

It's required reading for 24,000 Decision Makers... The Business Journal...the decision magazine.

The Journal began publishing in April 1988 as a business-to-business publication publishing timely and informative articles about the people and businesses that make up the region. *The Business Journal* gives you the information you need to make better decisions to run your business and improve your bottom line... making *The Business Journal* a BUSINESS ESSENTIAL.

Rates/Net

Effective January 2020

Frequency	1x	3x	6x	12x
Double Page	2700	Frequency rate available		
Full Page	1895	1595	1525	1395
Jr. Page	1425	1295	1075	995
1/2 Page	1295	1095	850	795
1/2 Page Island	1500	1295	1050	950
1/3 Tower Premium	1350	1095	925	825
1/3 Page	1100	875	725	625
1/4 Page	825	695	525	450
1/6 Page	695	595	475	425
Market Place	95	85	80	70

Cover Positions

Frequency	1x	3x	6x	12x
Inside Front	2200	1925	1795	1695
Inside Back	2200	1925	1795	1695
Back Cover	2750	2400	2295	2195

Guaranteed Position

Add 25% to net rates.

Trim and Bleeds

Page Trim Size is 8.375" x 10.875"

Full Page Bleeds: Bleed .125" OUT from the trim size.

All copy should be .25" INSIDE the trim size to be printed.

All ads should be CMYK, image size minimum of 240dpi, max 300dpi.

Agency Commissions

Add 15% to net rates.

Online

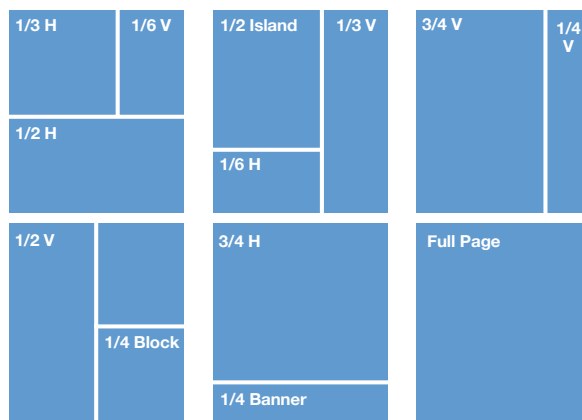
BJournal.com provides a number of opportunities for online exposure.

Call your *Business Journal* representative for more information.



Specifications

Description	Width	Depth
Double Page w/Bleed	17"	11.125"
Full Page w/Bleed	8.625"	11.125"
Full Page	7.875"	10.25"
Jr. Page Horizontal	7.875"	7.375"
Jr. Page Vertical	5.25"	10.25"
1/2 Page Island	5.25"	7"
1/2 Page Horizontal	7.875"	5"
1/2 Page Vertical	3.85"	10.25"
1/3 Tower Premium	2.715"	10.25"
1/3 Horizontal	5.25"	5"
1/3 Vertical	2.715"	10.25"
1/4 Block	3.85"	5"
1/4 Banner	7.875"	2.375"
1/4 Vertical	2.125"	10.25"
1/6 Horizontal	5"	3.25"
1/6 Vertical	2.715"	5"
Market Place	1.84"	2.05"



40 Under Forty Partnership

Act now to become a partner in the most anticipated professional event of the season as the Tri-Cities business community once again celebrates 40 Under Forty.

Since 1993, *The Business Journal* and a long list of esteemed partners have honored the best and brightest young professionals in the Tri-Cities. More than 1,000 honorees are part of this elite group. The 28th Annual 40 Under Forty Event will be held in October 2020.



Partnership Levels

Presenting8000

Primary placement of logo in all materials, eight tickets, signage at event, welcome at event, printed welcome in program and double page ad in the 40 Under Forty section of the December 2019 issue.

Platinum..... 3000

Primary placement of logo in all materials, eight tickets, and one full page ad in the 40 Under Forty section of the December 2019 issue.

Gold2250

Placement of logo in all materials, four tickets, one 1/2 page ad in the 40 Under Forty section of the December 2019 issue.

Silver1500

Tertiary placement of logo in all materials, two tickets, one 1/4 page ad in the 40 Under Forty section of the December 2019 issue.



The 2019 Class of 40 Under Forty.

Important Dates

40 Under Partnership Deadline -
Wednesday, September 16, 2020

Advertising Space
Reservation Deadline -
November 18, 2020

Print Ready Advertising
Materials Due -
November 25, 2020

Publication Date -
December 2020



Book Of Lists Partnership

Simple - Effective - Valuable - Timeless

THE MOST TRUSTED NAME in business news publishes the most trusted directory of local businesses and decision-makers annually. The indispensable *Book of Lists* is referenced by thousands of individuals needing to know who's doing business, and who to do business with, in Northeast Tennessee and Southwest Virginia.

