# **EVERGREEN AREA**Chamber of Commerce











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#### Growing the Local Economy



The number one goal of the Evergreen Chamber of Commerce is to grow the local economy. Since 1970, the Chamber staff and its members have worked together to bring goods and services to our mountain community.

Promoting our local economy is rewarding both monetarily and mentally. Meeting businesses owners, keeping them informed about local issues and introducing them to each other is what energizes our Chamber staff. We take great pride in our efforts and are always looking for ways to improve our member's return on investment. Yes, being part of the Evergreen Chamber is an investment, a marketing investment. When we can, we deliver numerical data results to our members so they can be excited to know how their

dollars are working to drive business to their establishments. Whether it be web stats, social media engagements, visitor and resident inquiries for services we make sure that data is available for our customers.

Directly connected to promoting our local economy is promoting our local community. As we all are aware, the summer is full of community events from the Lake Concerts to the Rodeo to Summerfest and the Jazz Festival, then on to the Dam Duck Derby and ending with the Big Chili Cookoff. Local Evergreen businesses are constantly approached to donate or volunteer at these events and they do so with pride. Please make sure to thank them for their support by shopping locally, eating locally, hiring contractors, landscapers, accountants, doctors all locally. By working together, residents and businesses can promote each other. The reward is simple, a growing vibrant economy that we all are a part of.

Did you get a chance to attend the Taste of Evergreen on May 2? Over 400 people went and sampled food and drinks from 20 local establishments. The event was highlighted in Colorado Serenity, the Canyon Courier, the Mountain Connection and all over Facebook. Restaurants worked together to show off what they have to offer and the crowd loved it. Multiple businesses sponsored the event to showcase our mountain area eats. Thank you to Bruce Anderson, Anderson Farmer's Insurance Agency for being our Title Sponsor.

Our winners were:

Best Sip of the Taste: Lariat Lodge Brewing Company

Vienna Style Lager

1st Place Best Bite of the Taste : Mount Vernon Canyon Club

Ahi Tuna Tacos

2nd Place Best Bite of the Taste: Da Kind Soups

**Brussel Sprout Soup** 

3rd Place Best Bite of the Taste: Blackbird Café & Tavern

Mini Chicken Pot Pies

Join us next year, Thursday May 7th at the Evergreen Lake House. In the meantime visit our website to see all of the restaurants that participated in the Taste and head out to dinner to try the best Evergreen has to offer.

As always, thank you for your support of the Chamber, thank you for your support of our local nonprofits and businesses. Contact us for recommendations any time. Visit our website EvergreenChamber.org and find what you are looking for or call our office.

#### -Betsy Hays

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



## Taste of Evergreen











### **One Bite Challenge Winners**



**Mount Vernon Canvon Club** Ahi Tuna Taco



**Da Kind Soup** Da Kind Soup/Brussel Sprout



Blackbird Café & Tavern Mini Chicken Pot Pies

#### One Sip Challenge Winner



Lariat Lodge Brewing Company Baroque A.F. Vienna Style Lager



















Bear Creek Design Group, Canyon Courier - Evergreen Newspapers, & College Nannies, Sitters & Tutors of Golden. Peggy and Lee Bertrand / Your Castle Realty, S.C. Robert CPA, Evergreen Rentals & Evergreen National Bank.



# **UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENTS**



### Monthly Chamber Breakfast

o Coffee o Breakfast o Networking o Education o

Wednesday June 5th 7:30-9am Il Rancho Brewing Company

\$15 Members | \$20 Not-Yet Members in advance at EvergreenChamber.org At the door: \$25 Members | \$30 Not-Yet Members







Guest Speaker: Kristi Pollard *Ieffco Economic Development Corp.* 



Thursday, June 13th 5-7:30pm

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



RE/MAX Alliance Evergreen 30480 Stagecoach Blvd. Evergreen 80439

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



### **JOIN US Every Friday at 1 pm**

\$15 per person - Locations vary weekly -

Visit the Evergreen Chamber website event tickets page or follow us on Facebook to see where to meet.

- evergreenchamber.org/chamber-event-tickets/
- facebook.com/evergreenchamberofcommerceco





**Exclusive Opportunity** for Chamber Members.

Submit a blog-Increase your chances of getting a customer from the chamber website directly to yours.

