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This Week

Wednesday, February 28

By the Rivers of Babylon: Renewal Amidst the Ruins

Families of the Fallen for Change,
Dr. Paul E. Schroeder, Co-Founder,
Families of the Fallen for Change.

FOUNDER'S FUND

Upcoming CMC Forums

Wednesday, March 14

Lunch with Jim Lehrer

Columbus Convention Center, North Ballroom. Tickets are \$75 and are limited.

Wednesday, March 21

Get Urban

Kyle Ezell, Founder, Get Urban America, Ltd., and author of *Get Urban and Retire Downtown*. Sponsored by *Grange Insurance* and *Spectrum Properties*.



Kyle Ezell

Wednesday, March 28

New Leader at MORPC: Chester R. Jourdan Takes the Reins

Chester R. Jourdan, Executive Director, MORPC. Sponsored by *Columbus State Community College*.



Chester Jourdan

Wednesday, April 4

Columbus Urban League

Eddie Harrell, Jr., President & CEO Columbus Urban League.



Eddie Harrell Jr.

Wednesday, April 11

CMC will not host a forum in consideration of the YWCA's Women of Achievement.

Wednesday, April 18

CHASE Excellence in Leadership Leadership View from OSU

Dr. Karen Holbrook, President, The Ohio State University. Guest Host Gail Hogan, RMA Reputation Management Associates. Title Sponsor *JPMorgan Chase*, with support from *Coca Cola of Columbus*. In partnership with *Leadership Columbus*.

Wednesday, April 25

God's Troublemakers: How Women of Faith are Changing the World

Katherine Henderson, Author and Vice President, Auburn Theological Seminary in NYC.

Wednesday, May 2

Guy Worley, Executive Director, CDDC/Capitol South. Sponsored by *Huntington Banks*.



Guy Worley

Wednesday, May 9

Katie Haycock, Director, Education Trust. Sponsored by *KidsOhio.org* and *Franklin Park Conservatory*.

Wednesday, May 16

rescheduled from February 14 Hospital in the Heart of Downtown

Karen Connors, President of Grant Medical Center, Guy Worley, Executive Director, Columbus Downtown Development Corporation/Capitol South.

Wednesday, May 23

Major General Gregory Wayt, Adjutant General, Joint Force Headquarters, Ohio.

Wednesday, May 30

Tony Beadle, Executive Director, Columbus Symphony Orchestra and Junichi Hirokami, Music Director, CSO. Sponsored by *National City Bank* and *WOSU Public Media*.

Wednesday, June 13

CHASE Excellence in Leadership

Carl Korht, President, Battelle. Guest Host Gail Hogan, RMA Reputation Management Associates. In partnership with *Leadership Columbus*.

For more information on upcoming CMC forums, please visit www.columbusmetroclub.org

Wednesday, MARCH 7 - Noon to 1:15, Athletic Club of Columbus

It's a Whole New Ballgame: Same Team, New Name

Ken Schnacke, President & General Manager, The Columbus Clippers

It's a Whole New Ballgame: Same Name, New Team!

On September 20, 2006, The Columbus Baseball Team, Inc. Board of Trustees voted in special session to sign a two year Player Development Contract with the Washington Nationals for the Franklin County-owned Columbus Clippers, Triple-A ball club. Pleased with the deal, Jim Bowden, Vice President / General Manger, Washington Nationals said, "This is a great major step forward for our franchise to have our affiliate in Columbus, Ohio."

In the September 20 news conference, Limited Brands Sr. VP Investor, Media and Community Relations and Clippers Board Member, Tom Katzenmeyer said, "We were very impressed with the team. We were their first choice and they came here immediately when they

knew the possibility was available."

Washington Nationals Vice President of Business Operations Mike Shapiro said, "The first person we wanted to meet with, when we were permitted to do so, was Ken Schnacke. His unbelievable standards for operating his franchise is what we admire and want to replicate as well."

So, Ken, as baseball season is about to open, what will a new team affiliation mean for you as General Manager, for the Clippers franchise, for the fans and for the Columbus community? What's the news on the new stadium set to be built in the Arena District? And most importantly, will we still have Dime A Dog night?



Ken Schnacke

Be Sure to Do Lunch with Lehrer

WOSU Public Media and Columbus Metropolitan Club are pleased to be bringing one of the most respected broadcast journalists in the country to Columbus on Wednesday, March 14, 2007. Jim Lehrer will join us for lunch in the North Ballroom at the Greater Columbus Convention Center from Noon to 1:30 p.m. In addition to brief remarks, Lehrer will respond to questions from the audience and autograph copies of his most recent book, *The Phony Marine*, following lunch. WOSU Radio's Fred Andrie will serve as moderator.

Jim Lehrer is the executive editor and anchor of PBS' *The NewsHour* with Jim Lehrer. He is a graduate of Victoria College in Texas and the University of Missouri. After three years as an infantry officer in the Marine Corps, he worked for ten years in Dallas as a newspaperman and then as the host of a local experimental news program on public television.

He came to Washington with PBS in 1972, teaming with Robert MacNeil in 1973 to cover the Senate Watergate hearings. They began in 1975 what became *The MacNeil/Lehrer Report*, and, in 1983, *The MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour*, the first 60-minute evening news program on television. When MacNeil retired in 1995, the program was renamed.

Lehrer has been honored with numerous awards for journalism, including a presidential National Humanities Medal in 1999. In the last five presidential elections, he moderated ten of the nationally televised candidate debates. He is so respected in this role that he has been called the "dean of moderators."



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RECAP - Wednesday, February 21

CHASE Excellence in Leadership Series



Front – CMC President Elfi Di Bella, Series Partner Leadership Columbus Executive Director Laurie Marsh, Title Sponsor JPMorgan Chase Don Beckman. Back – Gail Hogan, RMA Reputation Management Associates and speaker Senator Ray Miller.

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But, on those rare occasions that your schedule prevents you from making it to CMC on Wednesday, go to Time Warner Cable digital Local on Demand Channel 1111 –that's eleven-eleven, for a replay of the latest forums.

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CMC makes every effort to accommodate walk-ins and last-minute reservations, however, due to meal requirements, we cannot guarantee any lunch reservation made after noon on the day preceding the forum.

For a refund, cancellations must be made by noon on the day preceding the forum. Cancellations after that time and no-shows will be charged for their ticket(s).

Make your reservations now by

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	Member \$15	Guest \$25	General Public \$30
Tables of 8	\$144	N/A	\$200
Tables of 10	\$180	N/A	\$250

CMC forum lunches are held from noon to 1:15 at the Athletic Club of Columbus, 136 East Broad Street unless otherwise noted.