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A Note From the CEO

Making your voice heard through the ballot box is one of the greatest freedoms. On August 23 Orange County held Primary Elections and the results are convenient for you to find at the Orange County Supervisor of Elections website www.ocfelections.com.

Coming November 8 is the General Election that will include not only your opportunity to choose local, state, and national persons for elected office, but also several important amendments, petitions, and referendums that can significantly impact our region.

I encourage all registered voters to make their voices heard. If you do not want to visit a polling place on election day, please take advantage of other options like early voting and voting by mail. Follow the guidance of President Lincoln by exercising your rights to participate in a government, "of the people, by the people, for the people."

Don Long,

President/CEO



September 8 is International Literacy Day: Consider donating your gently used books to a school, shelter, or neighborhood book bin!



UPCOMING SEPTEMBER EVENTS



CHAMBER CONNECTIONS



"Supporting NonProfits"

Thursday, September 1

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE
6551 Nemours Parkway, Orlando 32827



First Tuesdays After-Hours

Tuesday, September 6

5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

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USTA National Campus

10000 USTA Blvd, Orlando 32827



NONA PROFESSIONAL LADIES' LUNCHEON

"Work Life Balance"

Monday, September 19

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

BY THE LAKE NONA
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Wycliffe Discovery Center
11221 John Wycliffe Blvd Orlando 32832



UPCOMING SEPTEMBER EVENTS



BUSINESS LUNCHEON "Cyber Security"



Friday, September 23

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

XL SOCCER WORLD 12314 Suttner Ave, Orlando 32827



RIBBON-CUTTING *Ceremony* Thursday, September 29

4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Ribbon Cutting begin at 4:30 p.m.

Hughston Clinic

Lake Nona Performance Center 6775 Chopra Terrace, Orlando 32822



MULTIPLE BUSINESSES RIBBON-CUTTING *Ceremony* Thursday, September 29 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Ribbon Cutting begin at 5:30 p.m.

Shuffield Lowman and Wilson, PA

Orlando International Relocation Realty, New ERA Advisory,
and CPA Orlando

5950 Hazeltine National Dr, Orlando 32822



SIGNATURE EVENTS



Lake Nona Regional
Chamber of Commerce

Friday, November 4

Eagle Creek Golf Club

To Benefit 

Only a few Sponsorships and Player Registrations Left!

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OUR CURRENT SPONSORS: Sponsorships still available

Title Sponsor - Synovus
Golf Ball - Lake Nona Performance Club
Beverage Cart - Drive Shack
Breakfast - Beep, Inc. - Gourmet Gratix
Drink Tickets - Lewis and Massey, P.A.
Hole Vendor Booth - Core Values Physical Therapy and Wellness, PLLC - PRP Wine
Longest Drive - Drive Shack
Tee Signs - A Clear Choice Title - Bravo Narcoossee - Fish Window Cleaning -Next Pro LLC - Green Earth Commercial Contracting Company - Hope Presbyterian Church at Lake Nona - Kisselback Ford and Kisselback Insurance Agency - RE/MAX Premier Properties - Mayra I. Nieves - Dream Car Gurus

PARTNERS:

AdventHealth - Amazon MCO1 - First Colony Bank of Florida - GuideWell Innovation - Nona.Media (Nonahood News) - Starling Chevrolet Buick GMC of Saint Cloud - Walmart Supercenter

OUR CURRENT TEAMS: Where is your team?

AdventHealth - Amazon MCO1 - Beep, Inc. - Bravo Narcoossee - BTL Architecture - Carlisle Realty, LLC - City of Orlando - Coffey's Cooling - Drive Shack - First Colony Bank of Florida - Green Earth Commercial Contracting Company - Hope Presbyterian Church at Lake Nona - KPMG 1 - KPMG 2 - Lake Nona Performance Club - Lake Nona Wave Hotel - Nona.Media (Nonahood News) - SouthState Bank - Synovus - Team Group - TEK Contracting -Toho Marine & Outdoors - UCF Lake Nona Hospital - Wooten CPA



Member Appreciation
10 Year Anniversary

HOLIDAY PARTY

Tuesday, December 6

Lake Nona Country Club



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August New & Renewed Members