### MAY THEME IS: RECREATION

Submit your blog entry by MAY 22nd

Email President Betsy Hays

President @EvergreenChamber.org

Read More Blogs: evergreenchamber.org/ blog

#### **Animal Invasion? You May Or May Not Be Covered.**

Your dog ate your couch. Birds destroyed your gutter. A family of raccoons or a bear overran your garage. Will your homeowner's insurance, renter's insurance or auto insurance in Evergreen cover these animal invasions?

Yes and no. Here's the scoop:

#### Infestation:

If your home suffers damage at the hands (or legs) of insects, rodents, or vermin, the cost probably won't be covered by your homeowner's insurance. Whatever damage these unwanted guests cause, including nesting and infestation, is not usually covered. However, this varies by policy, so be sure to check with your insurance agent to confirm.

#### **Destruction:**

If your personal property is destroyed by an animal, this usually does not fall under your homeowner's policy coverage. If the animal damages the property itself, this is probably covered. So, if a bear breaks into your garage and mauls your tools, you might be on your own to replace your saw, but the damage Mr. Bear caused to the garage door should be covered.

We know not to leave valuables and expensive items in our cars to help avoid crimes of opportunity. We also need to be mindful not to leave food inside our cars to invite animal crimes of opportunity.

If you are forgetful and leave a yummy snack inside your car overnight and a bear breaks in, dines and destroys the interior, like recently in Breckenridge (for the entire story visit: https://denver.cbslocal.com/2019/04/04/breckenridge-bear-subaru/), your auto insurance policy should cover it. Check with your agent now to confirm your coverage and be mindful to not leave any offerings in your car—wherever you may be parked.

#### Liability:

Coverage for damages caused by pets varies based on where the damage occurs. If

your cute kitten ruins your new loveseat, you'll have to hold Fluffy responsible. Your insurance company probably won't pay for that. But if you bring Fido to your friends' house and he eats their loveseat, the liability portion of your policy will kick in and cover this damage.

Do you have concerns about potential animal-related damages? Let us help you review your policies and determine what specific coverage is best for you and available in your area. Call Michele or Kristin at RPM Agency, 720.683.0010 or info@rpmagency.com.

Happy spring and Be Bear Aware!



APRIL BLOG QUEEN Michele Robbins RPM Agency RPMAgency.com (720) 683.0010





Wander Unlimited Interview with Trevor Noel, President wanderunlimited.com | (303) 351-2086



#### Q. Who are your clients/what are the projects that you most enjoy working on?

Check out lariatlodgebrewing.com. They have new merchandise, crowler labels, and social media management. Follow along! @lariatlodge. We are also working with @viviansgourmet (mmmm) & @gatheryogaevergreen. We have a passion for delivering strategic and breakthrough creative work. Visit these clients sites to see what we do!

#### Q. Why do your customers select you over your competitors?

Our portfolio! We deliver the caliber and quality of work that you'd expect from a fancy Denver or Boulder agency at a fraction of the price. Check out <u>wanderunlimited.com/work!</u>

#### Q. Who is your ideal customer?

A client who is serious about top-notch creative work and committed along with us to open and clear communication of goals and expectations! We do it all– logos, ads, video, websites, and more.

#### Q. Why do your customers select you over your competitors?

Follow @wanderunlimited on Instagram and find us on Facebook! Also, we are launching a new blog in the coming weeks. Check out wanderunlimited.com/blog.



### EVERGREEN ROTARY NEWS





You've probably asked yourself this question if you've ever considered joining a service club. Here are the reasons given most often by our members:

- A great way to meet like-minded people in the community
- An opportunity to be involved in meaningful service projects in Evergreen and internationally
- Excellent business networking opportunities
- A way to set an example of service and philanthropy for my young children
- Giving back has never been so much fun







If you would like to find out more about joining the Evergreen Rotary Club, please contact President Bob Wallace: E-mail: rwall5@comcast.net, or phone: 303.548.2375, or log on to EvergreenRotary.org

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

Thanks to our Evergreen Rotary Club sponsors:

























#### **Peak Window Cleaning, LLC**

High quality residential window cleaning with over 23 years experience serving the foothills and mountain communities.

Valerie Simpson – Owner Evergreen 80439 (303) 670-7321 peakwindowcleaning.com



#### **Ometrics, LLC**

Ometrics specializes in conversion rate optimization and AI chatbots. We provide tools and services to help companies lift their conversion through out the whole digital marketing funnel.

Greg Ahern - President / Founder 27902 Meadow Drive Suite 120 | Evergreen 80439 (303) 674-1806 ometrics.com



#### Caldwell Insurance Agency, Inc. – American Family

As your local American Family Insurance agent, I can offer you 20 years of experience working with local businesses and individuals to protect their assets and plan for the future.



