

2017 Taste of Grove City & Business Expo



March 15, 2017

5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**South-Western Career Academy
4750 Big Run South Road, Grove City**

Dear Business Participant,

We are very excited to kick off our 9th Annual Taste of Grove City and Business Expo! Local businesses are given the opportunity to introduce their products and services to members of the community while local restaurants, caterers, delis and other food establishments will provide samples of their food. We continue to break records with the number of business and food participants as well as attendees.

This event is open to the public for a \$8.00 admission fee. Proceeds from this event benefit the Grove City Food Pantry and the Grove City Area Chamber of Commerce.

Chamber Member Registration fee for Green Table Placement: \$125

Chamber Member Registration fee for Yellow Table Placement: \$150

(Blue Tables are for Food Participants) Non-Member Registration Fee: \$175

Chamber Members will be placed first. Accepted Non-Member businesses will be placed in any space remaining

Business Participant Registration and payment deadline is February 28, 2017.

Registrations received after February 28, 2017 will be subject to a \$50.00 late fee.

NOTE: Chamber Member Businesses requesting to be placed in the location they were in last year will be honored if possible and their application is received by February 18, 2017.

The Chamber will provide Business participants:

- Advertising and Marketing for the event
- Your business name and location on the map
- One 5' x 3.5' table w/skirt
- Electric access if requested and available
- **Admission for 2 business associates per table. Cost for each additional associate will be \$7.00**

Business Participants will provide:

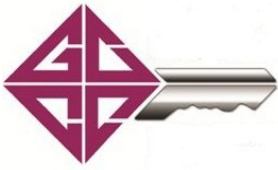
- Extension cords (if electric is needed)
- Signage for your table
- Promotional items (if you choose) for your table

Please RSVP to Marilyn Reiner, of the Grove City Area Chamber of Commerce, via e-mail to: marilyn@gcchamber.org; via fax to: 614-875-1510; or mail to: 4069 Broadway, Grove City, OH 43123.

Please call the Chamber Office at 614-875-9762 with any questions or concerns.

**Attachments: Business Participant Application
Rules and Regulations for Business Participants
Map showing placement levels**

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BUSINESS PARTICIPANT APPLICATION

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City State Zip

Primary Contact: _____ Email: _____

Phone: () _____

Type of Business: _____

Please reserve the following number of spaces: (see enclosed map)

___ \$150 per Yellow Table Placement for Chamber Members (See enclosed map)

___ \$125 per Green Table Placement for Chamber Members

___ \$175 per space for Non-Chamber Members

___ \$50 Late fee if submitted after February 25th

___ *Electric Needed*

___ *Same Space As Last Year (If possible and requisite payment submitted)*

Note: Business Participants are limited to 2 spaces.

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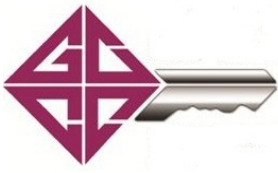
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Credit Card Information: ___ MasterCard ___ Visa

Card Number: _____ V-Code: _____

Expiration Date: _____

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Business Participant Rules and Regulations

What products are allowed and who may participate?

Generally, any Chamber member restaurant or individual may participate. Non Chamber members may participate with a higher entrance fee. Business Participants may bring non-edible promotional items such as, fliers, brochures, etc. Associates must remain at the table for the duration of the Expo.

What products are not allowed?

NO FOOD of any kind can be offered by Business Participants. Examples include but are not limited to: popcorn, cotton candy, cookies, etc. Businesses are not permitted to dispense any type of water or soda, as that is reserved for our host, South-Western Career Academy.

How do I Register?

Complete and return the application to the Grove City Area Chamber of Commerce along with your application fee by February 28th. A completed application consists of a signed copy of the Rules and Regulations, and a completed application with payment. **If you would like the space you occupied last year, please note on your application and return with requisite payment by February 18th.** Every effort will be made to place you in the same space **if possible**. Please see the attached map for location of spaces.

What is included in my fee?

The fee will reserve a guaranteed space for the day of event. Free admission for 2 of your business associates. Additional attendees will be charged \$8.00 each. You will be notified before the event where you will be located in an acceptance letter. The Chamber will provide advertising and marketing for the Expo, your name will also appear in our program, indicating where people can find you at the event. The Chamber will provide you with one 5" X 3.5' table with table skirt, and electric access if requested and available.

How are spaces assigned?

Returning Businesses who apply by established date with requisite payment will receive that space, if possible; then based on electricity needs and where our outlets are located, then spaces are assigned based on date of application acceptance.

When does the Taste of Grove City & Business Expo start?

The Taste of Grove City & Business Expo will be held on March 15, 2017 from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. **Business Participants may begin setting up at 3:00 p.m. on the day of the event but must be completed by 4:30 p.m.** Business Participants can pull up to the front door area to unload. However we ask that you park behind the Career Academy so we can open parking to our patrons.

What do I need to bring?

Business Participants must bring an extension cord if electric was requested and available, a table cloth/covering (the Chamber provides a table skirt.), promotional items for your business.

Clean up

Business Participants are required to clean their space at the close of the event. Please remove all debris, boxes, sacks, etc.

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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