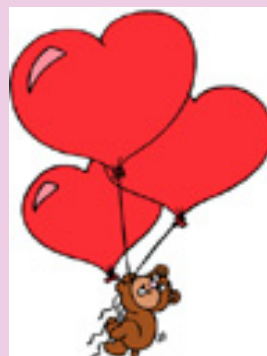


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### NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT/CEO

#### Happy Valentines Day!

Valentine's Day is almost here. February 14 is always a great time to tell your loved ones how much you care and value their support.

We here at the Lake Nona Regional Chamber also want to thank our many members and supporters for the great success you brought to this chamber over the past year.

We energetically request your continued support and want you to tell us how we can impact your future in positive ways.

One of the ways we can receive your input is for you to participate in our surveys available at our website [www.LakeNonaCC.org](http://www.LakeNonaCC.org) or by responding to the email sent Friday, January 25th. This survey ends Friday, February 8. Once compiled, we will respond to your suggestions.

Another way is to come talk with me at one of my monthly "Talk With the CEO" meeting opportunities. These 30-minute talks are intended to be one-on-one or to small groups only.

Members may also request to meet with one of our Directors from the board. We planned the meeting for the third Thursday of every month at 10:30 a.m., usually at the GuideWell Innovation Center in Lake Nona.

You can request your meeting by calling (407) 796-2230 or emailing [administration@lakenonacc.org](mailto:administration@lakenonacc.org). Hope to see you soon.

Finally, join me in welcoming our new Copper Partners, Nemours Children's Hospital and Osceola County Board of Commissioners.

*Don Long*  
**Lake Nona Regional Chamber of  
Commerce  
President/CEO**

# UPCOMING NETWORKING EVENTS



## **MONTHLY NETWORKING EVENTS sponsored by**

**FIRST TUESDAYS**- 1st Tuesday Business After-Hours

**BREAKFAST CONNECTIONS**- 2nd Thursday

**BUSINESS LUNCHEON**- 4th Friday

**CONTAGIOUS CONNECTING**- Quarterly Luncheon (February, May, August & November)

**RIBBON CUTTINGS** - as scheduled, for information on how to schedule a Ribbon Cutting, please contact: [administration@lakenonacc.org](mailto:administration@lakenonacc.org)

### **THIS TUESDAY, February 5 - First Tuesdays After-Hours at**

**Chroma Modern Bar + Kitchen, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.**

Chef's selection of light Bites and Happy Hour Pricing

6967 Lake Nona Blvd, 32827 - **Register Here**

Chamber member benefit. Reserve your spot. Email: [administration@lakenonacc.org](mailto:administration@lakenonacc.org), if you would like to bring a first-time guest to this networking event.

### **Thursday, February 14 - Breakfast Connections - Wendy Brandon, FACHE, CEO of UCF Lake Nona Medical Center Building The Hospital Of The Future**

Wendy Brandon will introduce UCF Lake Nona Medical Center and its role not only in caring for the Lake Nona community, but also in preparing the healthcare providers of tomorrow. The new teaching hospital, scheduled to open in late 2020, is being built as a partnership between HCA Healthcare and the University of Central Florida College of Medicine. You will get an inside look at the unique technology and services planned to ensure Lake Nona's new hospital meets the needs of patients today and for generations to come. 8 - 9:30 a.m., GuideWell Innovation Center Cafe, 6555 Sanger Road, 32827  
Catered by Cap's Kitchen Creations.

### **Wednesday, February 20 - Ribbon Cutting - Smashburger**

Try out a free sandwich or salad, 10:00 a.m. - Noon, Ribbon cutting 10:30 a.m.  
12701 Narcoossee Rd., Suite 150, 32832

### **Friday, February 22 - Business Luncheon with Chris White, Traction in Florida, "ARE YOU THINKING LIKE AN OWNER?"**

Sponsored by FranNet. Catered by BOLAY. 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Ronald McDonald House, 13551 Nemours Parkway, 32827

### **Tuesday, February 26 - Contagious Connecting: Top 10 Traits of a Master Networker That Eliminate Cold Calling. 8:00 - 9:30 a.m., Ronald McDonald House, 13551 Nemours Parkway, 32827**

**Tuesday, March 5 - First Tuesdays After-Hours & Ribbon Cutting at Drive Shack, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. 7285 Corner Dr, 32827, 3rd floor terrace,**  
Complimentary appetizers, several bays open for free play and drawings for certificates towards bay play and food!

