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**October  
Special  
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# Altoona Proud

A Monthly Insight into all that is Altoona

***This special edition of the newsletter highlights two important upcoming events – the Altoona Prayer Breakfast and the Because We Care Annual Dinner and the Annual Farm-City Dinner. I hope that you will be able to attend and celebrate our great City!***

## Altoona Prayer Breakfast

Each year, a National Prayer Breakfast is sponsored annually by individual members of the House and Senate to reaffirm their faith and to renew the dedication of our nation to God and His purposes. Other prayer breakfasts are held around the nation, on State and local levels, to unite our leaders and to invigorate them in their responsibilities to our citizens.

The 4th Annual Altoona Prayer Breakfast will be held on Thursday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. Doors open at 7:00 AM at The Casino at Lakemont and the breakfast will be held from 7:30 AM – 9:00 AM. Be encouraged by former Penn State and NFL football player, Leo Wisniewski.

Use the link below to register before October 15<sup>th</sup>.

**[REGISTER](#)**

THE FOURTH ANNUAL ALTOONA PRAYER BREAKFAST

**OCTOBER 20**  
THE CASINO AT LAKEMONT

**IN PRAYER**  
**JOINING**  
**ARMS**

**Keynote Speaker:**  
**Leo Wisniewski**  
Penn State Alum &  
Former NFL Player

PRAYING FOR:  
GOVERNMENT | BUSINESS | EDUCATION | CHURCH  
FAMILY | MEDIA, ARTS, & ENTERTAINMENT

COST: \$25/SEAT | \$350/TABLE  
BREAKFAST SERVED AT 7AM

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# Because We Care Foundation Annual Dinner



Because We Care Foundation offers multiple community programs to further the goal of fostering positive relationships and interactions between our Fire, Police and EMS Departments, and the children and families they serve. These programs include Pizza with a Purpose and the Teddy Bear Distribution, where first responders distribute teddy bears to children they encounter on the scene of an incident or traumatic event.

Because We Care Foundation will be teaming up with the Altoona Police Department to present the annual banquet, A Night Amongst Heroes, on Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup> in the Altoona Grand Hotel ballroom. This year's theme is **The Called & The Chosen**. Spend an evening with our local heroes who protect our City. This will be a family event with a buffet meal, speakers and a basket raffle. The evening begins at 5:00 PM with hors d'oeuvres and dinner at 6:00 PM.

This year will feature a kid's room for children ages 6-12. The theme will be **Super Heroes**. Kids can come dressed as their favorite super hero and enjoy a movie with popcorn, games and more. Children 5 and under will remain with parents. Follow the link below to register.

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