



Wheaton & Kensington Chamber of Commerce

Upcoming Events

Wheaton & Kensington
Chamber of Commerce

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Hiring Good People is Good Business

Breakfast Mixer

**Wed, March 27, from 8 -
9:30 am**



Benefits of Hiring People with
Intellectual and Developmental
Disabilities

at **Panera Bread in Westfield Wheaton**
(upper level, near Costco, with outside entrance)
11160 Veirs Mill Road, Wheaton, MD 20902

2401 Blueridge Ave | Suite 101 | Wheaton, MD 20902

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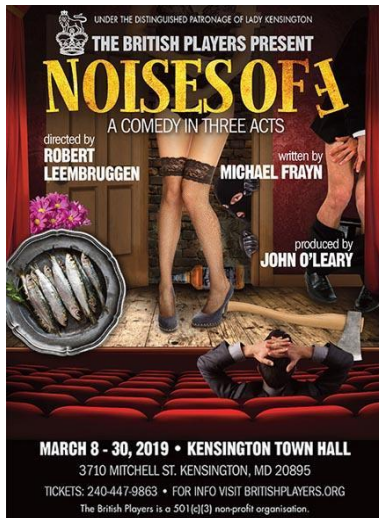


The British Players present

NOISES OFF

A COMEDY IN THREE ACTS

Thru March - 30



Written by **Michael Frayn**
Directed by **Robert Leembruggen**
Produced by **John O'Leary**

Featuring:

Heather Benjamin * James Hild * Eric Jones
Preston Meche II * Jayde Mora * Peter Moses
Brie Paris * Roger B. Stone * Liz Weber

In this comedy of errors, catastrophes and pratfalls, an English touring company carves a trail of theatrical chaos from one venue to the next.
- Observed both onstage and backstage, Frayn's play within a farce is a hilarious send-up of the hopes, aspirations and delusions of a beleaguered director and his dysfunctional cast and crew careening towards its final curtain.

[See Show Times / Purchase Tickets](#)

Call Box Office: 240-447-9863

Performances at [Kensington Town Hall](#)
3710 Mitchell Street, Kensington, MD 20895

[Visit website](#)

The British Players is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization

Health & Fitness Expo 2019
Beauty and Balance
Saturday, March 16, from 9 am - 6 pm



BEAUTY BALANCE

HEALTH & FITNESS EXPO 2019
MARCH 16 • 9AM-6PM

Join us for a one day Health & Fitness Expo hosting FREE Zumba, Yoga, Belly Dancing & Danzation classes ending with a 4 hour Transformation Dance Battle with special guest judges. Hosted by Urban Artistry, Rendezvous Social Dance & Fitness Studio and Montgomery County Police Department.

For more information, visit: westfield.com/wheaton

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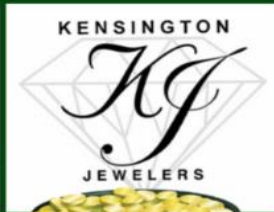
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at [Westfield Wheaton](http://WestfieldWheaton.com)

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Kensington Jewelers - St. Patrick's Day Sale - thru March 31



SALE
up to 40% OFF
ALL JEWELRY, REPAIRS, APPRAISALS
PLUS FREE WATCH BATTERY REPLACEMENT*
UNTIL MARCH 31

Print this coupon or mention **CODE: 'St.Patrick's Day'** in the store to enjoy the deal.
Effective from 03/06/2019 until 03/31/2019.

*One battery replacement (up to \$15 value). Coupon must be presented prior time items being serviced to insure best value.
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Lafayette Federal Credit Union's Business After Business Mixer

2019 Business After Business Mixer

PRESENTED BY
Lafayette Federal Credit Union



Network with DC's top business professionals and walk away with the connections, financial tools, and support necessary to elevate your employees' and business's financial success, all while you enjoy a night of ambiance, drinks, and light fare at DC's own Ivy City Smokehouse.

Each RSVP Includes:

- Entry to the mixer
- Two drink tickets
- Access to a variety of light hors d'oeuvres
- Opportunity to network with DC's top business professionals!

WHEN:
March 20th from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

WHERE:
The Tavern at Ivy City Smokehouse

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lfcubusinessmixer.eventbrite.com
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Business After Business Mixer at The Tavern at Ivy City Smokehouse
1356 Okie Street Northeast
Washington, DC 20002

Wheaton & Kensington *Chamber of Commerce*

invites you to a [Breakfast Mixer](#)

Sponsored by the Greater Silver Spring Civitan Club

Wednesday, March 27, from 8:00 - 9:30 am

Hiring Good People is Good Business

Benefits of Hiring People with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (I/DD)

There's more to hiring people with I/DD than a sense of social responsibility. Individuals with disabilities can be valuable office assets, ultimately doing far more for your company - and your customers - than you imagine.



Join us for this expert panel as we look at strategies for hiring, training and setting up employees with disabilities for success.

The panelists:

- **Daria Cervantes**, Chief Operating Officer for The Arc Montgomery County, oversees a workforce of approximately 400 staff who support about 600 children, youth, adults and seniors every day. Most recently, she secured additional funding from Montgomery County to ensure that county contracts held by The Arc pay minimum wage to people with disabilities.

- **Marie Harvey Taylor**, Project Coordinator for Training and Development in the College of Education and the Center for Transition and Career Innovation (CTCI) at the University of Maryland, College Park, where she is developing an online curriculum to teach workers in the education and the disability field to create individualized work experiences for youth with disabilities.