Place your advertising message next to your industry list, distinguish yourself as a leader in your category or strategically place your ad across from the list of your potential customers. Distributed to all subscribers, *The Book of Lists* provides the best value with year-long exposure.

Advertising Rates

Title Partner	3995
Section Partners	2595
Inside Front/Back.....	1925
Outside Back Cover	2495
Full Page.....	1675
Half Page	1125

Title Partner

As a section partner you will receive your company name and logo on front cover and table of contents, a full page ad in the section of your choice and a welcome letter adjacent to the table of contents.

Section Partner

As a section partner you will receive a full page ad at the beginning of "your section." Your logo will appear on each page of the section, in addition to the table of contents. So anytime a reader looks for information in "your section," they'll see your logo at the top of the page.

Early Bird Rate Special

Reserve your space before June 1, 2020 and receive savings on your Section Partnership or Advertisement in the *2020 Book of Lists*!

Title Partner	3495
Section Partners	2100
Inside Front/Back.....	1540
Outside Back Cover	1995
Full Page.....	1295
Half Page	895

Important Dates

Advertising Materials Deadline

August 17, 2020

Print Ready Materials Due

August 24, 2020

Publication Date

September 2020

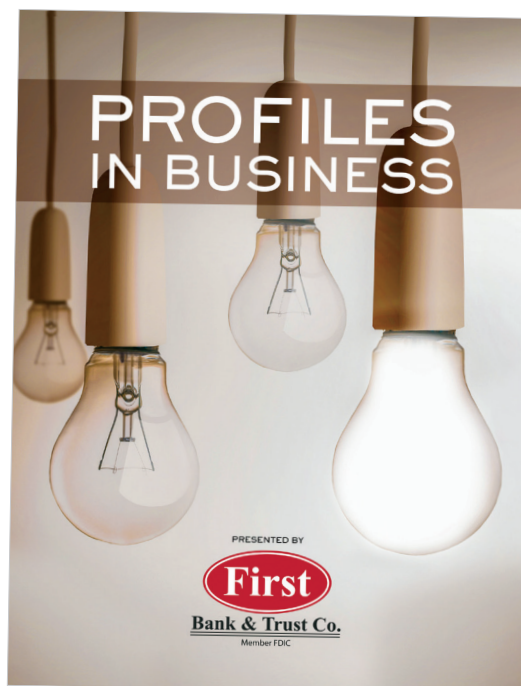
Profiles in Business

Since Derby Publishing's purchase of *The Business Journal*, businesspeople have asked us to include stories about their companies in our publication. As journalists, we always had to reply, "We can't do that unless you have a newsworthy item we can report as news."

Many of those customers and businesses were also asking us to design marketing materials or brochures and write copy to help them promote their company and services. Our production department was always too busy creating our magazine. We decided to combine the two services, great design and editorial published in a magazine format. *Profiles in Business* was created!

Profiles in Business gives insight into the working lives of the people who make up our region, because every business has a unique story to tell. *Profiles in Business* is a combination of your company's editorial story and photography showcasing your products, services, history and people who make it happen. We look forward to delivering your story directly to the desks of the business decision-makers in Northeast Tennessee and Southwest Virginia.

To help tell your story, your full-page color advertorial will be a collaborative effort between you and a professional custom media writer and photographer. In addition to the printed article, you



will receive your story in an electronic format you can reproduce and use with online, social media or print promotions, marketing, customer direct mail communications or as a flyer to tell your clients and prospects more about your business, products and services.

Advertising Rates

Title Partner	2195
Inside Front, Inside Back Cover or Outside Back Cover and inside advertorial page with your name and logo on front cover	
Double Page.....	1695
Full Page	995

Important Dates

Advertising Space Reservation Deadline
April 21, 2020
Print Ready Advertising Materials Due
April 28, 2020
Publication Date
May 2020



Health Care Heroes Partnership

Health Care Heroes are the men and women who go above and beyond the call of duty everyday. For more than 20 years, The Business Journal of Tri-Cities, TN/VA has honored these heroes on behalf of the business community they serve. Without healthy employees and customers, business cannot survive. Health Care Heroes keep our region's people and businesses well cared for.

To nominate an individual or organization today, email **news@bjournal.com** with a letter of recommendation telling what makes them a Healthcare Hero. The deadline for nominations is the close of business on July 26, 2020. The Healthcare Heroes Awards luncheon will be held August 28, 2020.

Title Partner (one only)5,000

Eight tickets to the event; Full Page, color ad in the Healthcare Heroes edition of The Business Journal (August); Logo on all materials; Welcome remarks at event; Banner/Signage at registration table.

Hero Partner.....1,250

Two tickets to the event; Quarter Page, color ad in the Healthcare Heroes edition of The Business Journal (August); Logo on materials.

