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## Events and Information October 1, 2010 Edition

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### Upcoming Events

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For a listing of all  
**UPCOMING AVON CHAMBER  
EVENTS**  
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### Featured Member Benefit

#### **RECRUIT A NEW MEMBER PROGRAM**

Did you know that by simply recruiting one new Avon Chamber member you can substantially reduce your own dues for a period of one year?

It's easy - simply **sponsor a  
New Avon Chamber**

## Morning Business Network Connection



Join us for our OCTOBER 2010

### Morning Business Network Connection

**This Coming Wednesday!!!**



This group provides an excellent opportunity to network with other Chamber members and guests in a more intimate setting. All attendees have the chance to briefly introduce themselves and their business. So stop by, promote your business, and exchange ideas and referrals. Be sure to bring plenty of business cards!

**NEW!** At the conclusion of the networking portion of this event, a different Avon Chamber member will be featured and have the opportunity to offer a 3 Minute Presentation. A new member will be drawn each month - *you must be present in order to be considered!*

October's Presenter is [Beth Markowski-Roop](#) of:



The value you need. The service you deserve.

ALSO...



**We are collecting NON-PERISHABLE FOOD each month at this event that subsequently will be given to the Avon Food Bank. Please consider bringing a donation**

**Member.** Once their application is complete and their dues are paid in full, the next time you are billed you will see your own dues reduced by the amount of the new member's dues for the ensuing year.

To learn more about this great new benefit click on the link [Avon Chamber Recruit A New Member Program](#)

Questions? call Lisa at the Chamber office.

To see **ALL THE BENEFITS** your Avon Chamber has to offer [CLICK HERE](#)



**What's Happening with the Members**

**CELEBRATE OCTOBER - SUPPORT YOUR FELLOW CHAMBER MEMBERS**

**SHOP & DINE LOCAL!!**

**The Chamber now offers Pet Insurance!**



**Thank You to Our Corporate Sponsors**

**October 2010 Morning Business Network Connection**

hosted by **Cosi**

385 West Main Street/Route 44, Avon  
**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6**  
8:30AM-9:30AM

Members - FREE, First-Time Guests - FREE

**Business After Hours**



**OMA'S PRIDE**

Join us for our OCTOBER 2010  
**Business After Hours**  
(as of this email **50 spaces remain**)

This event will provide you with delicious ideas for all your entertaining needs now, during the upcoming holidays, and right on through the new year. The food that will be served is just a sampling of the reasonably priced offerings available every week at the Miller Foods store. Your pet's desire for good tasting meals will also be satisfied by the wholesome natural foods and treats offered by Oma's Pride.

Because the venue for this event is the home of the Miller-Stevens family, *attendance is limited to 100* - So sign up early and be one of the lucky ones to taste the hospitality of Miller Foods and Oma's Pride!

**October 2010 Business After Hours**

hosted by **Miller Foods**  
**Oma's Pride**

308 Arch Road, Avon  
**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13**  
5:00PM-7:00PM

**RESERVATION REQUIRED by MONDAY, OCTOBER 11**

Members - FREE, Non-Members - \$20

The Bloomfield Chamber cordially invites members of the Avon Chamber to participate in their upcoming Business Expo  
Click on the image below for more information or to register



1. Go to [www.chamber-rx.com](http://www.chamber-rx.com)
2. Click **ADD EMPLOYEE** button, then Select your **Avon Chamber**
3. Fill out your information and print your card



CHAMBER INSURANCE TRUST HEALTHCARE  
REFORM SUMMARY

The first of the healthcare reforms have recently taken effect. Click on the image above to view a timeline of other key employer-related provisions of the new legislation scheduled to take effect in 2010 and 2011

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**Program**

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**Simsbury Bank, Robin DiNicola, 27 Dale Road, Avon, CT 06001 860.676.2265 [rdinicola@simsburybank.com](mailto:rdinicola@simsburybank.com)**

This and many other offers are available to Avon Chamber members and their employees as part of our **ACBD (Avon Chamber Business Discounts) Program**. In order to take advantage of this or any of the other discounts available **YOU MUST HAVE AN ACBD Card!** Cards are available at all Chamber events or you may contact the Chamber office.

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