



LAKE NONA REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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From The CEO - What Your Chamber Does, Part II

Last month I promised to tell you more about our OPS Plan for your Opportunity, Progress and Support. Here are the components of the Chamber OPS Plan:

Opportunity

Innovation and Economic Development
UCF Counseling Programs
Collaboration with local chambers and civic groups
Educational and government seminars
Community updates
Cultivate large corporate connections
Cultivate a vendor supply base and information system
Chamber marketing and networking

Progress

Infrastructure and growth leadership
Talent supply and education
Continuing seminars
Informational updates via media
Chamber marketing and networking

Support

Building business climate and competitiveness
Maintain civic and government systems relations
Pursue quality of life and quality places initiatives
Collaboration with local charities Chamber marketing and networking

Your Board of Directors and Chamber Staff constantly work to bring members and the entire community these benefits. Find out how you can benefit and participate in this process by calling us at (407) 796-2230.

Next month, how your Chamber is a Catalyst of business growth, Convener of leaders and influencers and Champion for a thriving community

Don Long
President/CEO

Upcoming Events



I'm dreaming of a
**BRIGHT
CHRISTMAS**
Member Banquet & Holiday Party

MEMBERS: \$25 OR \$45 WITH GUEST
NONMEMBERS: \$35

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3
5:30 - 7:30 P.M.

*Enjoy food, drinks, and
dancing. Come wearing
your most festive clothes
and accessories!*

*The Belfry Restaurant at
Eagle Creek Golf Club*

10350 EMERSON LAKE BLVD, ORLANDO



CENTENNIAL BANK

13901 Narcoossee Rd

RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY

Thursday, December 5
3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Ribbon cutting at 3:30 p.m.



JOIN US IN WELCOMING OUR NEW MEMBER!
**CENTENNIAL BANK WILL BE PROVIDING
COOKIES AND OTHER YUMMY DESSERTS.**



**breakfast
connections**



THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12
8:00 - 9:30 a.m.

**The Belfry Restaurant at
Eagle Creek Golf Club**
10350 Emerson Lake Blvd

"TACKLING YOUR MARKETING"
with Melanie Miller Consulting

Register for Events Here

November Event Gallery

Our November Ambassador of the Month is Nicole Perez of New York Life!



November 5, First Tuesdays After-Hours at Nona Adventure Park - Nona Adventure Park hosted our Chamber members and invited guests for a beautiful, breezy evening on the water. Thanks to everyone for coming out to eat, drink, and make connections. *Photo by Felicity Gomer*

November 11, Ribbon Cutting at Island Fin Poke - Welcome Island Fin Poke to Lake Nona and LNRCC! Guests had a great time sampling signature poke and enjoying live entertainment.

Photo by Felicity Gomer



November 14, Breakfast Connections with AdventHealth - Thank you to Dr. Desai and Dr. Nathoo of AdventHealth for sharing their medical expertise regarding men's health topics like GERD, prostate health, testosterone, and more. A big thanks to USTA for making our first event at your gorgeous venue a success. *Photo by Felicity Gomer*

November 15, Ribbon Cutting at Pediatric Dental Group - Welcome Pediatric Dental Group to the Nonahood! We can't wait to see you succeed.

Photo by Ashley Brown



November 19, Grow With Google - Google Trainer Pamela Starr visited our Chamber to show us how to use Google My Business, a free tool, to expand your market. Thanks to Cocktails Catering for a yummy breakfast and GuideWell Innovation Center for hosting us in your beautiful Innovation Theatre. *Photo by Madelyn Long*

November 22, Ribbon Cutting at Home Health Care Resources Corp. - Welcome Home Health Care Resources Corp.! Located in the heart of Harmony, these wonderful people care for the community's elderly and provide genuine companionship in their last years.

Photo by Felicity Gomer



Why Join or Renew?



Receive chamber newsletters - Newsletters provide new member information, interesting information about operating a local business, articles about the local community, a community calendar and details about up-and-coming chamber events, among other things.

New Members



Ashton Insurance Agency, LLC
Beazer Homes
Beep
Coldwell Banker Ackley Realty - Rhonda Smith
Creative Printing Services
Fairwinds Credit Union
Grunit Pool Contractors
Hanover Family Builders
Orlando Health
Pete and Peg's Roadhouse Grill
V3 Capital Group
Wooten CPA PLLC
Worth Real Estate Company



Renewed Members



Baker Barrios Architects, Inc.
Capital Land Settlements
Commercial Air Conditioning & Electric, Inc
CPA Orlando
Gemilang Solutions
Inspired Performance Institute
Markowitz Communications
Pollo Tropical
TMW Insurance Agency, LLC



2019 Chamber Charity of Choice

Nemours Children's Hospital - Children's Health Fund is our Chamber Charity of Choice for 2019. This year, we want to feature some brief Q&As about their efforts and needs.

Q: What is Nemours Children's Hospital?

A: Nemours Children's Hospital, a part of the Nemours Children's Health System, is recognized as one of the nation's safest pediatric hospitals with teams that include some of the best doctors, nurses, and support specialists around. Children can get the full spectrum of care through our extensive pediatric specialty care network comprising Central Florida and our surrounding communities - from fetal care starting in the womb, to primary care for regular well-child visits, urgent care for life's little mishaps, and emergency and inpatient care. Taking care of kids isn't part of what we do. It's *all* we do.

Our Taste of Nona Silent Auction raised \$7,366 and
The Basket Case's luncheon basket donations raised \$543 for
Nemours Children's Health Fund this year!



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