**"NEW" YPG (Young Professionals Group) IN LAKE NONA - ARE YOU INTERESTED? - LET US KNOW! STARTING SOON!**

**[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER FOR ALL CHAMBER EVENTS!](#)**

**CHAMBER MEMBERS ONLY**

**"NEW" Annual Sponsorship Opportunities:**

**First Tuesdays - \$1500:**

**Every First Tuesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m.**

**Breakfast Connections - \$1500:**

**Every second Thursday, 8:00-9:30 a.m.**

**Business Luncheons - \$1500:**

**Every fourth Friday, 11:30-1:00 p.m.**

**Contagious Connections - \$750:**

**Quarterly**

**Feb., May, Aug., & Nov., 8:00-9:30 a.m.**

**Benefits:**

Exposure on all of our social media platforms and website as our sponsor for the event through marketing & promotional campaigns run by the Chamber.

Opportunity to speak for 5 minutes at the beginning of the event.

Your logo and contact info displayed on the big screen before the presentation at the event.

Placement of your marketing materials on the tables.

Complimentary registration for two of your representatives (additional reps pay normal registration fees)

(Sponsorship are non-exclusive, logos in order of purchase)



OUR FIRST 2019 ANNUAL MONTHLY SPONSOR:  
SHAMROCK AUTO BODY and SERVICE CENTER

Mike Reilly, Jr.; Mike Reilly, Sr., Owners  
Madelyn Long LNRCC Business Development; Don Long, LNRCC CEO



**Our Host: Nona  
Adventure Park**



**Title Sponsor: Shamrock  
Auto Body &  
Service Center**



**Title Event Partner:  
AdventHealth**



*Nona Chamber*

# FESTIVAL

**NONA ADVENTURE PARK**  
**14086 CENTERLINE DR.**

**SATURDAY APRIL 13, 2019**  
**10 AM - 4 PM**



Climbing Tower Competition Sponsor:



**PEDIATRIC  
DENTAL  
GROUP**

[Register for your Booth today!](#)

## *Bringing Community and Business Together*

### **SPONSORSHIPS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE:**

BEER TENT SPONSOR: \$1500  
CLIMBING TOWER COMPETITION SPONSOR \$750 EACH  
AQUA PARK COMPETITION SPONSOR \$750 EACH  
AWARDS SPONSOR \$750 EACH  
RAFFLE SPONSOR \$750 EACH

[ALL SPONSORSHIPS EXCEPT TITLE ARE NONEXCLUSIVE,  
LOGOS WILL BE IN ORDER OF PURCHASE]

### **BOOTH PRICES:**

LIMITED NUMBER OF BOOTHS AVAILABLE!

STANDARD 10'X10' (SPACE) WITH  
6' TABLE AND 2 CHAIRS

\$275 CHAMBER MEMBERS

\$375 NON-MEMBERS

PREMIUM (INDIVIDUAL TENT) 10' X10'  
TENT, 6' TABLE AND 2 CHAIRS

\$350 CHAMBER MEMBERS

\$450 NON-MEMBERS

### **INTERESTED IN BEING A SPONSOR?**

LEARN MORE AT [WWW.LAKENONACC.ORG/NONA-CHAMBER-FESTIVAL](http://WWW.LAKENONACC.ORG/NONA-CHAMBER-FESTIVAL)  
OR CONTACT US AT [ADMINISTRATION@LAKENONACC.ORG](mailto:ADMINISTRATION@LAKENONACC.ORG)

**NEW JANUARY MEMBERS & RENEWALS**



## **WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS!**

**Avalon Insurance Services, LLC**

**Branch Conner Realty and  
Management**

**Healthcare Solutions Team**

**The Basket Case**

**Traction in Florida**

**UCF College of Medicine**

**Viscogen**

**Watercrest at Lake Nona**

**Women's Center for Total  
Health**

## **WELCOME TO OUR NEW COPPER PARTNERS:**

**Osceola County Board of  
County Commissioners**

**&**

**Nemours Children's Hospital**

[Click here](#) for our full membership!

