

CHAMBER OF BUSINESS Watch

July 2018

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Brand & Reputation Management Seminar

When: Tuesday, July 10; 8:30-10 a.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom Cost: \$20, members; \$30 non-members Speaker: Phala Murray,

Network for a Cause

When: Wednesday, July 11; 5:30-7:30 p.m. Where: DoubleTree West Palm Beach Airport Cost: \$20, members; \$30, non-members

Business Builder When: Friday, July 13 and

Thursday, July 26; 8:30-9:45 Where: Chamber Boardroom

Trustee Luncheon When: Thursday, July 19;

noon-1 p.m. Invitation only

YPOP Hotspot

Cost: Free

When: Thursday, July 19; 5:30-7:30 p.m. Where: Grandview Public Market Cost: \$10 for all Young **Professionals**

New Member Meet & Greet

When: Tuesday, July 24; 8:30-10 a.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom Cost: Free to members

One on One 101

When: Friday, July 27; 8:30-9:45 a.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom Cost: Free



From left: Rick Reikenis, Reikenis & Associates; Evelyn Hopkins, Chair-Elect; Jupiter Medical Center Administrators Dr. Nancy Taft, Kathleen Ahern, and Donald McKenna, PHOTO BY CAPEHART PHOTOGRAPHY

ADVANCES IN CANCER TREATMENT TOPIC OF KEYNOTE ADDRESS AT JUNE BREAKFAST

Jupiter Medical Center was pleased to sponsor the Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches' June Breakfast. The keynote speaker, Nancy Taft, MD, Medical Director of the hospital's Comprehensive Breast Care Program, explained how precision medicine is completely changing the face of cancer care and prevention.

Local business leaders listened as Dr. Taft revealed how advances in genetics have made it not only possible – but essential - to customize cancer treatment by considering each patient's genetic makeup.



"Before personalized medicine, most patients with a specific type and stage of cancer received the same treatment," said Dr. Taft, a fellowship-trained breast surgeon who is also a former Lieutenant Colonel in the U.S. Army Reserve and served as a trauma surgeon caring for soldiers on the battlefields in Afghanistan. "That is no longer the standard of care at Jupiter

Medical Center." Certain treatments work better for some patients than others. The growth in the field of genetics has led researchers to find genetic differences in people and their tumors.

Dr. Taft also shed light on the mail-order genetic tests that are heavily advertised on TV. While they promise to give insight into your risk of diseases, such as cancer or Alzheimer's disease, the doctor cautioned that those tests only provide part of the story. She conceded that these popular tests are bringing awareness to important health issues

and the role of genetics, but advised that no health care decisions should be based on a mail-order test.

A dedicated genetic counselor, such as the one at Jupiter Medical Center, can provide a complete assessment of an individual's cancer risk by looking at many factors, including genetics, gender, age, family history, history of hormone exposure, and more. With cancer, knowing your family history and genetic make-up can save lives.

For more information, call 561-263-2234 or visit jupitermed.com.

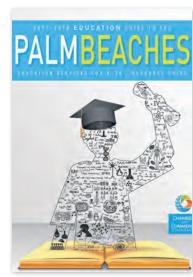
Join now to appear in the 2018-2019 **Education Guide To** The Palm Beaches

Looking to attract business? Increase your visibility and your sales by appearing in the Chamber's 2018-2019 Education Guide to the Palm Beaches. This award-winning, full-color publication is used as a resource directory by Chamber members, residents, tourists and visitors of Palm Beach County.

The Chamber prints 10,000 copies of the Guide, and each member of the Chamber is included in the membership listings.

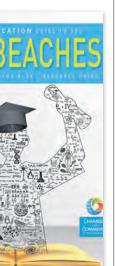
The Education Guide will debut at the Back-To-School Breakfast on Wednesday, August 22, when 400 area business men and women will leave with a copy, hot off the press. The guide will also be available in the Chamber's lobby, and in digital format online at palmbeaches.org.

The deadline to join is July 25, and you must be a Chamber member to be



included. This is just one of the many benefits of membership. For information, email Kelly Fanelli, membership director, at kfanelli@palmbeaches.org

or call 561-257-0289.



Sheriff Bradshaw talks to Chamber Board of Directors and Trustees about school policing

Palm Beach County Sheriff Ric Bradshaw addressed the Board of Directors and Trustees at our June meeting. The sheriff explained in detail the issue of school policing

and all of its impact on law enforcement and finances. Bradshaw also outlined the extensive law enforcement communication network that he maintains, stretching from Martin County to Key West. Afterward, the sheriff participated in an extensive question-and-answer session with those in attendance.