Bryan Caldwell - President/Owner 32186 Castle Ct Suite 230 | Evergreen 80439 (303) 670-2780

agent.amfam.com/bryan-caldwell/insurance/

#### **High Country Low Voltage, LLC.**

High Country Low Voltage is a Colorado business dedicated to helping ease the burden of integrating new technologies in commercial environments. Professional Design and Install of Low Voltage Systems.

Jonathan Eubank - Owner Evergreen 80439 (303) 818-7163 highcountryllc.com



#### Advantage Credit, Inc.

Advantage Credit, Inc. is a leading provider of mortgage and banking solutions, background and tenant screening and business credit solutions. We have a proud 20-year history of providing superior customer service.

Sarah Learned - HR Manager 32065 Castle Court Suite 300 | Evergreen 80439 (720) 729-8834 advcredit.com/



#### **Mountain Youth Football Association**

MYFA is a nonprofit youth tackle football organization offering youth from grades 1st - 8th the opportunity to learn the sport in an educational and competitive environment.

Dusty Tucker - President Evergreen 80439 (303) 335-7402 mamfa.org.leag1.com/





#### Ellen Nelson Photography

I go anywhere to photograph portraits that tell your story, whether you are a senior or professional. I bring my photo studio to your home or office and/or choose to be photographed in a scenic location.

Ellen Nelson - Owner Evergreen 80437 (303) 809-8963 ellennelson.com



#### **Outbound Mountain Gear**

Outbound Mountain Gear is a locally owned and independent gear, service, rental, and guide shop in Evergreen Colorado. We focus on Mountain Bike, Backcountry Ski & Split boards, and all the accessories to make your adventures awesome!

Michael Weisberg - Owner 4600 Plettner Lane, Unit 1E | Evergreen 80439 (303) 679-3565 outboundmountaingear.com



# FEATURED MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Village at Belmar Interview with Angela Hoffman Sales and Marketing Director villageatbelmar.com



#### Q. What services do you offer?

We are an intimate nine-acre campus in the heart of the Belmar retail/dining corridor. As a premier retirement community with Independent Living, Assisted Living and Memory Care, we offer an unparalleled lifestyle experience combining contemporary ergonomic design, enticing outdoor recreational amenities, social and hospitality features, wellness based programming, pampered maintenance-free living, chef prepared meals, scheduled transportation, along with the personal care when support is needed. Learn more on our website!

#### Q. What is your business mission?

As a locally owned and managed community serving seniors, it is our passion and privilege to provide an elevated quality of life for those we serve through meaningful connections with residents, families and associates.

#### Q. What was the last big achievement that was celebrated?

We stand out from our competitors primarily because of our local ownership. With Village at Belmar's familial feel to our community, our residents, families and associates have the opportunity to connect with the immediate decision makers and hear from them the vision and direction of Village at Belmar. Also trickling from this local ownership is the desire to give back to our greater Jefferson County community through local partnerships providing employment, educational and wellness opportunities.

#### Q. Does the company give back to the community? In what ways?

Village at Belmar currently has local partnerships for employment with Colorado Christian University, as well as internship opportunities for students at Metro State, CU Denver and CCU. In addition, as a leader in the senior living industry, Village at Belmar has ongoing free educational seminars and support groups open to the greater community. We also welcome local service organizations and non-profits to host meetings at no cost. Lastly, we are at the forefront of innovative technology, which enhances the lives of those we serve by piloting programs like robot companions, new communication services and fall detection technology.

## MEMBERS IN THE NEWS



#### **Good Luck Graduates!**

Evergreen Area Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the awarding of four \$1400 college scholarships for local graduating seniors heading off to study business in the fall.

We aligned with Bootstraps, Inc on the selection process and the winners were:

- Jack Lindquist from Evergreen High School
- Brandon Bashaw and Katherine
- Dahlin from Conifer High School
- and Chance Palmer from D'Evelyn High School

We are honored to have been able to present the funds to the kids and are proud of all of our local graduates.





#### Be Sure To Hit Up The New Bergen Village Farmers Market!

Tuesdays, June 4th to September 24th from 10am-2pm

Palizzi Farm from Brighton, Forte Fruits from Palisade, Redemption Road Coffee from Denver and other delights await you weekly

boulters5280urbanmarket.com/

### Congratulations to the Green Team Superheroes of Wilmot Elementary for receiving the President's Environmental Youth Award (PEYA)!

