



# EVERGREEN AREA Chamber of Commerce

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NEWSLETTER

## Thank You Members! Chairman's Circle



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## 2019 Will Be Fabulous for Local Business!



Local businesses are ready to serve residents and visitors like never before. Everywhere you go people are talking about how they are excited to work together to bring about local improvements and economic prosperity. We are a relationship driven community and it truly does take a village but that's what makes it exciting to be a part of the mountains, that's why we all live here.

The mission of the Evergreen Chamber is to grow our local economy by building business relationships, promoting the community and presenting local concerns to our county government. We do this by staying true to our values in our daily operations. We strive for honesty and integrity by providing business recommendations. Our

office and website offer a welcoming environment for visitors and those relocating to the mountain community. Supportive and encouraging of all things local, staying focused on economic growth is our job and we are always looking for ways to better the financial standing and connection to customers for our active businesses.

Why is doing business with a Chamber business important? We have over 550 businesses that belong to the Evergreen Chamber. That means over 550 owners and their employees work hard every day to bring residents and visitors alike quality services and products. They are proud to support our local economy, you should be proud to recommend them to your friends.

Did you get a chance to attend the Skate the Lake New Year's Eve Festival? It was a huge success and the Evergreen Chamber is proud to be able to make a charitable donation to four different nonprofits: Drive Smart, Active4All, EAPL (Evergreen Animal Protective League) and the foodbank ECHO (Evergreen Christian Outreach). A special thanks to our event manager Jackie Mohr and Volunteer Coordinator Marie Lynch. Their leadership brought together Chamber staff, sponsors, attendees and over 100 volunteers to get the job done.

Our primary Skate The Lake sponsors were: Cactus Jacks (Ice Sculpture), The Wild Game (Warming Hut), Chow Down and BeauJos (Fireworks), Berkshire Hathaway Home Services Elevated Living (Tickets) and the Ponzio Family. Check our website under the Skate the Lake tab to view all 36 of the sponsors that helped put this show on. It was by the community for the community and it was awesome!

As always, thank you for working local, shopping local and living local. Anytime you have questions about what is going on with business and our community, or need a recommendation, check our Facebook page, visit our website or call our office. We are here to help!

*-Betsy Hays*

President & CEO, Evergreen Chamber  
(303) 674-3412  
EvergreenChamber.org





# EVENT SNAPSHOT



## THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING OUR **SKATE THE LAKE** NEW YEAR'S EVE FESTIVAL







# UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENT



PRESENT

## ***SPEED NETWORKING EVENT***

Join the Evergreen and West Chambers for a fun, educational networking event.  
We will teach you how to effectively meet your next client/power partner!

Guaranteed you will meet great new contacts in our high paced engaging evening.  
Stay for happy hour drinks and appetizers as you continue the conversation.  
Bring lots of business cards!



Our Expert Facilitator:

**Philip Peltó**  
MyFirestorm, LLC



Philip is passionate about teaching and coaching and loves to see his friends and clients grow and succeed. Always being a straight commission salesperson, he has experienced the invigoration of victory and the agony of defeat. Now, Philip owns a professional networking company called MyFirestorm. MyFirestorm teaches its members how to build long term strategic partnerships and how to leverage those partnerships to send you a steady flow of high quality referrals. Through his company and professional speaking engagements he has been able to effect change in thousands of companies and tens of thousands of employees.

Thursday, January 24th  
5:00-7:30 pm



25918 Genesee Trail Rd Golden, CO 80401

**\$15 for Members**  
**\$20 for Not-Yet Members**

Price includes complimentary drinks  
and appetizers.

**Event will sell out!**  
**Register in advance:**

**EvergreenChamber.org**  
**(303) 674 - 3412**

Special thanks to our sponsors:



**Gerri Peltó**

Private Mortgage  
Wells Fargo Home Mortgage  
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# UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENTS



**NEW 2019**

**Let's Do Lunch!**  
**Every Friday at 1pm**

Join Chamber President Betsy Hays tell her how we can serve you better. Every Friday we will pick a different Chamber member restaurant.

Cost \$10-15

This Friday, January 18th at Blackbird Cafe and Tavern.  
Next Friday, January 25th at The Pizza Joint.



