



2011 Networking Committee Notes
September 8, 2011
Fifi's Restaurant

Networking/Social Mission

Host and promote events and activities within the region to connect EPIC Members with one another and to showcase a Northwest Ohio that is more attractive to diverse young talent.

Next Meeting Date and Location:

October 13, 2011: Bar Louie in Levis Commons

December 8, 2011: [Networking Committee X-mas Party at Trace Routes in Levis Commons \(tentative\)](#)

- Gennady Zak checking on location

Advisory Committee Recap:

EPIC Community Impact Partnership Initiative:

- Ad hoc committee being formed for launch and oversight of project
- Volunteer from Networking Committee – (Courtney Wiegand – GJ&M)

EPIC Summit: Assembling topics and speakers for the event

EPIC Rocks Fashion: 300+ tickets sold, LaScola donating food for VIP

EPIC Lunch n Leads:

Still need hosts for several of remaining dates in 2011

Next Meeting : September 28, 2011: [Paul Spoerl of The Entertainment Network – host Terra Campbell has volunteered to take over program and help with retooling](#)

Potential Events:

- 1) Beer/wine tasting event
 - Anderson's Market has expressed interest in hosting a wine tasting event this Fall (November?)
 - can accommodate up to 75 people
 - includes music and grazing as well
 - any combination of 4 wines
 - price between \$6.75-\$9.00, book at least one month in advance
 - [decision to make wine tasting the November social event – move to Nov. 17](#)
 - [Joe S. will check with Anderson's re: availability, etc.](#)
- 2) Speed Networking event – Rose & Andrew
 - pushed back from late July/early August
 - looking at late [January, 2012](#)
- 3) [Discussed possibility of holding one of the Spring 2012 socials at the new casino](#)

Networking/Social Events:

9/24: EPIC Rocks Fashion

10/26: EPIC Summit – Toledo Club

Other Events:

9/25: Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure – Downtown Toledo

10/1: Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Walk to Cure Diabetes – Ottawa Park, 9:00 a.m.

9/16-9/25: Parade of Homes – visit <http://www.toledohba.com/> for more info

9/29: WEN Business Trade Show & Social - W.W. Knight Nature Preserve in Perrysburg, 3-7 p.m.
- visit <http://www.wen-usa.com/index.cfm?p=calevent&CalMonth=9&CalYear=2011&Event=598> for more information