NEW MEMBERS

Altogether Lovely Health
Amazon - SSD - SE Region - SFL1
ecoPreserve LLC
Lingo Homes LLC
Marcela Alzate, REALTOR
New York Life
Parsons Realty LLC
Pet Paradise Lake Nona
Talbot Custom Homes
The Frucci Team @ RE/MAX 200 Realty

NEW COPPER PARTNER

The Kendrick Team at eXp Realty

PARTNER RENEWALS

Central Florida Lifestyle Magazines - Copper
First Colony Bank of Florida - Silver
Orlando Health - Bronze
OUC The Reliable One - Bronze
UCF Lake Nona Hospital - Bronze

MEMBER RENEWALS

Account On Us Inc
American Balloon Decor
Cheap Chic Life
City of Orlando
Coast 2 Coast Dispatch Services LLC
Core Values Physical Therapy and Wellness
De Freitas, Nelson
digital Memory
Euler, Nicole
Hyatt Place Orlando Airport
Innovation Eye Care
Kidiverse LLC
Lake Nona Young Professionals
Mercedes Fonseca, Candidate for
Orange County Commissioner District 4

Nona Soccer Academy
Orlando Sentinel Media Group
Nona Dental Arts
Orlando VA Healthcare System
Premier Sotheby's International Realty -
Marissa Smith Realtor
Prugner's Digital Marketing
Rockwood Lakehouse
Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini
Catholic Church
Seckinger, Christian
Snap Drone Media
Top Yacht Brokerage, LLC
Vantage Point Coaching, LLC
WOW 1 Day Painting Orlando

August Event Gallery



Chamber members enjoy the First Tuesdays After-Hours Event at Courtyard and Residence Inn by Marriott on August 8. Thank you, Melissa and Paul! (Photo/Madelyn Long)



Chamber Connections Event: Speed Networking at Culver's Lake Nona July 7. (Photo/Danielle Conley)



Breakfast Connections: Help for PTSD panel (l-r): Dr. Rena Peterson, Psy.D., Behavioral Health and Minute Clinic, Lance Price with For the Love of a Veteran, Dr. Dally Rios-Ortega, Clinical Psychologist with Behavioral Health Minute Clinic, Dr. Richard Gayles, MD, Nona Medical Arts, and Dr. Don Wood, Ph.D., Inspired Performance Institute and LaToya Navarrete with Nona Medical Arts. (Photo/Danielle Conley)



Chamber Members and guests cleaned up a part of Narcoossee Road on Aug. 13 during the Adopt-a-Highway event. Thank you to everyone who participated and special thank you to Wayne Alleyne, Nona Enviro Group for leading this project. (Photo/Viviana Solano)



The Nona Professional Ladies Luncheon at XL Soccer World featured a panel of experts on taxes for business owners (r-l): Melissa Barbosa, CPA Orlando, Goretti Garcia, New Era Advisory, Patricia E. Carbone, Esq., Tax Attorney with Carbone Law, P.A. (Photo/Danielle Conley)



Mary Pompilus, franchise owner of Massage Envy of Lake Nona, cut the ribbon and welcomes members of the community to the grand opening of their new location. (Photo/Cathy Case)

August Event Gallery



Orlando District 1 Commissioner Jim Gray (right) and our New Police Chief Eric Smith visit with LNRCC Chamber Members during the Business Luncheon. (Photo/Danielle Conley)



The DripBar Lake Nona celebrate their grand opening with many chamber members and community supporters August 31 with Hollie Gilbert cutting the ribbon. (Photo/Madelyn Long)

Chamber Committees

You've heard the saying, "you get out of your organization what you put into it."

Get more out of your Chamber investment by volunteering to participate on a committee. This is an excellent way to get to know other business owners and showcase your skills and talents, all while contributing to the effort to build and strengthen our community and economy in the Lake Nona Region.

Our committees are growing and changing. If you would like to join one please register in the MIC. If you are currently on a committee and cannot continue, please contact us so we can remove you.

Ambassador Committee - Meets every first Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. via Zoom.

Economic Development and Innovation Task Force - Meets 3rd Monday at 5:00 p.m.

Education Committee - Meets 2nd Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m.

Golf Tournament - Meets on Zoom Mondays 3:00 p.m. Next Event, Friday, November 4.

