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# FROM JASON'S DESK

Jason Fink | President/CEO

It is already August and I'm wondering what happened to the first seven months of 2023. August brings with it a number of activities in the area; the Little League World Series, back to college for Lycoming and Penn Colleges and the start of the new school year for area students. While I enjoy all of this, it also hits me with the realization that summer is just about over. This year it will also hit me with the fact that I'll be seeing another one of my children heading off to college.

While this year's Little League World Series won't have the trappings of last year since it's the 76th Little League World Series, it will bring us something new with a team from Cuba. I'm curious to see what type of media coverage comes from their participation and am hopeful that it will be focused on the experience of the players here for the tournament.

Each year during the Series, there's always the question we get asked about the economic impact of the Little League World Series. We've done every few years an economic impact study with Little League Baseball and Penn College and will be performing one again this year. The prior studies and reports were done on the series when it was just 10 days and 16 teams. With it being the second year of the tournament expanding to 11 days and 20

teams, it's time to re-measure the impact.

As we look at the economics of the Series, it got me to consider some of the things involved in playing baseball like gloves, balls and bats. One of those items I started to focus in on was the bats since they're made out of aluminum. Having a couple of aluminum products manufacturers here in the market like Prysmian Group and Chance Aluminum, it got me looking into how aluminum is priced.

We know that the costs of necessities such as housing, gas, energy, and food have all risen drastically in the past year due to record high inflation and that every Americans and families are being hurt the most. To make matters worse, experts predict that it may be years before we see a return to pre pandemic inflationary levels. There are certain measures that the Federal Reserve Bank is taking to address it. The primary way as we all see it with the cost of accessing money through loans, is interest rates. These rate increases are hopefully slowing the rate of inflation. However there are other ways that the federal government can work to address some of the inflationary costs and that is through some of the tariffs that are in place of certain commodities. The one that I'm going to focus on is aluminum.

There are certain times that it makes sense to have tariffs in place for our country, however most of the time it only goes to drive up the consumer costs. Right now there is a tariff in place on aluminum coming in from Europe. There is no easy

legislative fix for inflation, but there is one way for lawmakers to help alleviate some of these soaring costs, and that is by removing tariffs on aluminum imports.

As a chamber of commerce based in Pennsylvania, our mission is to serve as the unified voice for the diverse businesses we represent, while advocating for job creation and greater economic prosperity for our region and the state as a whole. We are proud to support policy initiatives which will benefit our state's economy, and stand against policy which will hurt or in any way limit economic growth.

For these reasons we are calling on our Congressional delegation to support legislation this session that would repeal tariffs on foreign aluminum imports as they are actively inhibiting economic growth in our state.

Aluminum is currently trading at around \$2,400 a ton, which is a notable increase from 2018, which saw aluminum traded at \$1800 per ton on average. One of the reasons for this cost increase is that the US heavily relies on foreign aluminum imports because we do not have the geologic capability or production facilities required to produce enough aluminum to meet high demand. In fact, a study conducted by the Congressional Research Service found that the US only has the capability to manufacture around 20% of the aluminum required to keep the country and its many industries running. So in the simplest terms, we don't make enough to meet our aluminum production requirements and

need to import to satisfy our needs.

This notable price surge has increased prices in the many downstream industries that rely on a consistent supply of aluminum, many of which are key contributors to Pennsylvania's economy. A number of those are here in Lycoming County such as the previously mentioned Chance Aluminum and Prysmian Group. Manufacturing is the number one contributor to Pennsylvania's economy, contributing over \$100 billion to our state's annual GDP. Construction, another industry heavily dependent on metal such as aluminum, contributes nearly \$24 billion to our annual GDP, and supports over 300,000 jobs.

Furthermore, a report released by the U.S. International Trade Commission confirmed that the Section 232 tariffs (the specific tariffs on European aluminum) have directly increased aluminum prices and hurt downstream industries. Specifically, the report found that the Section 232 tariffs caused domestic aluminum prices to increase by 1.6%, while increasing prices in downstream industries by .2% and decreasing downstream production by .6%. Though these figures may seem small, the report showed that production in downstream industries was \$3.5 billion less in 2021 as a direct result of the tariffs.