Presenting Partner (five max)2,500

Four tickets to the event; Half Page, color ad in the Healthcare Heroes edition of The Business Journal (August); Logo on materials; Present award to honorees.



	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Editorial Plan	KOSBEs, New Laws and Legislative Update	Seniors and Retirement: Wills, Trusts, etc.	Tourism, Talent Development	Profiles in Business	YWCA Tribute to Women	Junior Achievement, Higher Education	Healthcare Industry Update	Healthcare Heroes	Manufacturing, Book of Lists	Veteran Owned	Financial Services, Gift Guide 1	40 Under Forty, Gift Guide 2
Advertising Deadline	12.24.19	1.21.20	2.17.20	3.17.20	4.21.20	5.19.20	6.16.20	7.21.20	8.18.20	9.15.20	10.20.20	11.18.20
Camera Ready Deadline	12.31.19	1.28.20	2.24.20	3.24.20	4.28.20	5.26.20	6.23.20	7.28.20	8.25.20	9.22.20	10.27.20	11.25.20
Available	1.08.20	2.04.20	3.04.20	3.31.20	5.05.20	6.02.20	6.30.20	8.04.20	9.01.20	9.29.20	11.03.20	12.04.20
Every Issue	From the Editor FYI Trends On the Move Awards & Achievements The Last Word											
Special Editions/ Sections	Profiles in Business Distributed with April edition Advertising Deadline: 3.16.20 Camera Ready: 3.23.20 Available: April 2020						Book of Lists Distributed in September Advertising Deadline: 8.17.20 Camera Ready: 8.24.20 Available: September 2020					
Additional Marketing	Book of Lists Partnership Section partnerships available. September 2020 As a section partner you will receive a full page ad at the beginning of the section "your section." Your logo will appear on each page of the section, in addition to the table of contents. So anytime a reader looks for information in the section you partner, they'll see your logo at the top of the page.			40 Under Forty Platinum, Gold and Silver level partnerships available. October 2020 Act now to become a partner in the most anticipated professional event of the season as the Tri-Cities business community celebrates 40 Under Forty.			Healthcare Heroes Partnerships available. July 2020 The 28th annual recognition of the extraordinary individuals and organizations that go above and beyond the call of duty every day in providing selflessness, compassion and dedication in healthcare to our region.					



E-Journal

E-Journal is the digital offering of The Business Journal of Tri-Cities TN/VA, bringing business news directly to your in box every Wednesday morning. Additional editions are delivered as business news that affects the region breaks throughout the week. Combined with your print message in The Business Journal the E-Journal keeps your brand in front of the regions decision makers.

Reserve your company's space in the E-Journal at our great introductory rates!

Single Banner 199/month

(530 x 100 pixels)

Double Banner 279/month

(530 x 200 pixels)

Horizontal 169/month

(175 x 200 pixels)

Add your message at Bjournal.com for increased visibility!

Vertical Banner 175/month

(120 x 600 pixels)

Horizontal 75/month

(300 x 250 pixels)

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Aerospace Park to receive \$4.1 million TDOT grant
Tri-Cities Airport's Aerospace Park project will receive a \$4.1 million grant from the Tennessee Department of Transportation's (TDOT) Aeronautics Economic Development Fund. [Read More]

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AGC Glass North America to expand operations in Church Hill
Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development Commissioner Bob Riffe and AGC Glass North America officials announced today that the company will expand its operations Church Hill. The glass manufacturer [Read More]

Bloomberg: Wal-Mart raising U.S. hourly wage to \$11 in wake of tax overhaul
The largest private sector employer in the United States is raising the hourly wage it pays employees and is giving bonuses of up to \$1,000 in the wake of the recently passed tax overhaul. [Read More]

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Subscriber Profiles

Personal Profile

Age

77.9% of *The Business Journal* subscribers are from 25 - 54 years of age.

25-34	20.4%
35-44	30.1%
45-54	27.4%
55-65	14.5%
Over 65	5.9%

Gender

Male	74.1%
Female	25.9%

Education

78% of *The Business Journal* subscribers are college graduates

College Graduate	35.5%
Post College Study	20.4%
Masters Degree	14.0%
Doctorate	8.1%

Home Ownership

Owns Home	84.1%
Owns Second Home	25.4%

Average Annual Household Income \$150,000+

Marital/Family Status

Married	80.1%
Single	9.7%

Household Net Worth

55%	\$500,000
45%	\$1,000,000+

Average Value of Primary Home \$505,112

Business Profile

Executive Authority

- 88% participate in purchasing decisions for their companies
- 87.8% personally choose products for their companies
- 98.4% read *The Business Journal* ads
- 72.1% say ads in *The Business Journal* influence their purchases

Company Size by Number of Employees

10 or fewer	50.8%
10-24	14.7%
25-49	9.0%
50-99	5.0%
100-249	11.9%
Over 250	8.6%

Business Title

Total subscribers in top management: 70.2%

Owner/Partner	49.5%
Board Chair, President, CEO, VP, General Mgr, Director	20.7%
Other Management	17.9%
Sales & Marketing	9.8%
Purchasing/Plant Manager	2.1%

Readership Profile

Average Circulation

The readership of *The Business Journal of the Tri-Cities TN/VA* is based on a strategic combination of paid subscriber copies and controlled circulation copies. Total paid distribution per the Statement of Ownership and Circulation as required by the USPS: **Total Paid Distribution is 4,000** copies. **Strategic controlled distribution is 2,500** copies. **Total circulation is 6,500** copies.

