

*You are cordially invited to attend*

The Cayuga County  
Chamber of Commerce

**99<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner  
&  
Silent Auction**

*Thursday  
October 30, 2008*



- 6-7:30 p.m. Silent Auction  
6:00 p.m. Open Bar &  
Hors d'oeuvres  
7:00 p.m. Dinner  
8:00 p.m. Program

**Entree**

Sliced NY Strip Sirloin  
paired with Grilled Tiger Shrimp  
served with Béarnaise Sauce

Wild Greens Salad

Striped Red Skin Potatoes

Vegetable Du Jour

Assorted Fresh Rolls

Dr. Frank Merlot

Treleaven Semi-Dry Riesling

**Dessert Trio**

Raspberry Mousse, Chocolate Covered  
Strawberry and Petite Cheesecake  
with Strawberry Sauce

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Friday, October 24, 2008*

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*Keynote Remarks:*



**Paul S. Speranza, Jr.**  
Wegmans Food Markets, Inc.

Paul S. Speranza Jr., Vice Chairman, General Counsel and Secretary, Wegmans Food Markets, Inc., joined the Rochester-based supermarket chain in 1976 and is responsible for legal, tax, government and labor relations.

Wegmans, founded in 1916, has 71 stores, employs 37,000 people and generates more than \$4.5 billion in annual sales. Mr. Speranza takes particular pride in the fact that *Ethisphere* Magazine named Wegmans one of the most ethical companies in the world based on the implementation of its code of ethics, how it handles litigation, its compliance with laws and regulations, and its leadership.

Mr. Speranza believes passionately in democracy, capitalism, freedom, opportunity and hope for all. He believes that the rule of law is the cornerstone of society and recognizes that quality education can vastly improve people's lives. He also believes that all children should have access to health care and such success stories are not unique but, rather, the American dream.

He is past chairman of several boards, including Lifetime Health, Inc., a \$5 billion Blue Cross Blue Shield company based in Upstate New York, where he worked on governance issues, education and providing health care to economically disadvantaged children.

Actively involved in business, civic and professional organizations, Mr. Speranza is a member of the California, New York, Pennsylvania Tax Court, Second Circuit Court of Appeals and Supreme Court of the United States bars and board member of the Business Council of New York State.

He is the chairman of the Executive Committee and immediate past chairman of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce board which represents the interests of 3 million companies and 3,000 state and local chambers before Congress, the White House, regulatory agencies and governments worldwide.

## Registration Form

99<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner & Silent Auction

**Individual Tickets \$48**

**Reserved Tables of 10 (\$480)**

Enclosed is a check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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Cayuga County Chamber of Commerce

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Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) of Attendee(s)

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will be billed, substitutions accepted.*