Since aluminum related industries contribute a momentous amount to our economy and workforce, the report's findings prove beyond doubt that tariffs on

foreign aluminum only hurt Pennsylvania in the long run. Raised costs and decreased production will only lead to higher prices for consumers, and reduced profits for corporations, which may force them to lay off some of their staff.

But this issue extends far beyond just Pennsylvania, as a plethora of national industries such as transportation, automobiles, aerospace, and defense are seeing the downstream effects of increased aluminum prices while bearing the costs of these tariffs. The beverage industry in particular has been severely impacted. A study commissioned by The Beer Institute found that U.S. brewers and beverage companies have paid over \$1.7 billion in tariffs on imported aluminum, as over 74% of beer produced domestically is housed in aluminum cans or bottles.

Even the World Trade Organization found the tariffs to violate international trade laws, and found the US's rationale that the tariffs were put in place in the interest of national security to be unjustified.

That is why on behalf of the many businesses and those that they employ, we are asking Congress to repeal these costly and unnecessary tariffs. As a chamber of commerce whose sole mission is to advocate for initiatives that will strengthen our state's economy, we encourage Congress to act as soon as possible before our economic growth is further constrained.



# GRAND SLAM PARADE!

Come to Williamsport on Monday, August 14th at 5:30pm to welcome the 20 teams here for the 76<sup>th</sup> Little League World Series. Over 100 entries with plenty of entertainment will be parading the streets of downtown Williamsport. The parade runs from Susquehanna to Market Street on West Fourth Street In Williamsport. Headlining this year's parade is our Grand Marshal, Ryan Sandberg, 2005 National Baseball Hall of Fame Inductee and Chicago Cubs 2nd Baseman.

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## A JULY PM EXCHANGE...



Thank you to all who showed up for Transitional Living Center's PM Exchange on July 13. They did a great job in pulling it together. Thanks to Crazy Tomato for letting them utilize their property, Acme BBQ Co. for the delicious food, Any Event for the tables, chairs, and tent, and Rosko's Brew House for the beverages.

## LEADERSHIP LYCOMING ANNOUNCES...

### CLASS OF 2024 AND OPERATING COMMITTEE

The Selection Committee of Leadership Lycoming chose 25 participants to represent the Class of 2024. The Leadership Lycoming Operating Committee (LLOC) is proud to announce the following class members, who will begin the program year with Opening Retreat, this September:

**John Armstrong**  
Transitional Living Centers, Inc.

**Ann Baker**  
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**Samantha Tompkins**  
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**Abdul-Malik Walker**  
Kollective Wellness

**Karley Welsh**  
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The Leadership Lycoming Operating Committee begins their new year with new and returning committee members:

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# RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONIES!



**The Newsroom Grill & Spirits**

The Newsroom Grill & Spirits, at 454 Pine Street, celebrated their grand opening during Williamsport First Friday! The rain held off for a gathering at the Tiki Hut with the owners, Brion & Carmella Harlan; the Newsroom staff; and community supporters.



**Garner Behavior Services**

Garner Behavior Services at 138 Catawissa Avenue, Williamsport is a 1:1 aba therapy center with facilities in Lycoming and Union Counties. They provide intensive therapy for young children with Autism. Congratulations to Dr. Garner and her team on their wonderful therapy center.



**ModWash Laundromat**

ModWash Laundromat, located at 324 Broad Street, Montoursville, celebrated their grand opening with a ribbon cutting and open house. Their services include: commercial wash & fold service with pickup and delivery; a 1-minute rinse cycle to clean the washing machine before you wash your clothes; large washers and dryers for bedding, curtains, clothing, etc.; open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. (from l to r) Amy Alexander, Williamsport/Lycoming Chamber of Commerce Membership Committee; David Miele; Owners, Adria Miele & Michael Miele with their children; Monica Miele.



**Homewatch CareGivers of Williamsport**

Kirk Fisher, Owner of Homewatch CareGivers of Williamsport, celebrated a ribbon cutting with his staff & community supporters at their downtown location; 460 Market Street, Suite 109, Williamsport. The home care organization offers home health care services; home care assistance for the elderly or disabled; companion, personal, and complex care.