*let's do  
lunch*

## Monthly Chamber Breakfast

o Coffee o Breakfast o Networking o Education o

**Wednesday February 6th 7:30-9am**  
**The Wild Game**



Fox General Contracting



Forensic Marketing



Guest Speaker:  
JCBRC Executive Director  
Amira Watters  
*Goal Setting for Success!*

## Evergreen Chamber Business Mixer

**Thursday, February 14th 5-7:30pm**

Come join us for our Chamber Mixer. Network with other local business owners, win door prizes and enjoy food & beverages.



\$5 Members/\$10 Not-Yet Members

Hosted By Chase Bank  
1254 Bergen Parkway, Suite D-100  
Evergreen 80439





# UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENT



EVERGREEN AREA  
Chamber of Commerce



LEADERSHIP  
EVERGREEN



Join us as we recognize those who have made a difference in our community in 2018!

**Thursday March 7th 5:30-8:30 pm**  
**Evergreen Elks Lodge**

Tickets \$40 at [EvergreenChamber.org](http://EvergreenChamber.org) or call (303) 674-3412

Leader of the Year    Nonprofit of the Year    Volunteer of the Year  
Young Professional of the Year    Ambassador of the Year  
Youth of the Year

**Nominations Open Thursday, February 5th**  
**[EvergreenChamber.org](http://EvergreenChamber.org)**



Thomas V. Carby  
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Thank you to our Title Sponsor  
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**Sponsorships Opportunities Available.**  
Contact President Betsy Hays [president@evergreenchamber.org](mailto:president@evergreenchamber.org)

# **FEATURED MEMBER SPOTLIGHT**



**EST. 2004/Current Ownership since 2017-**  
**Interview with Jeff Smith - Owner/Publisher**  
**(303) 674-3701 | [yourmtnconnection.com](http://yourmtnconnection.com) |**

## Q. How often do you publish? How many subscribers do you have?

Your Mountain Connection is a free publication that comes out on the first of every month. There are no subscriptions. They are delivered to each home and business in Evergreen, Conifer, Pine and Bailey and the surrounding areas. For those who do not receive their mail at home, the paper is distributed to racks at the Post Offices and around the communities.

## Q. What's new with Your Mountain Connection?

In 2018 we added several new staff members - writers, a photographer and a new copy editor. We also have many new advertisers. The results they received have been very good. You are welcome to contact any of them and ask about their responses.

## Q. Why are these new aspects important to the business?

We are a 'positive news' paper. We do not have reporters, sports, political editorials, etc. There are good weekly reporting papers that fill that niche. We are consumer oriented and like local history, local human interest stories, local artists, writers and poets, etc. We also support our local nonprofits and start up businesses. We have contributed over \$114,000 to local nonprofits over the past several years.

## Q. Is there anything else you would like your fellow Chamber members to know?

Your Mountain Connection has been in these communities for over 25 years with three different owners during that period. Each one has continue the tradition of 'news on the positive side'. We work with our advertisers to make sure they receive the best possible response from the readers and we can design your ads free. Give us a call - our pricing is very competitive and the advertiser mix is very diverse.



**Rotary**  
 Club of Evergreen Colorado



## Rotary in the Local Community

*We've Supported More than 50 Local Programs*

Evergreen Rotary's Community Service objective is to recognize that, as Rotarians, we have both an opportunity and a duty to make our community a better place to live by actively serving those around us.

Rotary's Community Service relates to the support we provide for activities and programs of other entities in the community in the following areas:

- Arts and Culture
- Civics - being good citizens
- Education
- The Environment
- Human Services

Log on to [EvergreenRotary.org](http://EvergreenRotary.org) and click through 'Community Service' for a full list of all the projects we've supported.

In 2018 Evergreen Rotary Donated to the Community:

- 4,000+ Volunteer Hours = 80 weeks or equivalent to 2 full time 'employees' helping locally year-round
- Invested \$28,000 in local community projects and donated \$6,000 worth of goods

Thanks to our Evergreen Rotary Club sponsors:



100 Holes of Golf: Raising funds for non-profits, and having a lot of fun doing it!



Smokey the Bear - another local project funded by Evergreen Rotary Club



This year's winners Jeff and Bev Sprout presented by last year's winner John Erlandson



The Foothills Home, Garden & Lifestyle Show March 30/31 at EHS will be our 14th year



The Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon - Rotary's gift to the Community



Our volunteers getting ready for the big Recycle day

What is the Rotary sponsorship program? If you would like to know more, please call or email Tim Grace: Cell - 305-926-5894. Email - [Tim.Grace@N2Pub.com](mailto:Tim.Grace@N2Pub.com)



## Evergreen Chamber Board of Directors “In It Together” Program

The Evergreen Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors are responsible for the strategic guidance and policy governance of our organization. As local business professionals and strong dedicated business leaders, each board member is committed to the well-being, support and development of our businesses and community.