From left: Waste Management employees Doug Smith, Jeffrey Briggs, and Julian Gil; and Chamber Chair Keith Spina.

Waste Management of Palm Beach wins **Chamber Golf Tournament**

The Annual Chamber Golf Tournament took place June 15 at Breakers West Country Club. Twentyseven teams competed for the honor of being added to the Chamber Cup that is proudly displayed in the Chamber lobby. The first place team, Waste Management of Palm Beach, consisted of Jeffrey Briggs, Doug Smith, Julian Gil, and Piri Borja. Second place went to the Gunster team.

The Chamber's Annual Golf Tournament is one of the most popular events on our calendar, attracting a wide range of decision-makers and community leaders. Thank you to GliddenSpina & Partners, Duffy's Sports Grill, FASTSIGNS, Land Rover, Southwest Airlines, and all of our supporting sponsors who assisted in this annual fund-raiser.











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Gubernatorial candidate addresses Trustees

Philip Levine, the former two-term mayor of Miami Beach and current candidate for governor of Florida, addressed more than 50 Trustees at a June luncheon. The Democratic candidate for governor stressed his background as a successful entrepreneur and businessman in the private sector.

During his two terms as mayor of Miami Beach, Levine led an effort to combat rising sea levels, which is now a model for cities around the world. This commitment to a healthy environment, support of new public transportation options, and improving our public education system are just a few of the key areas he will focus on if elected governor.

Levine has opened a campaign office in Palm Beach County at 3008 S. Dixie Highway in West Palm Beach.





U.S. Global Leadership Coalition (USGLC) Executive Director Jason Gross

Trustee luncheon set for July 19

The Chamber's next Trustee luncheon, July 19, is by invitation only and will feature U.S. Global Leadership Coalition (USGLC) Executive Director Jason Gross, who will discuss the ways in which the USGLC works across the state of Florida and how America's global engagement impacts the West Palm Beach region of the Sunshine State.

USGLC is a broad-based influential network of 500 business and nongovernmental organizations (NGOs); national security and foreign policy experts; and business, faithbased, academic, military, and community leaders in

all 50 states who support strategic investments to elevate development and diplomacy alongside defense in order to build a better, safer world.

For more information about joining the Trustee program, contact Kelly Fanelli at kfanelli@palmbeaches.org or 561-257-0289.





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What's new in business? You tell me.

The June Business After Hours was hosted by MidiCi The Neapolitan Pizza Company. Pronounced Mee-Dee-Chee, the Italian word MidiCi translates to 'You tell me!' in English, emphasizing the value of people telling each other about their lives, fostering friendships, and the personalized approach to authentic Neapolitan Pizza. Stay tuned for their new menu launch, which will include pastas, calzones and more. The next after-hours event will be Netw July 11 at the DoubleTree West Palm Beach Airport, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Visit www.palmbeaches.org to register.



Solar Trees coming to downtown West Palm Beach

A combined vision to advance clean energy has brought life to a new kind of solar that harnesses the sun and provides visitors of the Palm Beaches with shade and covered parking thanks to Florida Power & Light's SolarNow program.

These distinctive solar trees and canopies at five public parks add an educational and interactive component to solar. Their design allows solar to be easily integrated into urban landscapes.

From shading visitors' vehicles to charging their cell phones, these unique solar arrays can be found at Barrier-Free Park, Oceanfront Park, Palm Beach Gardens Aquatic Center, Joe Russo Athletic Complex and soon, Howard Park.

FPL and the city have partnered to plant three solar trees with table chargers as well as real trees at Howard Park.

Once complete, these six parks combined will be powering the grid with more than 300 kilowatts of emissions-free energy to benefit all FPL customers.

This partnership offers people an opportunity to see and learn about solar up close something many have never experienced because solar panels are usually located out of sight on rooftops, or at universal solar energy centers such as those FPL is building across the

In addition, these solar installations pique the curiosity of visitors and encourage discussion about sustainability.

And it's all thanks to more than 30,000 support solar, and want to see it in their local communities, an opportunity to do so.

SolarNow participants. FPL SolarNow is a voluntary program that allows customers who

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June YPOP Hotspot full of fun and games



GAME SHOP

EATERY



The June YPOP Hotspot took place at 3 of Hearts Game Room Eatery in downtown Lake Worth. 3 of Hearts has many fun activities booked for the summer months. Head over to

their website, www.3ofhearts.co, to read a full blog on what's coming up, and follow them on Facebook for the full calendar of events. Mention that you are a member of the Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches and receive 10 percent off your next visit.

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