# FEATURE MEMBER

## White Deer — a recreational asset for area

By **MIKE REUTHER**  
Sun-Gazette correspondent

Tucked away off Route 15 in Clinton Township is a vast lush green landscape, the setting for a recreational complex featuring two 18-hole golf courses, a driving range, a full-service restaurant, a pro shop, and other amenities.

So far in 2023, White Deer Golf Course is having a banner year, thanks to favorable weather, including a mild winter that brought people to the links.

“We had 1,600 rounds of play in January and February,” White Deer Golf Course General Manager Justin Dahin said. “We are usually snow-covered those months. That led to a good spring.”

He feels it really should come as no surprise that White Deer, set amidst the hills of rural Pennsylvania, attracts so many golfers.

Overall, about 52,000 combined rounds of golf are played on either the Heritage and Vintage courses each year.

Among the golfers are Alan and Vickie Morgan of Williamsport who were out on the links on a recent sunny July morning.

“We are members,” Vickie said. “We golf two or three times a week.”

Vickie said White Deer is a nice complex for golf and noted the improvements that have been made.

“In the last two years, we did bunker and drainage projects,” Dahin said. “There are always things to be done.”

A golf course, he noted, is a work in progress with mowing and other groundskeeping.

Owned by Lycoming County, White Deer is operated by Troon Golf, which provides management



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**A golfer lines up a shot at White Deer Golf Course. The public recreational complex is open to the public seven days a week.**

services to more than 750 golf courses as well as other amenities. Troon in 2021 acquired Indigo Golf Partners, the company formerly known as Bill Casper Golf which had previously managed White Deer.

Chris Strand, regional manager for Troon, reported to Lycoming County Commissioners in November that the golf complex is in good financial position.

“It’s a good asset for the area,” Commissioner Rick Mirabito said.

“Especially in light of it being a public facility.”

Dahin said for now the goal is to continue marketing and improving the facilities while making White Deer available to golfers and the organizations and businesses which use it for charitable events and outings.

Near the finishing holes of the Heritage and Vintage courses can be found Mulligan’s Restaurant and Lounge, a casual dining spot for golfers to enjoy a bite to eat or

a drink after a round of golf and enjoy the view of the well-manicured grounds outside.

“The restaurant is fairly busy throughout the week,” Dahin said.

Like many golf courses, White Deer offers different golf leagues — men’s, women’s, mixed, and retirees — which operate Monday through Thursday. High school golf teams also make use of White Deer.

Other features of White Deer include a foot and disk golf course, a putting practice area, and the Four

Seasons building, a venue that groups can rent out for different events.

For those looking to learn the game of golf, lessons are offered at White Deer.

Dahin emphasized that White Deer is a public golf facility that is available to all skill levels.

The facility, which employs about 70 people, is open seven days a week and year-round as long as the weather is favorable for golfing.

## Kollective offers health, safety courses for people, businesses

By **JASON HAHN**  
Sun-Gazette Correspondent

When Kollective Wellness opened in 2020 Abdul-Malik Walker, owner, sought to fill a void in the Williamsport and surrounding communities for health and safety training services. Three years later and a pandemic later, they are training people from West Virginia to Philadelphia and Rochester to Baltimore.

Walker and longtime friend, Anthony Kidd Jr. started Kollective Wellness in the historic Pajama Factory because area residents were no longer able to become American Heart Association certified at the hospital and the closest place for training was Harrisburg.

“We tried to become a community resource so people didn’t have to drive all the way to Harrisburg,” Walker said.

And what started as a mission to help people become American Heart Association certified branched out into American Red Cross certifications where they became the organization’s training partner of the year in 2021 and 2022 with the highest rating and highest volume.

Kollective Wellness provides occupational health and safety services to businesses and organizations with seven local instructors and more in Philadelphia. The comprehensive list of services include: HSI - workplace safety; CPR and first aid safety program development; mental health first aid; diversity, equity and inclusion; workplace violence and active shooter courses; workplace safety audits and more. They also offer babysitting first aid courses for students as young as 11 years old and Girl Scouts looking to earn their badge.

