by Bob McNaughton and his four partners in 1975. They continue to create and manufacture great books. And they are currently a woman owned business. Julie McFarland is the President and the Chairman of the Board. She is a strong supporter of the Chamber. She is a former board member as well as past President. It would be great if we could get Julie to head up a Women’s Summit for SACC members. How about it Julie?

Congratulations to them and their continued success!

### **HR Excellence**

Human Resources Excellence (HR Ex) - Saline Area Chamber of Commerce

Join us to discuss topics surrounding recruiting and onboarding, with special guest Amy Cell from Amy Cell Talent.

Our time will be spent discussing best practices, obstacles, and tactics to address the issues we are experiencing around recruiting and onboarding. We will also review the current trends we are seeing today along with strategies to overcome.

Participants in the Saline Area Chamber of Commerce HR Excellence Program can register today and submit your own questions for us to discuss.

Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEtcOGrpj8sGd0KPliDOYhWNxBLiY1GaodZ>

## **Networking**

Late Lunch Tuesday @ Oscar's Sports Bar & Grill. Tuesday, March 23, 2021 from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm. Come and meet with other local business owners and get their feedback and insights. The cost is just your lunch. But space is limited due to the covid restrictions. So, please sign up with Lori @ the Chamber office. 734-429-4494 or [lori@salinechamber.org](mailto:lori@salinechamber.org).

## **Reminder of Chamber Dues**

Chamber dues are overdue. Please send your check in asap or call Lori with your credit card information. Thank you!

## **Question of the Day!**

If the Chamber offered HIPPA/Employee Rights Posters, would you as chamber members be interested in them? Please give feedback to Lori @ the chamber office.