With this in mind, they have decided to launch our first EACC “In It Together” program, which was announced at our January Chamber Breakfast. [Watch on Facebook](#)

- Who:** 2019 Board Members and individual EACC Members
- What:** Board Members volunteer to counsel EACC Members on a confidential, individual and FREE basis to help grow, mentor and support the Members business
- Where:** Over coffee, lunch, dinner, phone, place of business, other
- How:** Pair Board Member(s) with EACC Members who want to benefit from Board Members skills, experiences, etc.
- Why:** Coming together is a beginning; keeping together is progress; working together is success

Initially, we will start with up to 5 EACC Members.  
Interested? Email Rachel Nicks, Board Chair,  
[SeasonallyYoursLLC@gmail.com](mailto:SeasonallyYoursLLC@gmail.com)



(left to right) Jerry Nichols, John Hugger, Caitlyn Dunbar, Tim Grace, Brenda Davis, Tim Eagan, Betsy Hays, Gary Ervick, Lisa Fowler, Dave Wilson, Suzanne Levy, Kate Higgins, Sheree Teller, Kristin Witt, Rachel Nicks. Missing John Ellis.



## Congratulations to Jefferson County's newly elected and re-elected officials!

On January 9th, the officials below were sworn in by the Honorable 1st Judicial Chief Judge Philip McNulty. The ceremony was hosted by Commissioners Casey Tighe and Libby Szabo.

- Assessor Scot Kersgaard
- Clerk & Recorder George Stern
- Commissioner Lesley Dahlkemper
- Coroner Annette Cannon
- Sheriff Jeff Shrader (re-elected) & Undersheriff Patsy Mundell
- Surveyor Bryan Douglass
- Treasurer Jerry DiTullio



- District Court Judge Chris Bachmeyer
- District Court Judge Diego G. Hunt
- District Court Judge Laura A. Tighe
- County Court Judge Susan L. Fisch
- County Court Judge Mark Randall
- County Court Judge Ryan J. Stuart
- County Court Judge Thomas Vance





# NEW CHAMBER MEMBERS



## Bethany Chamberlain - Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage

Here to serve the Evergreen and Foothills communities. Call me with your Real Estate needs!

**Bethany Chamberlain - Associate Broker**  
30810 Stagecoach Blvd. Suite 101, Evergreen 80439  
(720) 205-4934



## Elk Country Fence

Elk Country Fence does many styles of fence including split rail, privacy, chain link, wooden dowel, ornamental—and even mailbox posts. Free estimates, fully insured, references available on request.

**Dan Griffin – Owner**  
Evergreen 80439  
(303) 674-6561 | [elkcountrypfence.com](http://elkcountrypfence.com)



## The Rouse Life

Our mission is to inspire and empower an ever-evolving and expanding community of people to live an awakened, healthy, joyful, mindful, and authentic life.

**Dr. Debra Rouse**  
3045 Whitman Drive, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 674-6139 | [therouselife.com](http://therouselife.com)



## American Family Insurance/Brett Champine

As your American Family Insurance agent, I believe there's more to insurance than the policy itself. It's about providing dependable protection and service. That's why earning your trust is my policy.

**Melanie Penfield - Agent**  
1271 Sugarbush Drive Suite 110, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 674-3535 | [amfam.com/agentlocator/myHomePage.do?agent=bchampi1](http://amfam.com/agentlocator/myHomePage.do?agent=bchampi1)



## 14 Hands Ranch/Animal Justice Center

We work hard to change the lives of people and animals for the better in this serene and unique sanctuary at 14 Hands Ranch. By educating the public, advocating for those who need our help, and utilizing strategic rescue efforts, we will maximize the potential of the ranch to create a community commodity to benefit everyone.

