



It's Happening in Rochester

ROCHESTER OPERA HOUSE SHOWS

May 8 – May 10 - You're A Good Man Charlie Brown

For more information or tickets, visit www.rochesteroperahouse.com or call the box office at 603-335-1992.

GRANITE STEAK & GRILL ENTERTAINMENT

April 24 - Chris Way

April 25 - Matt Gelinis

All shows are played from 7-10pm downstairs in Smokey's Tavern. For more information, call 603-330-3100 or visit

www.granitesteakandgrill.com.

THE GOVERNOR'S INN EVENTS

May 9 - Dueling Pianos

May 10 - Mother's Day Buffet

For more information on these events, call 603-332-0107 or visit www.governorsinn.com.

GARY'S RESTAURANT & SPORTS LOUNGE ENTERTAINMENT

April 25 – The Ride

For more information, call 603-335-4279 or visit www.garys-rsl.com.

CHAMBER SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

The Chamber has scholarships available to graduating high school students. Student must be employed by or have a parent employed by a GRCC member business to be eligible to apply and must be planning to attend a full-time college, university or technical school. For complete guidelines and scholarship application, visit www.rochesternh.org. The deadline to apply is April 24th.

COMMUNITY EXPO – MAY 7

The Chamber invites you to attend Rochester's Community Expo on Thursday, May 7 at the Rochester Ice Arena from 5-7pm. This event is open to the public and features 70 businesses and organizations showcasing their products and services in a trade show format. Local restaurants and caterers will be on hand offering tasty samples, and great raffle prizes will be drawn throughout the evening. For additional information, visit www.rochesternh.org.

ROCHESTER MAIN STREET

April 25 - Author's Fair at the Rochester Public Library from 10am - 2:30pm

May 2 - Free Comic Book Day from 10am - 4pm – Visit www.jetpackcomics.com for information.

June 3 - Wine in the Gardens from 5pm - 7:30pm – Visit www.rochestermainstreet.org for information.

SOCIAL MEDIA STRATEGIES FOR BUSINESS BREAKFAST SEMINAR – MAY 15

The Chamber will present a Social Media Strategies for Business breakfast seminar on Friday, May 15 at The Governor's Inn from 7:30-9:30am. Lisa Landry of Savvy Workshop will show attendees which social media avenue can best serve your business and how to incorporate social media into your marketing strategy. The cost to attend is \$20 for Chamber members, \$35 for non-members. To register, call 603-332-5080 or visit www.rochesternh.org.

ROAD RACE – MAY 30

The **Rochester Child Care Center** is sponsoring their first road race on Saturday, May 30th! Walkers are welcome and everyone is encouraged to get sponsors and participate. The cost to register is \$20 per person and the first 200 registrants will receive a free t-shirt. Registration forms are available at the Rochester Child Care office or online by visiting www.rochesterchildcare.org.

WIN \$10,000 OR A NEW HARLEY-DAVIDSON MOTORCYCLE!

Win \$10,000 cash or a 2015 Harley-Davidson FXDL103 in the annual Chamber Raffle! Only 325 tickets will be sold at \$100 each. Each ticket **ADMITS TWO** to attend the *"It's Time for Some Football"* Chamber Raffle Bash, underwritten by D.F. Richard Energy, on August 14 at The Governor's Inn from 6:00pm – 10:00pm. Tickets are on sale now. Call 603-332-5080 or visit www.rochesternh.org.

ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT & CLAMBAKE – JUNE 2

Register soon for the Chamber's 41st Annual Golf Tournament and enjoy a great day of golf, prizes and food on Tuesday, June 2 at the Rochester Country Club. A clambake dinner following golf will take place at The Governor's Inn catered by Foster's Downeast Clambake. The cost to participate is \$140 per player and includes greens fee, carts, soda, hot dogs, hors d'oeuvres, prizes, clambake dinner and goody bag. Call 603-332-5080 or visit www.rochesternh.org to register.

SPRING FLING – JUNE 5

The Homeless Center for Strafford County presents their Annual Spring Fling on June 5 at The Governor's Inn from 6-9pm. The evening will feature both live and silent auctions, great food and entertainment. All proceeds raised will directly benefit the Homeless Center for Strafford County. For more information, visit www.homelesscenterforstraffco.org.

WINGS AND WHEELS – JUNE 13

The annual Wings and Wheels event, hosted by the Rochester Police Department, will take place on June 13 from 10am - 2pm. The event will feature free plane rides for children, helicopter rides, live entertainment, displays and exhibits, games and more! Admission is a non-perishable food item that will be collected for Gerry's Food Pantry. For additional information, call 603-335-0011 or visit www.rochesterwingsandwheels.com.

FESTEVENETS OF NEW ENGLAND has put together a spectacular line-up of sensational Festivals at the Rochester Fairgrounds Tri-City Arena that will keep you entertained all season long!

June 26-28 Phantom Gourmet's BBQ & Music Festival

July 25-26 Parrot Head Festival of New England

Aug. 1-2 The Ultimate Tribute Band Music Fest

Aug. 8-9 Home Grown Music Fest

Oct. 10,11 Rocktober Fest

Vendor Applications and additional information are available online at www.festeventsne.com.