- **Sara Portman Milner**, Co-founder and Director of Student Services at Sunflower Bakery and Café Sunflower: "I am very passionate about the employment of people with learning differences and the benefits to businesses and other entities. It truly is a "win-win!"



Location:

[Panera Bread](#)

in Westfield Wheaton Mall / has outside entrance / 301-942-0986
(upper level, near Costco) 11160 Veirs Mill Road, Wheaton, MD 20902

Continental Breakfast ~ Mix & Network with Other Businesses

Cost is \$5 in advance or online pay / or \$10 at the door

[RSVP / Register / Pay online](#)

☐ Check ☐ Cash Total Amount \$_____ for _____Reservations

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- or return payment to:

Wheaton & Kensington Chamber of Commerce
2401 Blueridge Avenue, Suite 101, Wheaton, Maryland 20902

- Contact:

Vicky Surles, Administrator / 301-949-0080 / fax: 301-949-0081 / [email](#)

Join **One Montgomery Green** at the next
Networking Happy Hour



Thursday, March 28, from 5:30 to 8:00 pm
at

Red Maple

10110 Colesville Road, Four Corners
Silver Spring, MD 20901

~ Drink Specials, Appetizers ~ Eat, Drink and Be Green!

Join other members of the community who want to thrive in environmentally sustainable communities.

It's all about supporting local business in Montgomery County!

[View event on Facebook](#)

RSVP if you're coming! Suggested Donation to One Montgomery Green of \$10.

Wheaton & Kensington *Chamber of Commerce*

invites you to our



**35th Annual
Community
Awards
Banquet**

**Wednesday, April
24 from 6 to 9 pm**

at

Hollywood East Cafe

11160 Veirs Mill Road
Wheaton, MD 20902
Westfield Wheaton Mall
240-290-9988



Cost is \$40 in advance (by April 12); \$45 starting April 13; or \$50 at the door

~ [Download Awards Banquet flyer](#) ~

[Register on website](#)

Dressy Business/Cocktail Attire

Celebrate the connection and goodwill between citizens, businesses, schools, and public safety workers in the Wheaton & Kensington community. Help us give thanks to those receiving these well-deserved annual awards.

~ The Award Categories ~

- The Mid-County Citizen's Advisory Board Civic Association, and Citizen of the Year
- The Wheaton Urban District Advisory Committee Outstanding Business Leader Award, and Best Property Improvement of the Year Award
- The Police, Rescue Squad, and Fire Department Public Safety Awards
- Einstein, Kennedy, and Wheaton High School Teacher, ESOL Student, and Community Service Awards
- The Chamber Member of the Year Award, The Chamber Business of the Year Award, and The Chamber President's Award



The Chamber will honor Los Chorros Restaurant this year:

This "mom and pop" restaurant with authentic Mexican and Salvadorian taste and at-home feel is celebrating their 30th Anniversary this year! Their significant community contributions, and quality food and service have made them a staple since 1989 in the Wheaton & Kensington Community.

This tribute is given in recognition of the significant contributions, and quality food and service that has made Los Chorros an asset in the Wheaton & Kensington Community.

Our annual awards dinner is a hallmark event of the Wheaton & Kensington Chamber. Business leaders, community activists, residents and elected officials all come together to recognize the achievements of our honorees. [Download Awards flyer.](#)

For over 24 years, the Chamber has also recognized our area high school students and awarded monetary gifts provided by our sponsors. The Chamber has been committed to encouraging local businesses to mentor the students that become our future leaders.

[View photos from last year's 2018 Awards Dinner](#)

Awards photos courtesy of [Samuel Corum](#) / 910-554-9430

[View the Bios of last year's 2018 Award Winners](#)

Thank you to last year's 2018 Community Awards Sponsors:

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~ Sponsorship Opportunities are Encouraged and Available ~
[Download the 2019 Annual Awards Sponsorship Flyer](#)

Community Champion - \$1000
Full page ad in the event program



Company Logo and name listed in the program
Recognition at event
Reserved table for 8

Community Hero - \$500

Company Logo and name in event program
Sponsor of the Public Safety Awards
Recognition at event
4 complimentary tickets

Community Partner - \$275

Company Logo and name in event program
Recognition at event
2 complimentary tickets

Community Supporter - \$150

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Recognition at event
1 complimentary ticket

Community Advocate - \$90

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Recognition at event
1 complimentary ticket



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2401 Blueridge Avenue, Suite 101, Wheaton, MD 20902

~ [or pay online](#) ~

For more information, contact Vicky Surles, Administrator  
at 301-949-0080 / fax: 301-949-0081 / or [send email](#)

**Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser!**  
**at the Kensington Volunteer Fire Department**

**Saturday, April 27 from 5:00 - 8:00 pm**



Join Kensington Volunteer Fire Company  
for a



## ***SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER***

Saturday | April 27 | 5PM to 8PM

Suggested Donation

Station 5 Community Room  
10620 Connecticut Ave.  
Kensington, MD 20895

**\$15 FOR  
ADULTS  
\$5 FOR  
KIDS\***

\*under 12



### **Menu Includes:**

- Spaghetti & Sauce
- Italian Meatballs
- Salad
- Cookies
- Drinks

Enter a raffle to win a 2019 Season Pass to the Connecticut Belair Pool  
All donations and raffle proceeds benefit KVFD's apparatus and gear funds

Suggested donation \$15 Adult, \$5 Child under 12.

**The proceeds will help benefit KVFD's apparatus and gear funds.**

The Fire Department is at 10620 Connecticut Avenue, Kensington, MD 20895

David Contois,

Chairman of Fundraising, KVFD

[Visit KVFD website](#)

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