## **THANK YOU TO OUR RENEWALS!**

**BB&T - Branch Banking & Trust**

**Belmont Management Group**

**Centennial Bank**

**David Weekly Homes**

**Dream Vacations**

**Dwell Nona Place Luxury Apartments**

**Green Cleaning For a Cause, Inc.**

**Lake Nona Self Storage**

**Lake Nona Youth Sports**

**Luxury Realty, Inc.**

**MARS AUDIO "Sound and Beyond"**

**Nelsons Tents & Events**

**New York Life & NYLIFE Securities LLC**

**Nicole Perez Gutierrez**

**Orlando Heart and Vascular Center**

**RE/MAX BLUE WATER**

**Sean Gerlin - Envision Wealth  
Planners**

**SilzerLaw Chartered**

**Spring Realty Orlando**

**Susan Murray, CPA, PA**

**The Pictionary Club**

**Trustco Bank**

# **JANUARY EVENT GALLERY**





**January 3rd, First Tuesday on Thursday & Ribbon Cutting at Castle Church Brewing Community -**

Chamber members and guests enjoyed an evening of craft beers and appetizers.



**January 10th, Breakfast Connections at Canvas with the Lake Nona Information Team -**

Info Center Staff provided an overview of Lake Nona developments and exciting new things to come!



**January 25th, Business Luncheon with Sam Choi, Manager for Emerging Technologies and Renewables for OUC— The Reliable One**

Chamber members and guests learned about new energy technologies in Lake Nona & their impact while enjoying a Taco Bar lunch at The Belfry Restaurant, Eagle Creek Golf Club.



**January 28th, Lake Nona Economic Development Committee visits Amazon, Lake Nona**

Great tour by Mike, Eric and Kurt where members of the Board of Directors and staff enjoyed a two-hour walk-through of the processes of receiving and sending Amazon packages!



**January 11-12th, Lake Nona Chamber Board Retreat**

Sixteen of twenty-one board members attended the 2019 planning session at the Westgate River Ranch in Polk County.



**January 11-12th, Lake Nona Chamber Board Retreat**

Retreat attendees also enjoyed a hay ride around the area with leadership trainer, Linda Travelute and her daughter Amanda.



# WHY JOIN?

**Breakfast Connections at Canvas -----Business Luncheon at Eagle Creek Golf Club**



- “Proud Member” badge for your website, business cards, and email signature
- Post exclusive member-to-member discounts (available only to fellow members), and job listings on Chamber website and community news feed
- Complimentary Ribbon Cutting Event for first-time new members
- Special pricing and opportunities with our media partners



- **Event sponsorship opportunities:**
  - 5 Minute Presentation
  - Complimentary Registration
- Chamber Testimonial for our Website
- Door Prize Donations
- Post events on Chamber Website
- Member Pricing at Chamber events
- Company link on Chamber website
- Enhance your profile online
- One-on-one appointments with a UCF Business Consultant
- 15% discount for a meeting space rental at GuideWell Innovation Center

## *Our 2019 Charity*

The Nemours charity was selected by the Board of Directors as the Lake Nona Regional Chamber's charity of choice for 2019. Give today!

# Nemours® Children's Hospital

## COMPLIMENTARY BUSINESS CONSULTATIONS

**Rafael E. M. Pratts, EDFP, CGBP**  
Assistant Director & Business Consultant  
FSBDC at UCF

Complimentary business consultations in the  
GuideWell Innovation Center, 2nd Floor,  
UCF Incubation Program Meeting Room.



Appointments every Friday morning to mid-day (Appointment times: 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, and 12:00 PM). Contact Jessie Fermaint, Business Assistant, FSBDC at UCF - Osceola County, at 407-847-2452 or via email at [Jessica.Fermaint@ucf.edu](mailto:Jessica.Fermaint@ucf.edu) to schedule an appointment in Lake Nona.

## OUR CHAMBER PARTNERS DIAMOND



PLATINUM



SILVER



BRONZE



COPPER



THANK YOU!



Our Chamber Members support the  
Lake Nona community!

For more information on Lake Nona  
Regional Chamber of Commerce  
please visit: <https://www.lakenonacc.org/>  
or email us at [administration@lakenonacc.org](mailto:administration@lakenonacc.org)

