



## **Business Association Member Benefits**

The Comox Valley Chamber of Commerce is proud to have the following local business associations as members:

Business Networking International – Olympic Gold Chapter, Comox by the Sea, Comox Valley Home Based Business Association, Comox Valley Women's Business Network, the Downtown Courtenay Business Improvement Association & Business Connections.

As members, these associations are eligible for the following benefits:

- The members & executive of these associations are eligible for the reduced member rate at Chamber lunch meetings and events where there is a lower rate for members.
- The association (as an entity) is eligible for Chamber advertising and promotional benefits as follows:
  - the association may display rack cards and/or a business cards at the Chamber Office / Visitor Centre,
  - the association will have 2 free listings in the Chamber Member Directory & Buyers Guide,
  - the association may purchase display advertising in the Buyers Guide section of the Directory,
  - the association may have their newsworthy items mentioned in the Executive Director's article in the Business Vancouver Island Magazine,
  - the association may purchase display advertising with the Record newspaper in the "Chamber Connections" newsletter section,
  - The association may submit their general meetings and special events to the weekly Chamber Enews-letter.
- The Chamber office staff will promote your association to Chamber members who are new businesses or are looking for ways to network.
- If any members of your association would like to receive the weekly Chamber Enews – they just need to let the Chamber office know.
- The Executive members of the association are eligible for the hotel/motel discounts in BC.

The Executive members of the association may be eligible to apply for other benefits such as office supply discounts, merchant services discounts and long distance discounts. Check with the Chamber office to discuss these individual benefits.

It is important to note that the association itself, the executive or members of these associations would not be eligible for extended health/dental and for Payworks payroll as these are benefits that are set up for a workplace environment.