**Jennifer Edwards - Owner**  
28886 Cragmont Drive, Evergreen 80439  
(720) 419-0059 | [14handsranch.com](http://14handsranch.com)



## Evergreen Lutheran Church

We are a community parish committed to ministry in the Evergreen area. We rejoice in our diversity which enriches, nurtures & challenges our lives and the ministry we share in Christ. All are welcome!

**Kim Williams - Director of Adult Ministries**  
5980 Highway 73, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 674-4654 | [evergreenlutheran.org](http://evergreenlutheran.org)



## Mountain Parks Veterinary Hospital

Compassionate, Complete, Convenient Pet Care for our Community. We are the only full-service animal hospital, doggie daycare and boarding facility serving Evergreen and the Foothills' communities.

**Dr. David DiMeo - Veterinarian**  
5920 Highway 73, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 674-3156 | [mountainparksvet.com](http://mountainparksvet.com)



## Holly Taylor & Deanna Thompson / Sothebys International Realty

We are Luxury Real Estate Experts specializing in Evergreen Colorado with over 25 years combined experience.

**Holly Taylor & Deanna Thompson - Brokers**  
31955 Castle Court Unit 1 South, Evergreen 80439  
(720) 369-8583 | [hollytaylor.livsothebysrealty.com](http://hollytaylor.livsothebysrealty.com)



## Tesla Electric Company

Tesla Electric is a local electrical company working with contractors, home and business owners, realtors, to deliver reliable, cost-effective electrical and lighting solutions in the Front Range.

**Felix Keil - Owner**  
Bailey 80421  
(303) 842-4505 | [teslaelectriccolorado.com](http://teslaelectriccolorado.com)



## Eudaimonia Human Flourishing Center

Eudaimonia is a non-profit ministry that empowers individuals and the community to flourish in their pursuit of health, happiness, and prosperity.

**Kat Foreman - Operations Director**  
Indian Hills 80454  
(303) 999-0477 | [eflourish.org](http://eflourish.org)



## Denali Development Group, LLC

We specialize in commercial real estate, consulting and development. Website coming soon— Keep an eye out!

**Bryan McFarland - Owner**  
29025 Upper Bear Creek Road Suite A, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 434-9435



## Sunrise Reiki Colorado

Sunrise Reiki Colorado offers pain and stress relief for individuals, families, organizations and animals. Please follow us on FB, Instagram, LinkedIn and YouTube for upcoming classes and events.

**Jeff Baird - Reiki Master and Teacher**  
7113 Silverhorn Drive, Evergreen, CO 80439  
(720) 250-8107 | [sunrisereikicolorado.com](http://sunrisereikicolorado.com)





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## J.R. Brousseau Architectural Woodworks

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J.R. Brousseau Architectural Woodworks offers premium craftsmanship for all of your carpentry needs.

**Jim Brousseau – Owner**  
P.O. Box 510, Evergreen 80439  
(714) 600-2422



### Church of the Hills Presbyterian USA

We are a vibrant family of faith rooted in God's Word, gathering together to worship and be equipped to share the love of Christ with the world.

**Susan Boucher - Pastor**  
28628 Buffalo Park Road, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 674-6641 | churchofthehills.com



### Inglenook Energy

The Denver area's best fireplace store is right in the heart of Conifer CO. We have over 40 burning displays spread throughout our expansive 3,000 sq ft showroom. The best brands and a wide selection.

**Mark Major - Owner**  
26731 Main St, Conifer 80433  
(303) 838-3612 | inglenookenergy.com



### Berge Design

Award winning Berge Design provides services for a variety of your interior needs. We work to understand your taste, lifestyle and needs, to create your perfect space from concept to install.

**Amber Ray – Designer**  
28345 Meadow Drive, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 565-0084 | bergedesignco.com



### Evergreen Movement Studio

Movement is life! At Evergreen Movement Studio we guide you through dynamic, fun, low-impact exercises to help ensure living life in a happy body.

**Anna Timmons - Owner**  
1262 Bergen Parkway Suite 18E, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 807-4980 | evergreenmovementsstudio.com



### Momentum Energy Coaching

Are you living your best life? Candace's confidential, intuitive coaching targets the root of your blocks and challenges to help create a more fulfilling and joyful life journey.

