



Burlington Chamber of Commerce



A message from your president

Welcome all and Happy New Year! While not the end of our fiscal year, I do want to wish all the Burlington members a happy and prosperous 2009! In 2008, we had the pleasure to welcome in 18 new members to our chamber! We hope to be able to provide many new advertising and networking opportunities to them



Mike Scheidel

and to all our members so that they may pro-

mote their businesses more affectively. As we are all aware of the current economic state, I believe it is more important now than ever to belong to your local chamber of commerce! As we begin this new year, we will be kicking off our task of revising our local telephone book which serves the towns of Burlington and

Harwinton, and selling advertisement spots. This new edition will be for 2010 – 2012 and should be available late 2009. Anyone interested in advertising in this directory should contact Allison Yudelson in the tax department at the Burlington Town Hall (673-6789).

The Nutmeg Symphony Orchestra

will be performing their children's concerts at Lewis S. Mills High School on Thursday, March 26, 2009. These back-to-back educational concerts will be performed for approximately 1500 third grade students in Burlington, Harwinton and other nearby towns. Financial support is needed, so anyone interested in

helping please call me at 673-3888 or Allison at the town hall.

As usual, if you or anyone you know would like more information about the Burlington Chamber or any of our services, please call Allison Yudelson at 673-0717, Ray Gagnon at 584-4158 or me at 673-3888. We're here to help.



No job is too big or too small

The Burlington Chamber welcomes Diversified Sweeping and Landscaping LLC to its growing membership. Owned and operated by Chris Proll, and conveniently located in the center of Burlington, Diversified handles all types of landscaping jobs including snowplowing and yard sweeping, both residential and commercial. From start to finish, from excavating to mowing, no job is too big or too small says Chris. Fully licensed and insured, Chris is ready to help you turn that mundane yard into a masterpiece! For some of the best rates in town, give Chris a call at (860) 675-1111 and don't forget to tell him you found him in the Chamber Views!



A picture perfect job

Above, Mark Ramponi with brush in hand stands ready for a day's work. Owner of Mark Ramponi Painting, Mark specializes in all aspects of home décor. Fully licensed and insured, Mark always adds a smile to your day, and with today's economy, he's easy on your pocketbook!

Whether you're looking to spruce up a particular room, or to paint and paper your complete home, Mark has the talent and expertise to make any home stand above the rest.

Remember, when you're ready, give Mark a call at 860-673-5507 and let him turn your home into a showplace for you and your guests!



Welcome to the Chamber

Pictured above, Rob Cook is congratulated as the newest chamber member during the business after hours at the GlassWorks Studio in October by Chamber President Mike Scheidel. Rob is the owner/operator of Rob Cook's Tree Service.

Fully insured, Rob specializes in tree, brush and stump removal. "No job is too big or small" says Rob. Whether you're looking to enhance the appearance of your property or just to clean up after Mother Nature, let Rob take the burden off your hands!

For recession-proof prices, give Rob a call at 860-673-4981 and don't forget to tell him, you saw his photo in the Chamber Views!



Buy a home from Gustafson

Pictured above, the Burlington Chamber welcomes Realtor Denise Gustafson, ABR, GRI. Denise has been conducting business within the Partners Realty Group of professional realtors, who have now joined William Raveis Real Estate in Farmington. For over 18 years, Denise has had the knowledge and expertise in the real estate business to help put you in that Dream home. "With interest rates so low, now is a great time to buy" says Denise. So, whether you're are in the market to upgrade, or looking to "down-size" after the kids have moved out, give Denise a call at (860) 675-4855 and let her help you find that special home today!



Another successful event

The Burlington Chamber supported another amazing business after hours in October hosted by the GlassWorks Studio. Shown above, from the left, Ray Gagnon-Bristol Chamber, GlassWorks Studio owners Paula and Peter Brink, and Mike Scheidel-Burlington Chamber take time for a group photo. The GlassWorks filled their spacious studio with members from the six area chambers to support a great night of fun and networking. The back room was also at capacity while visitors watched local artisans display their lamping techniques. You can call the Studio at 860- 673-1250 to sign up for classes anytime.

Welcome our newest members

- Rob Cook Tree Service
- Denise Gustafson ABR, GRI - Realtor
- Mark Ramponi Painting
- Northland Site Development
- Diversified Sweeping and Landscaping LLC