

# MEDIA ADVISORY



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### JOIN YPS FOR APRIL'S "THIRD THURSDAY" AT STORROWTON TAVERN AND CARRIAGE HOUSE

SPRINGFIELD – The Young Professional Society (YPS) of Greater Springfield will hold this month's business and social networking event on Thursday, March 16 at Storrowton Tavern and Carriage House, located on the Big E fairgrounds at 1305 Memorial Ave., West Springfield, Mass., from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Attendance is free for YPS members; non-members pay \$5.

"Storrowton Tavern & Carriage House is a true landmark, and we thank the Calvanese family for hosting our April Third Thursday," said YPS Social Committee Chair, Chris Thompson, director of sales & business development for the Springfield Falcons.

This month's Corporate Sponsor is Planned Parenthood League of Massachusetts (PPLM), which provides information and resources to young people to help them make safe and healthy choices.

Our Community Spotlight will be the American Cancer Society's "Evening of Hope Gala – Cirque du Cure." The gala will be held May 9, 2009 at MassMutual Center, in Springfield, Mass., and includes fine dining, live music, dancing and silent auction benefiting the American Cancer Society.

Our other Community Spotlight will be Link to Libraries, Inc. Link to Libraries' mission is to enhance language and literacy skills of children of all cultural backgrounds and to enable them to learn about their world through reading.

This event will feature Stella Artois compliments of Williams Distributing. Sound and entertainment will be provided by Jx2 Productions.

The Young Professional Society of Greater Springfield represents the region's corporate, non-profit, and cultural interests by engaging a younger demographic in several distinct areas. YPS is concentrating efforts on business & career development and networking; social & cultural involvement; and community activism through nonprofit organizations & volunteerism. Find events and details online at [www.SpringfieldYPS.com](http://www.SpringfieldYPS.com).