This prestigious award is an honor given by both the President of the United States and the EPA to recognize outstanding environmental projects by K-12 youth. This exemplary team of thirteen 4th and 5th graders has demonstrated hands-on, real-world, leadership skills that have put their school at the forefront of sustainability. They have been invited to an awards ceremony in Washington D.C.

Please consider donating towards travel expenses at:

https://my.cheddarup.com/c/green-team-trip-to-washington-dc so they can proudly represent Evergreen in our nation's capital.



#### Swim4Life, Formally Evergreen Swims, Educating On Water Safety



EvergreenSwims has changed their name. Now known as Swims4Life, they welcome everyone from those rehabilitating injuries, aquatic fitness adults, elite athletes, competitive swimmers and ALL ages.

It only takes 20 seconds for a child to drown, education is key. Join them for their Water Safety Awareness Day. Water Costume Contests, Face Painting, Crafts, Music and New Summer Program Information.

Water Safety & Awareness Day Friday, May 24, 2019 at 12 PM – 4 PM

(720) 648-9757 | Courtney@Swim4LifeColorado.com

#### A Perfect Day For Graduation!

Thursday May 16th at Red Rocks was a perfect day for the seniors at Evergreen High School to complete their high school career. Evergreen Chamber Youth of the Year, Lily Mott, addressed the graduates. Congrats to all, including one of our key volunteers, Katie Hays, shown here with the proud parents!









Volunteer Katie Hays with Family



Class of 2019



#### **ROAR- Vacation Bible School**

A summer kids' event called Roar Vacation Bible School will be hosted at Christ the King Church from June 3 to June 7. At Roar VBS, kids discover that God is good even when life get wild! Kids participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, make and devour yummy treats, and more!

Roar is for kids from 3 years old (and potty-trained) to completion of 5th grade and will run from 9:15am to 12:15pm each day. The cost for the entire week is \$70 for the first child and \$65 for siblings. For more information and to register, call 303-674-5282 or email Rosemarie Fearrin at rfearrin@ctkevergreen.com.



# FEATURED MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



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#### - Rose Walker Law is now Frost Brown Todd Attorneys -

#### Q: What services or products do you offer and how many employees do you have?

Alex Rose and Bryan Rose provide litigation services as well as strategic business counseling in risk management, liability assessment and contract construction for all industries including aviation, logistics and manufacturing. We litigate cases nationwide. Frost Brown Todd is a national full-service law firm with 525 lawyers in 12 offices. Frost Brown Todd has a value—driven Midwestern sensibility and a deep understanding of the industries we serve.

#### Q: What inspired you to get started in this business?

Bryan started out as a police officer and discovered that he loved the strategy of the courtroom. Alex started out at the Texas Legislature and discovered she loved systems analysis – deciphering where and how to execute strategic discreet changes to achieve maximum benefit. We still use these passions and skills every day for the businesses and individuals we serve.

#### Q: Why do your customers select you over your competitors?

We aren't afraid to roll up our sleeves. Many lawyers know the law but most don't want to do the work to learn how your business operates and what it needs. We learn the ins and outs of your industry and use that information to provide creative solutions tailored to your goals.



## RIBBON CUTTING EVENTS





#### Friends for Life Holistic Pet Training

Friends for life Holistic Pet Training uses Modern Positive Motivation Training Techniques, these methods are fun and easy to learn for both dogs and humans alike. No Shock, Prong or Choke=No Pain.

Natalie Hawkins - Owner 30596 Bryant Drive | Evergreen 80439 (720) 272-1668 friendsforlifeco.com

RED ROCKS

#### Red Rocks Beer Garden

Voted Top 10 Patios in Denver, Red Rocks Beer Garden is 100% Colorado beer, wine, food & merchandise. Over 2000 sq ft of patio space in Morrison with fast, friendly service. We can handle big groups!

\* Celebrating their 1 Year Anniversary!\*

Paul Thompson - Owner 14124 West Dartmouth Avenue | Lakewood 80228 (208) 861-7873 redrocksbeergarden.com



#### Seasonally Yours

Evergreen's very own candy and gift shop. Come in for a free sample of our homemade fudge! We also have a wide variety of toys, gifts, and seasonal items.

\*Now featuring Mountain Man Fruit & Nut!\*

Rachel Nicks - Owner 28135 Hwy 74 | Evergreen 80439 (303) 679-3110 seasonally-yours.com

#### **Starbucks**

Evergreen's Neighborhood Starbucks, serving coffee, breakfast, pastries and lunch. Drive through available.