If you’re an employer looking to have your staff certified and trained, Kollective Wellness can have your courses custom fit for you from their list of trainings depending on your business’s specific needs.

The small class sizes are also a benefit to students and Walker says that, “Our



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### The staff of Kollective Wellness provide CPR training to Calvary Bible Fellowship Church in Shamokin.

courses are 50 percent more hands-on and 40 percent shorter.”

Walker said he really enjoys working with school districts so parents know “when they send their kid to school they’re going to come back in the same shape.

Since opening Kollective Wellness, Walker says he learned a lot about leadership.

“Focusing on leadership is a topic to revisit every day. Performing this leadership role, being more intentional about leadership is something we instill at

Kollective. That was the biggest switch that turned on for me.” And leadership is something he said he wants to instill in the people he and Kollective Wellness trains.

What’s next for Kollective Wellness? They plan on releasing a few health and safety products and a children story series helping kids understand some first aid tips. And although they service an almost 250-mile radius, they are still fulfilling their mission of providing a local service to the community.

Walker says growth is always the

objective because the more people you can train, the more people you can save and health and safety courses go past the workplace.

“I approach every class like students aren’t just filling a requirement. I’m teaching skills that may quite well save a loved one. Data supports that people are more likely to save someone at home than at work.”

Kollective Wellness is located at 1307 Park Ave Suite 9-210S appointments can be made at their website, [kollectivewellness.com](http://kollectivewellness.com), or calling 570-360-8188.

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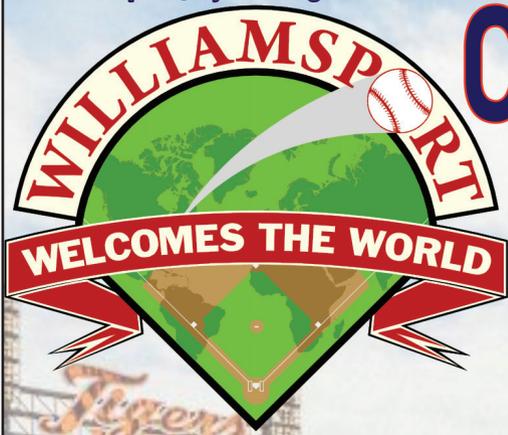


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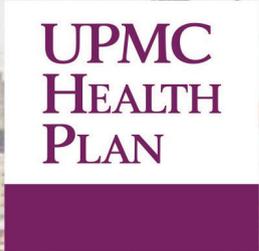


# Championship Luncheon



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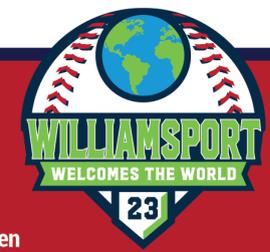
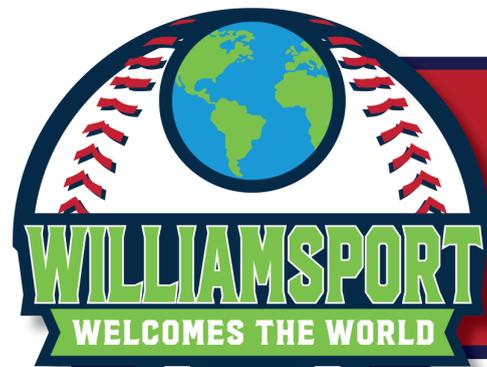
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# Member Renewals

Received between June 23, 2023 and July 26, 2023

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### Ribbon Cutting & Open House: Rosko's Brew House

Saturday, August 5, 2023 | Ribbon Cutting: 4:00 pm | 601 Pine Street, Williamsport  
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Live music by Sean Farley at 7pm

# THE 34TH ANNUAL CHAMBERLINKS GOLF OUTING

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2023

WHITE DEER GOLF COURSE

REGISTRATION 7:30AM - TEE OFF 8:30AM

RAIN DATE: TBA



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 \_\_\_\_\_ Flag (\$750) \_\_\_\_\_ Tee (\$250) \_\_\_\_\_ Foursome Only (\$500) \_\_\_\_\_ Individual (\$125)

Names of Foursome: (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Check Enclosed (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

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Return to: Williamsport/Lycoming Chamber of Commerce, 102 W. Fourth St., Williamsport, PA 17701 Fax: 570-321-1209

**PLEASE NOTE:** No cancellations will be permitted after September 11, 2023

## CHAMBER MEMBERS...

New Business? Have you moved to a new location? Coming up on a business anniversary or have something to celebrate?

