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The business events season is in high gear, and your Chamber is focused on providing the finest event experiences ever. The network building opportunities, in particular, have never been better!

On Thursday, April 14th, we're back at the PPL Center for The Lehigh Valley Commercial Real Estate Outlook & Awards. This year, we have arranged for attendees to receive parking passes, and the sound and lighting have been enhanced to ensure all the great seats.

Then there's the Buy Lehigh Valley Business Expo on Wednesday, April 27th featuring the return of the Lehigh Valley Legends Panel (see ad on page __).

Thursday, April 28th tees up golf season at the Easton Phillipsburg Golf Classic at Morgan Hill. The Board of Governors/Krajsa Cup Tournament at Brookside Country Club is a little later on Monday, May 23rd.

There is something for everyone in May, which brings a variety of outstanding events, including the Bethlehem Chamber Annual Dinner & Awards on Wednesday, May 4th (May The Fourth Be With You!), and the Hispanic Chamber's Cinco de Mayo Fiesta is the same day. There's the Spring Fashion Show and Office Party on Thursday, May 5th, The Allentown Chamber Annual Dinner & Awards on Wednesday, May 18th, and the LGBT Council's Roaring 20's Gala on Saturday, May 21st. Finishing up May is the Phillipsburg Area Chamber Annual Meeting and Awards on Wednesday, May 25th, and the Lehigh Valley's first Italian festival, Festa Italiana in Bethlehem on Memorial Day weekend, Friday and Saturday, May 27th and 28th.

June brings the Lehigh Valley Women's Summit on Tuesday, June 7th, Small Business Council's Excellence in Business Awards on Tuesday, June 14th, Easton Area Chamber Annual Dinner & Awards on Thursday, June 16th, the Emmaus Main Street Partners Golf Tournament on Monday, June 23rd, and the Emmaus Main Street Partners Golf Classic on Monday, June 20th…catch your breath!

This is just the tip of the iceberg. Each affiliated chamber, council, and committee works tirelessly to provide every possible business, networking, informational, and social event to give you countless opportunities to build your network, raise your profile, and be a part of something really great. Check your email, our website, and the pages of Connections regularly for event details and to see who else is sponsoring. The more you engage, the more successful you will be!