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Spring greetings from the Economic Development Department of Prince George County. Thank you for taking a moment to open our e-Newsletter. We hope you find this publication informative, timely and interesting. Please feel free to contact the office should you have any idea for future articles. We hope everyone has a safe and Happy Memorial Day Weekend!

2013 Global Logistics Forum



Virginia's Gateway Region will host a forum on global logistics on Tuesday, May 14, 2013 at Virginia State University. Tailored to small and medium-sized businesses, this event will include an overview of logistics in Virginia. There will also be a discussion led by the U.S. Department of Commerce's U.S. Commercial Service. Interactive work-sessions will focus on specific industry.

"Don't miss this opportunity to help your business adapt to the new economy. Reserve your spot today!"

Virginia's Gateway Region's
2013 Global Logistics Forum
May 14, 2013, 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Virginia State University

Contact: Carolyn Wren at cwren@gatewayregion.com or 804-732-8971 for more information.



Mark Your Calendar.

Access the County's *Calendar of Events* to see a listing of key dates and upcoming events in and around the County.

[Calendar Link](#)

Economic Development and Tourism Strategic Plan

The proposed Economic Development and Tourism Strategic Plan will be presented to the Board of Supervisors on June 11, 2013 during the 5:00pm worksession. MAI (Management Analysis, Inc.) has been contracted to revise this plan, which was last updated in 2007. A representative of MAI has been in the County interviewing residents and business owners. It's not too late to be heard. Please contact Jeff Stoke at (804) 722-8612 or jstoke@princegeorgeva.org if you would like to be interviewed.



Crosspointe Centre Update

Rolls-Royce has begun construction of structural steel on the new 90,000- sq. ft. Advanced Airfoil Machining Facility. The \$136 million dollar facility will produce turbine blades and nozzle guide vanes for advanced aero engines used in the Boeing 787 Dreamline, Airbus 380 and Airbus 350. The project is scheduled to be completed by the end of 2013 and create 140 new jobs. In addition, 17 acres have been cleared for site pad preparation and 23 acres will be cleared by the end of May for site pad work by Harlan Construction. A total of four (4) site pads will be marketed to future Rolls-Royce supply companies. The remaining West Quaker Road construction for this industrial park will be publically bid in this Spring and completed in 2013.

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The Boys Of Summer



The 2013 travel league baseball season continues in Prince George County. The next tournament is scheduled for May 25 & 26. The "Memorial Day Tournament" will feature teams made up of 8U to 18U players. Games will be played on fields throughout the County. Take in a game over the holiday weekend and be treated to some of the best baseball around!

For a list of upcoming tournaments to be hosted in Prince George, as well as area amenities, please visit the Sports Tourism web page on the County's web site by clicking [here](#).

Key Dates and Upcoming Events:

- May 4, 2013 - Community Day/Run Against Drugs/Gang Awareness Day - Scott Park - 8:00am to 2:00pm
- May 4, 2013 - Prince George County Baseball & Softball Opening Day, JEJ Moore Middle School - 9:00am
- May 9, 2013 - Roundtable: Business "Ask The Expert" Forum - CPDC Board Room - 1:00 to 2:30pm
- May 11, 2013 - Prince George County Farmers' Market, Opening Day - Scott Park Pavilion - 8:00am to 12:00pm
- May 11, 2013 - Disputanta Fire Department Annual Golf Tournament - Dogwood Trace Golf Course - 12:00pm
- May 15, 2013 - Prince George Ruritan Club Steak Feast - Scott Park Pavilion - 4:00 to 7:00pm
- May 18, 2013 - Prince George Master Gardeners' 7th Annual Plant Sale - P.G. Heritage Center parking lot - 8:30am to 12:30pm
- May 18, 2013 - Prince George County Relay For Life - Prince George Football Stadium - 6pm to 6am (Sun)
- May 23, 2013 - Crater Small Business Development Center: "Social Media" - CPDC Board Room - 2:00 to 3:30pm
- May 27, 2013 - Memorial Day Observance - County Offices Closed
- May 30, 2013 - Crater Small Business Seminar: What It Takes To Start A Small Business -

CPDC Board Room - 3:30 to 5:00pm

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