Health & Wellness Committee - Meets 2nd Wednesdays, 8:00 a.m. - Teams Meeting.

Marketing Committee - Meets 3rd Monday 3:30 p.m. via Zoom or Beep Headquarters.

Membership Task Force - Contact kim@thekendrickteam.com to join.

Nona Festival - March 4, 2023, more info to come.

Non-Profit Committee - Meets every second Tuesday of each month 12:00 p.m. through Zoom.

Young Professionals Group - Meets Third Tuesdays, 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. Lime Fresh Patio.

Committee News



The Marketing Committee meets the third Monday of the month at Beep Headquarters to strategize best practices marketing the Lake Nona Regional Chamber of Commerce



Economic Development Committee met with the Orlando Economic Partnership to view the future of the Digital Twin City project. A huge thank you to our hosts, Nicole Euler and Lindse Murphy

Health and Wellness Committee Updates

Email Kristine.Ford@AdventHealth.com for more information

The Health and Wellness Committee will be recommending virtually on Wednesday, September 14th from 8:00 am- 8:30 am. To attend this meeting and learn more about the newly revamped health committee, please reach out to Kristine.Ford@AdventHealth.com. The committee's exciting new goals and plans around health and wellness for the Lake Nona community will be shared at this meeting.

Camaraderie Foundation

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th 2022

6:00 – 10:00 p.m.

SIGNIA BY HILTON – ORLANDO BONNET CREEK

14100 BONNET CREEK RESORT LN, ORLANDO, FL 32821

Spend an evening at the Camaraderie Foundation's American Patriot Gala in support of providing veterans, military service members, and their families free of charge counseling, transition services, and camaraderie.

This year's event will host a black-tie cocktail hour and 3-course dinner, live and silent auctions, music, and dancing!



Nonprofit Committee Events

Ronald McDonald House



PARTNER NEWS



AdventHealth is bringing their world-class network of care to you — at home — where you can see an AdventHealth provider via video visit or in-person house call.

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AdventHealthLakeNona.com to learn more about services in Lake Nona.

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<https://www.centralfloridalifestyle.com/lake-nona-lifestyle/>

MEMBER NEWS

A graphic for Chambers of FL Healthcare. It features a bright green sign with a white cross icon and the text 'Chambers of FL Healthcare.com' and 'BENEFITS' in large, bold letters. Below the sign, there is a green box containing text about scheduling a call and a list of benefits.

At Chambers of FL Healthcare.com you can schedule a call, fill in your census and talk to a licensed advisor. You will see traditional and alternative insurance options to fit your entire team.

Including:

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Get started today and have your team covered at [ChambersofFLHealthcare.com](https://www.ChambersofFLHealthcare.com)!

YOU'RE INVITED



Lake Nona Regional Chamber of Commerce members are invited to take a sneak peek behind the scenes at the Orlando Science Center at one of our Discover Science Tours.

This is a great opportunity to meet Orlando Science Center staff and learn about the incredible work our team does to achieve our mission to inspire science learning for life! You will have the opportunity to see our new exhibits, learn about exciting plans for the future, and enjoy a complimentary lunch.

There is no expectation or obligation to make a charitable donation at the tour, we simply hope your members will enjoy learning more about the Science Center and our work in the community.

To view available dates or register, please visit www.osc.org/tours.



LEGAL MATTERS

SELF HELP CENTER FORUM
FREE Zoom Webinar

The Orange County Clerk of Courts is hosting a special virtual edition of our **Legal Matters** forum series as an online Zoom webinar. Join us for a FREE legal education event, all are welcome to attend.



Self Help Center

Need an attorney? Can't afford an attorney? Join us for a free legal forum where you will learn how the Orange County Clerk of Court's Self Help Center can help you with legal assistance and advice.

In celebration of the 7 year anniversary of the grand opening of our Self Help Center, this legal forum will show you how to get legal guidance and low cost attorney consultations in Family Law, Small Claims, and Residential Evictions.

The center is the first of its kind in Orange County to help citizens who don't have an attorney or cannot afford one.

WHERE

*Virtual Webinar
LIVE on Zoom*

WHEN

*September 20, 2022
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.*

**Register for free, go to:
MyOrangeClerk.com**

Tiffany Moore Russell
Orange County Clerk of Courts



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