

Things You Need to Know This Week February 28, 2025

Member Notice





Thursday, March 6, 5-7pm • Business After Hours | Cantina Los Agaves, 12720 Ocean Gateway Unit 7 In the Park Place Shopping Center

Join us for networking, drink specials, good food, door prizes and 50/50 raffle. Make sure to bring plenty of business cards.



Thursday, March 13, 8-9am • Coffee & Connect | Royale Roasters inside the Princess Royale Hotel, 9100 Coastal Hwy

Our Executive Director Amy will provide tips on networking productively without it feeling forced. Guest speaker is Dave Carberry, Author of Stop Networking Start Needworking.



<u>Thursday, March 20, 10am-12pm • OC Chamber Spring Open House | OC Chamber Eunice Q.</u>
<u>Sorin Visitor Center, 12320 Ocean Gateway, West OC</u>

Enjoy light refreshments, chat with OC Chamber staff and board members, learn about member benefits and advertising opportunities, and update your business profile on the chamber website. Bring updated rack cards or brochures so we can display your business in our Visitor Center!



Saturday, March 22, 12-2pm • 2025 Ocean City Job Fair | Princess Royale, 9100 Coastal Hwy.

Employers: find your next great hire! Engage with enthusiastic job seekers. Promote your business and interact with potential employees in person. Secure a prime booth location and benefit from event promotion.



<u>Tuesday, April 15, 8am-1pm • 2025 International Student Workforce Employer Conference |</u>
<u>Holiday Inn, 66th St. Ocean City</u>

Hear from U.S. Department of State, prepare with area employers and U.S. Visa Sponsors, and learn best practices for a successful Work Travel program.



We are in the final third of Maryland's General Assembly session, so our **Legislative Committee** is hard at work **tracking bills**, ensuring our community's best interests are protected.

If you hear of something problematic, or something we should put our support behind, please let me know and I'll take it to our Legislative Committee.

Community Partners Events



Sunday-Monday, March 2-3 • Ocean City Spring Trade Expo | OC Convention Center

Open to guests over 21 who are either hospitality industry buyers or their guests. The Expo unites nearly 5,000 buyers and sellers from the mid-Atlantic hospitality industry for two days of non-stop networking. Attendees can transform their businesses with exclusive insights and innovations. In addition to exhibits showcasing the newest trends, products, and services on the market, there will be educational sessions, demos, and keynote speakers.

A Welcome Party at Ocean Downs Casino on March 1 and the Restaurant Association of Maryland Awards Gala on March 2 make this the ultimate event!



Friday, March 14,10am-2pm • Town of Ocean City Charting the Course: Co-Creating a Shared Vision for Ocean City's Tomorrow | OC Convention Center

The Town of Ocean City has invited partner organizations and our members to participate in the vision for the future and offer insight into how the county and towns can be involved! Register for free at this link: Charting the Course Registration – scroll to the bottom to enter your info.

Please let us know what we can do to support your business.

Please contact the Chamber for additional information (410) 213-0144 | mychamber@oceancity.org | www.oceancity.org