\* New Location Across from the Walmart\*

Alex McKenzie - Store Manager 1005 El Rancho Road | Evergreen 80439 (303) 526-9439 starbucks.com



#### **Equine Wisdom and Coaching**

Equine Wisdom and Coaching specializes in Life Coaching and Personal Growth in partnership with horses.



Lori Morman - Owner/Facilitator Evergreen 80439 (303) 877-2089 equinewisdomandcoaching.com



# THANK YOU RENEWING MEMBERS



These members have renewed their Chamber membership in April.

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Karen Weidner - Coldwell Banker Real Estate Friends of Evergreen Dog Park (FEDP) **Hiwan Museum** 

**Bin There Dump That** 

**Altitude Cycling and Fitness/Evergreen Bike Shop Dandelions Café** 

Altitude Electric, LLC.

Living Water Systems, Inc. **Hammer Enterprises** 

Shipley Design, LLC.

**Blackbird Café and Tavern** 

Lark Stewart/ LIV Sotheby's International Realty

**Starbucks** 

**EuroTech Automotive** The Harris Law Firm. PC.

**3Zero3 Motorsports** 

**RPM Agency** 

**Cedar 65 Bistro and Gallery** 

+ YEARS -

Foothills Products, Inc. **Moore Lumber and Ace Hardware** Foothills Home, Garden and Lifestyle Show **Biscuits & Berries** Kate Higgins – BW Mortgage, LLC. **Family Veterinary Hospital** 

+ YEARS

**Evergreen Downtown Business Association Evergreen Children's Chorale Genesis Painting & Construction Inc. Evergreen Audubon Incognito Solutions, Inc.** CompuMedic/Automation Concepts Company **Java Groove** 

+ YEARS

**EverBean By The Lake Shadow Mountain Gallery Leadership Evergreen Evergreen Wealth Management, LLC. Chart House/Genesee** 



Ades Design Builders, Inc. **Adams Plumbing & Heating Company** 



Seniors' Resource Center, Evergreen Lam Tree Service, Inc. **Evergreen Rentals, LLC.** 



**Mountain Metro Association of Realtors Evergreen National Bank** 



### The Evergreen Chamber Staff Thanks you for your support!

**Betsy Hays Gwendoline Ryan** Sheralyn Austin-Gagne Operations Manager Marilynn Bell Candace O'Brien **Betsy Semmens** Tracy Murray Valli Crockett **Jackie Mohr Marie Lynch** 

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

Starting June 3 we have Clair Hicks joining our Operations Team. Stop by and say "Hello"!





# CHAMBER EVENTS CALENDAR





# **EVERGREEN AREA**Chamber of Commerce

May-June 2019

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	Mon		Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
13			14 Early Morning Edition Leads Group,7:30 AM	EACC Board Meeting Evergreen Fire Rescue, 4:30 PM	Thursday Leads Group, Chamber Office, 8:00AM Lunch Bunch Leads Group, Tuscany Tavern, 11.30 AM	17 Ribbon Cutting - All Son's Asphalt 12:00 PM  Let's Do Lunch! The Bait Shack 1:00 PM
	SAVE THE				Ribbon Cutting - EPRD/Marshdale 4:15PM	
20	6/5 Monthly Chamber Breakfast, El Rancho Brewing		21 Early Morning Edition Leads Group,7:30 AM	22	23 Thursday Leads Group, Chamber Office, 8:00AM	24 Ribbon Cutting - Comfort Dental 12:00 PM  Let's Do Lunch! Cedar 65@ 1:00 PM
27		2	28 Early Morning Edition Leads	29	30 Thursday Leads Group, Chamber	31 Ribbon Cutting - Spark Fitness/
			Group,7:30 AM		Office, 8:00AM Lunch Bunch Leads Group, Tuscany Tavern, 11.30 AM	Physical Freedom 12:00 PM
3	6/13 Chamber Business Mixer		4 Early Morning Edition Leads Group,7:30 AM	5 Monthly Chamber Breakfast—El Rancho Brewing Company, 7:30a	Thursday Leads Group, Chamber Office, 8:00AM	7 Ribbon Cutting - 1UPAerial Drone, Shelly Lyn Photography,
10	RE/MAX Alliance Evergreen 5:00 PM		11	12	Ambassador Happy Hour—Cactus Jack's Saloon & Grill, 4:00pm	Reslock and Sullivan AT THE CHAMBER 12:00 PM
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