Participate in a

# FREE RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY!

Contact Taryn Hartle for more information at **570.320.4209** or email [thartle@williamsport.org](mailto:thartle@williamsport.org)

## REVOLVING LOAN FUND

The Industrial Properties Corporation, Williamsport/Lycoming Chamber of Commerce and the City of Williamsport are committed to assisting small businesses with their economic development projects. From building renovations, expansion/working capital to equipment purchases, the Revolving Loan Program can provide the finances you need to increase business and ensure economic prosperity.

### APPLICATION CRITERIA

The Revolving Loan Fund is available to:

- Individuals, corporations, limited liability companies, & non-profit organizations
- Gross sales less than \$1,000,000 annually or employ fewer than 50 individuals
- Place of business or significant amount of business in Lycoming County
- Start-up enterprises, expansion of existing business, or relocation of business to Lycoming County

For more information please contact:

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# Grand Slam Breakfast

## UPMC HEALTH PLAN

Presented by:

### with HOF 2nd Baseman Ryne Sandberg

Tuesday, August 15, 2023

Genetti Hotel, 200 West Fourth Street, Williamsport  
Breakfast 8:00 AM • Program begins at 8:30 AM



The Williamsport/Lycoming Chamber of Commerce and its Lycoming County Visitors Bureau invite you to join us as we mark the start of the Little League World Series® with our annual *Grand Slam Breakfast*. This event culminates in a highly engaging question and answer session with the Grand Slam Parade Grand Marshal, Hall of Fame and Chicago Cubs 2nd Baseman Ryne Sandberg. Williamsport Crosscutters Gabe Sinicropi will be emceeing the event. WNEP will also cover the breakfast for broadcasts later that day. Time permitting, questions from the audience will be fielded.

\*Note that any autographs are at the discretion of Ryne Sandberg and requests may not be fulfilled by him.

**Legends Suite Seating for 8:**  
**Dugout Box Seating for 4:**  
**General Admission Seating:**

**Chamber Member \$150**      **Other \$200**  
**Chamber Member \$90**      **Other \$110**  
**Chamber Member \$25**      **Other \$30**

Game Day Sponsor



# UPMC

Register by calling 570-326-1971 or online at [www.williamsport.org](http://www.williamsport.org)



# Chamber Member Discount

*Working to meet the needs of our members*

Chamber Member Discounts are exclusive offers available to Chamber members and their employees. The discounts are offered by members, for members.

They run year-round with no expiration!

Take advantage of all 18 benefits including reduced price health insurance, car care services, office supplies, advertising, construction, cell phone accessories and more.



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## ANOTHER JULY PM EXCHANGE...

The Residence Inn by Marriott, located at 150 W. Church Street, downtown Williamsport, hosted fellow chamber members at their PM Exchange. The extended stay hotel hosted tours of their newly renovated facility. Guests relaxed in the courtyard and enjoyed catered food and drinks by The James.



Pictured, Left to Right: **Dana Irvin**, General Manager, Residence Inn; **Samantha Barbour**, Sales Manager, Residence Inn; **Jennifer Rempe**, Membership Development & Retention Committee, Williamsport/Lycoming Chamber of Commerce.

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## Jersey Shore Area Chamber of Commerce Picnic Registration

Chamber Members, enjoy a relaxing evening of food & drinks under the pavilion at the Nippenose Tavern

Tuesday, September 12, 2023  
5:00pm-7:00pm

Nippenose Tavern  
6391 Route 654 Hwy  
South Williamsport, PA 17702



**\$20.00 Registration**  
Includes:

A picnic-style buffet & one drink ticket valued up to ten dollars (Cash Bar Available)  
Call (570) 326-1971 to register