**Candace O'Brien - Owner**  
3560 Evergreen Pkwy, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 888-0188 | momentumenergycoaching.com



### SafeHaven Consulting

Cost-effective solutions for business owner's unique challenges through consultation, education & customized programs that build lasting relationships.

**Jannee Joy**  
Evergreen 80439  
(720) 326-2602



### Valor Roof and Solar

Valor Roof and Solar is a local, veteran owned, roofing company. Our objective is to be your one point of contact for all of your residential and commercial roofing or solar needs.

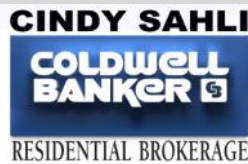
**James Brown - Owner/Operator**  
4251 South Natches Court Unit B, Englewood 80110  
(303) 770-7663 | ValorRoofandSolar.com



### Wildflower Café

Located in historic Downtown Evergreen, Colorado, The Wildflower Cafe offers breakfast and lunch seven days a week 7:30 am - 2pm.

**Colin Kerr - Owner/ Operator**  
28035 Hwy 74, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 674-3323 | wildflowerevergreen.com



### Cindy Sahli / Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage

Trustworthy, Capable, Creative, committed to getting results – guiding clients to achieve their goals when buying or selling their home. Backed by years of experience in sales and Coldwell Banker's exceptional marketing.

**Cindy Sahli - Realtor**  
30810 Stagecoach Blvd. Suite 101, Evergreen 80439  
(303) 588-2399 | cindysahli.realestatepro.com



# THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT



These members have renewed their memberships in December.

## 1 + YEARS

Evergreen Chamber Orchestra  
Chase Bank  
Evan's Auto Care  
Kris Vallin – The Artistry of Success  
Roofing Outfitters  
Essence Hair Studio  
Evergreen Animal Hospital  
Image Marketing Specialists  
Wambolt & Associates  
Crave Consignment – Women's Boutique  
Gretchen MacArthur/Mary Kay Independent Senior Director  
Skalte Images  
Colorado Mountain Homes & Land  
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## 20 + YEARS

VP Financial Options

## 30 + YEARS

Evergreen Metropolitan District  
Kittredge Auto Builders  
Sells Law Firm

## 5 + YEARS

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Jeffco Public Schools  
BookSense  
Evergreen Clothing Company & Mercantile  
Gerou & Associates, Ltd.  
Congregation Beth Evergreen  
Inspired Fitness

*Thank You*

## 10 + YEARS

Evergreen Vacuum  
LoanSimple

## 15 + YEARS

Beaver Brook Pet Center  
Shephard Realty, Inc.

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Betsy Semmens  
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Jackie Mohr  
Marie Lynch

President/CEO  
Marketing Manager  
Operations Team  
Operations Team  
Accounts Manager  
Membership Coordinator  
Membership Coordinator  
Membership Coordinator  
Skate The Lake Event Mgr.  
Skate The Lake Volunteer Mgr.

Thank you for your support!





# CHAMBER EVENTS CALENDAR

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## EVERGREEN AREA Chamber of Commerce

### January/February 2019

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
14	15 Early Morning Edition Leads Group 7:30am Quarterly Nonprofit Aspen Perk Cafe, 3:00	16 EACC Board Meeting EFR 4:30 pm	17 Lunch Bunch Leads Group, Tuscany Tavern, 11.30 AM	18 Ribbon Cutting- The Bait Shack
21 Office Closed Martin Luther King Day	22 Early Morning Edition Leads Group, 7:30 AM	23	24 Speed Networking Christies of Genesee 5-7:30 PM	25 Ribbon Cutting- Colorado Center for Neurofeedback
28 <b>SAVE THE DATE!</b>  1/24 Speed Networking Christies of Genesee 5-7:30 PM  2/6 Member Breakfast The Wild Game 7:30 AM  2/7 Ambassador Meeting - TBD 4:30 PM  2/14 Member Mixer Chase Bank 5:00 PM	29 Early Morning Edition Leads Group, 7:30 AM	30	31 Lunch Bunch Leads Group, Tuscany Tavern, 11.30 AM	1 Ribbon Cutting - Echo Mountain
4	5 Early Morning Edition Leads Group, 7:30 AM	6 Member Breakfast The Wild Game 7:30 AM	7 Ambassador Mtg TBD 4:30 PM	8 Ribbon Cutting - Dandelion's Cafe
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