



“The Voice of Rochester’s Hospitality Industry”

When: Fourth Thursday of the Month | 9:45 - 11:00 a.m.

Where: A Hybrid Meeting via Zoom or In Person at the Mayo Civic Center, Suites 104&105 | Please register at the Chamber website [HERE](#). *Choose your attendance when registering.

Mission: Hospitality 1st convenes hospitality sector business leaders to discuss industry trends, share best practices, and work collaboratively to develop strategies that support hospitality sector success in the Greater Rochester Area.

November’s Hospitality 1st Roundtable:

TBD

Our Meeting in November is scheduled for **Thursday, November 11, 2021** from 9:45am – 11:00am. It will be a Hybrid Meeting. **The options to attend are via Virtual Zoom Webinar or In Person at the Mayo Civic Center.** **Attention: Change in suites. We will be in Suites 104&105.** Just around the corner from our usual Suites. *Choose attendance when registering.

***Due to the COVID-19 resurgence, the Mayo Civic Center is requiring everyone to wear masks in their facilities. Masks will be available from the Chamber, if needed.**

To attend this Roundtable scheduled for **November 11, 2021**, please register [HERE](#).

December’s Hospitality 1st Roundtable:

Holiday Party

Our Meeting in December is scheduled for **Thursday, December 9, 2021** from **4:00pm – 6:00pm**. It will be an **In Person Only** holiday party. **We will be meeting at the Rochester Art Center.** Refreshments and Hors d’oeuvres will be served. Relax, network, and enjoy the holiday season!

Featured Speakers: Joe Ward, Joe Koehler, and Nick Landry of Experience Rochester will do a presentation on what happened in 2021, what is new business in 2022, and what is coming in 2022 in the world of entertainment and concerts. Come socialize, network, and celebrate 2021!

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Seeking Hospitality 1st Committee Leaders:

If you would like to serve in the planning of the Hospitality 1st Roundtable's events, programming, and other content, please email Chair Andy Thilges at andy.thilges@hilton.com.

November's Agenda:

Welcome: **Dan Nelson, Vice Chair | Owner | Platinum Experience Consulting**

Featured Speakers: **Jamie Rothe | Director of Community Engagement & Experience | DMC EDA**
Geno Palazzari | Communication Manager | DMC EDA

Industry Comparison (STR Data): **Dan Nelson, Vice Chair | Owner | Platinum Experience Consulting**

Close: **Dan Nelson, Vice Chair | Owner | Platinum Experience Consulting**

Upcoming Rochester City Events: November - December 2021

 Dates 	 Event Name 	 Attendees 	 Location
11/9 – 11/13/2021	2021 NJCAA Division III Volleyball National Championships	1,000	Rochester Regional Sports Center
11/11 – 11/12/2021	Jim Gaffigan: The Fun Tour	5,200	Mayo Civic Center Arena
11/13/2021	MN Christmas Market 2021		Mayo Civic Center Exhibit Hall
11/14/2021	For King + Country RELATE: The Fall Tour	5,200	Mayo Civic Center Arena
11/18/2021	2021 Mayo Clinic Annual Meeting of the Staff	900	Mayo Civic Center
11/19/21	The Marshall Tucker Band	3,000	Mayo Civic Center Auditorium
11/19 – 11/20/2021	2021 RCYBA Early Bird Basketball Tournament	2,000	Various Basketball Facilities
11/19 – 11/21/2021	RSC Senior Showdown	1,200	Rochester Recreation Center
11/20/21	2021 Holiday Business & Craft Show	3,500	Mayo Civic Center Exhibit Hall
11/26/2021	Here Comes Santa Claus		Various Downtown Locations
11/26 – 11/28/2021	2021 Festival of Trees	500	Mayo Civic Center
11/29 – 12/23/2021	Trolls LIVE		
12/2/2021	Tonic Sol-Fa: Shake Up Christmas Tour		CH Mayo Presentation Hall
12/3 – 12/4/2021	2021 Yellowjacket National presented by the Cliff Keen Midwest Wrestling Tour	1,250	RCTC Regional Sports Center
12/3 – 12/4/2021	2021 Collegiate Swimming & Diving Invitational	500	Rochester Rec Center
12/4/2021	A Rocky Mountain High Experience® John Denver Christmas		CH Mayo Presentation Hall
12/10 – 12/11/2021	2021 FEAST! Local Foods Marketplace	1,000	Mayo Civic Center
12/11/2021	Rochester Dance Company Presents The Nutcracker		CH Mayo Presentation Hall
12/13/2021	Christmas with Lorie Line		CH Mayo Presentation Hall
12/17/2021	Northern Lights Festival Christmas Concert with Michael Shynes		CH Mayo Presentation Hall
12/17 – 12/18/2021	2021 University of Minnesota Christmas Wrestling Tournament	2,500	RCTC Field House
12/18/2021	Sara Evans: Blue Christmas Tour		CH Mayo Presentation Hall
12/28 – 12/29/2021	2021 Rotary Holiday Classic	800	