Total Readership 23,000+
Minimum of 3.5 readers per copy

Shelf Life

Length of time subscribers keep a copy of

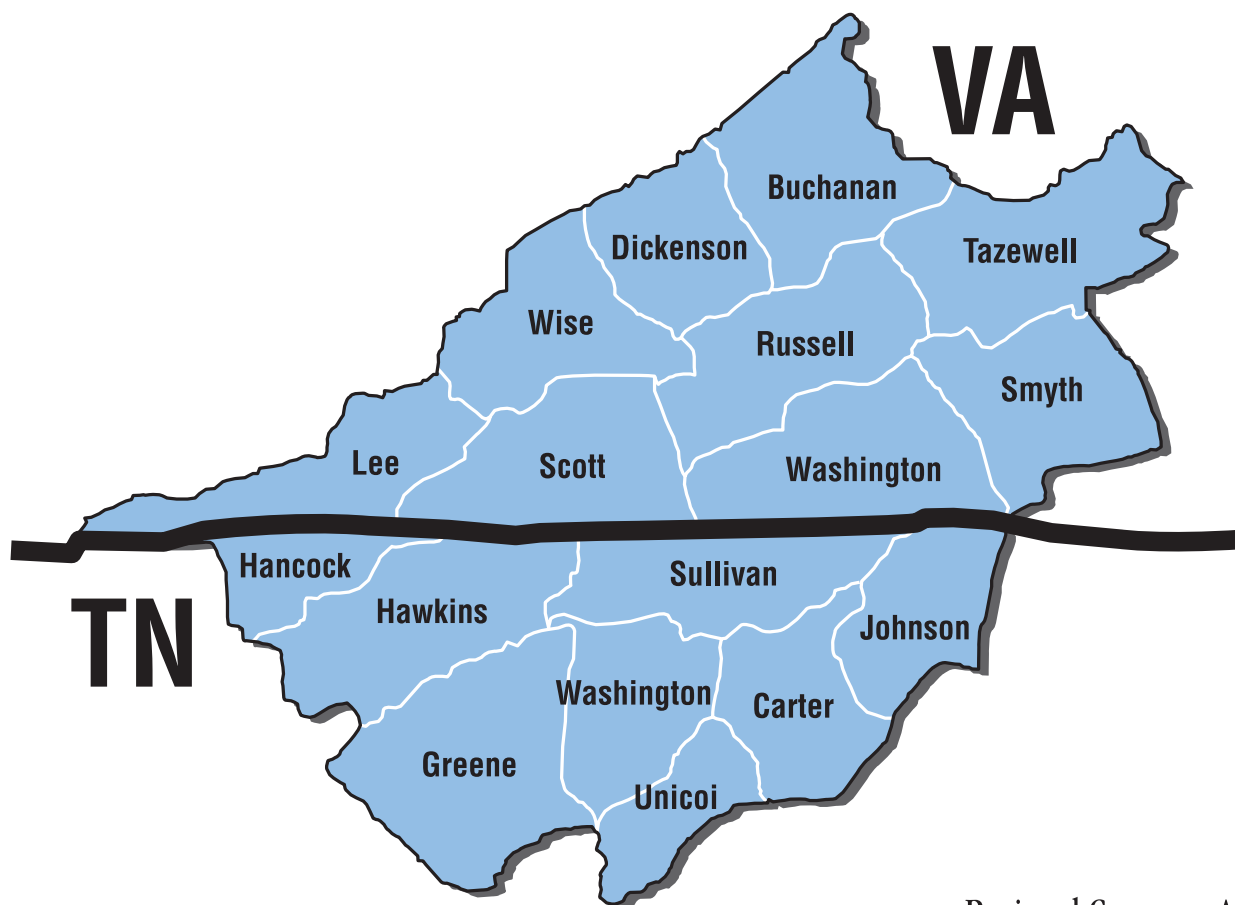
The Business Journal:

Keep on file	26.3%
Keep one month	24.2%
Keep 2-3 weeks	14.5%
Keep one week	13.4%

Additional Readers

Readers other than the subscriber:

Other Management	34.4%
Office/Support Staff	32.8%
Spouse	29.6%
Partner	11.3%
Sales Staff	10.2%



Regional Coverage Area

