

# January 2019 NGLCO Bulletin Board



## HAPPY NEW YEAR



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### 2019 EVENTS

FEB. 8 Winery Tours  
MAR. 12 Dinner/Mtg  
JULY 19 Golf Outing  
AUG. 12 Nursery Tours,  
*Dinner & Casino Night*  
AUG. 13 Field Day  
SEPT. 10 Annual Mtg.  
*Dinner/Awards/Election*

Hello everyone!

I was popping out emails every time I turned around last month so we're going to try a new format – a monthly **Bulletin Board**—with what you need to know now and a few reminders. **Remember to check our Facebook page and website often!** Fliers, membership info, history, registration forms and more are available 24/7 at [www.nglco.com](http://www.nglco.com).

The trade show season is upon us and the new **NGLCO Map and Directory** is ready to take with you. Veronica and I made quite a few deliveries last week and really enjoyed talking with so many of you. The maps are in several locations, you can pick them up at Sabo's, Losely's or Klyn's or let us know and we will get them to you. They will also be available at meetings.

Over 50 members attend the **Christmas Party** Open House at Sammy K's last month. NGLCO Members are a warm and generous group of people. The mountains of toys collected were taken to the Perry Center for distribution to families in need along with the biggest food collection ever. FYI—they did not go to Madison's American Legion Post as planned because they had already reached their max.

We also received \$380 in cash/checks for local charities, of which \$280, plus \$100 in gift cards went to Project Hope in Painesville to help the homeless. The remaining \$100 is earmarked for a local Veteran's group or project, yet to be decided. The surplus food from the party was donated to Teen Challenge in Perry. Your kindness reached hundreds of people and made a real difference.

Register **TODAY** for **Nursery Growers in the Vineyard**. It begins and ends at Grand River Cellars. We will visit South River Winery with Gene Sigel, followed by Kosicek Vineyards with Tony and Ferrante with Nick. We will learn about their farming techniques, growing conditions, soil treatments, fertilizers, fungicides, insecticides, pruning techniques and more as we drink a glass of wine at each stop. We will return GRC for lunch.

**Friday, Feb. 8, 2019 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.**  
*\$50 includes the bus, wines and lunch (tax & tip)*

The **March 12** dinner program will be sponsored by **FlowVision**. Gary Cortes will present the program explaining ways to improve productivity and work flow for better efficiency, saving time and money. It will be held at **Fairport Harbor Yacht Club** \$15 lasagna dinner.

**ONLA** seeks to honor and highlight green industry individuals who have made significant contributions to their fields. We would like to add our congratulations to **Mark Gilson**, Gilson Gardens. He was the deserving recipient of the **Service Award!** *Well done Mark!*

The ONLA Service Award, previously known as the Award of Merit, seeks to honor those people who have unselfishly given their time, resources or talents to serve the association. The ONLA Service Award is intended to recognize individual members who have served the ONLA in an outstanding manner in one or more of the following ways: officer, board of director, committee chair, committee member or membership service provider.

**OSU Extension** is offering **Training Workshops** at Perry Public Library March 4 or 5 for \$20. Visit [www.nglco.com](http://www.nglco.com) for complete details and to download the registration forms. You will also find information on **Student Internships** there. *Check it out!*

Madison's new Holiday Inn Express is offering a discounted room rate for guests who mention NGLCO. They expect to open in March.