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Dear Friends,

Thank you to the Aston Business Association for arranging the Business Card Exchange at Barnaby's on Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup>. There was a good turn out by both Associations'. Looking forward to working with them again.

Guy Gardner, the new President of Williamson Free School, who was to be our speaker at the November 18<sup>th</sup> luncheon, has a conflict and will not be able to attend. We are trying to reschedule him for our March 10, 2010 breakfast meeting at Williamson. Delaware County District Attorney G. Michael Green has agreed to fill in as our guest speaker. Mr. Green will present a program on preventing financial and identity theft from within your business and how to recognize the threats that small businesses face. As many of you read the newspapers and watch the news, fraudulent activity, especially non-profits, is a major concern. Please invite any business owner to attend.

We still have one open board position. If you are interested in making this two year commitment please contact me. Elections will be held at our November luncheon. This is a great opportunity to get involved with a great team.

Neumann University will be hosting our Christmas luncheon on Wednesday, December 9<sup>th</sup> in the McNichol room at noon. You will be receiving invitations next month in the mail. Please save the date for a wonderful afternoon of good food, pleasant company and a little trivia!

If you have something about your business that you would like to share with all of our members, please post them on the on our website, [www.mtbpa.org](http://www.mtbpa.org) under "Member Announcements". Let us know what you're doing. Also, please check the website for luncheon meetings and any updates that become available.

See you on Wednesday, November 18<sup>th</sup> at the Penn State Brandywine. Bring a friend. All are welcome!

Sincerely,  
*Helene*