



ORGANIZATIONAL EXCELLENCE & FISCAL GROWTH

Mark Your Calendars for Annual Awards Luncheon

The Daytona Regional Chamber of Commerce Annual Awards Luncheon will celebrate some of the top organizations and individuals in our business community on Wednesday, November 3rd from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm.

The businesses and leaders earning these distinguished honors are deemed by their peers, colleagues, and community, to demonstrate best practices in their work. The prestigious awards recognized at this signature event include:

- Small Business of the Year
- Nonprofit of the Year
- Marvin Samuels Memorial Leadership Award
- Young Professional of the Year



2020 Award Winners pose for a picture with Daytona Regional Chamber leadership

Associate your business with this high-quality group by sponsoring the Annual Awards Luncheon. For more information, contact Ken

Phelps, Vice President of Resource Development, at 386.523.3675.

Do You Have a Vision for our Region?



Lupoli

Chairperson of our Strategic Planning Committee, Nellie Lupoli, ICI Homes, is reaching out to engage members in our Strategic Planning process for 2022-2024.

"Every three years we take a look into our future to make sure we are focused on impactful work as an organization. While we need to focus on the day-to-day needs of our members, we also need to be thoughtful about what future opportunities and challenges are on the horizon for our region," stated Lupoli.

There will be a number of opportunities to actively participate including engagement with the Strategic Planning Committee and focus

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Business Links Golf Tournament This September

The Business Links Golf Tournament presented by Brown & Brown is sure to be a great time on Friday, September 10th at Plantation Bay Golf & Country Club. This is a perfect opportunity to win over that prospective client or celebrate those key employees with a day on the golf course.

Players will enjoy a four-person scramble format on one of the region's premier golf courses, with a shotgun start at 8:30 am. Check-in with professional bag drop service will begin at 7:00 am.

The tournament will take place on Plantation Bay's Club de Bonmont course, recognized as one of the top 50 golf courses in Florida.

An awards banquet will immediately follow the completion of play and include recognition of winning teams, drawing prizes, and a silent auction. With a sold-out field of 144 players anticipated, interested golfers are encouraged to

register their teams well in advance of the approaching September tournament date.

For more information on sponsorship or teams, contact Ken Phelps, Vice President of Resource Development, at 386.523.3675.



Business Links Golf Tournament presented by Brown & Brown

WORKFORCE AND INNOVATION

Leadership Daytona Class XLI Selected

We are delighted to announce the participants in this year's Leadership Daytona program who include an impressive variety of up-and-coming and new professionals interested in learning more about our community while preparing themselves for greater involvement in our communities most valuable group needs and projects. Selected participants for 2021 include:

Daniela Behler, Engaging Social Media, LLC
Jaime Bracero PharmD, Halifax Health
Leslie Castillo-Solis, Junior League of Daytona Beach
Susan Cerbone, City of Daytona Beach
Parker Cook, Volusia Young Professionals Group
Meagan Copeland, Florida Power & Light
Denis Cronin, Merrill Lynch
Courtney Crown, Brown & Brown Insurance

Robert Edgcomb, SMA Healthcare
Jessica Gow, Cobb Cole
Chanel Gregory, Habitat for Humanity
Ernest Hamilton, Children's Home Society
Heather Haroldson, SMA Healthcare
Alyssa Hull, United Way of Volusia-Flagler
Eric Lunde, AdventHealth
Andrew Lupoli, Brown & Brown Insurance
Jonny Magill, Jonny Nomad Media
Vanessa Mazza, Barwick Banking Company
Bruines Ramirez, Halifax Health
Ceres Ramos, Daytona State College
Will Roberts, Volusia County Tax Collector
Brian Rothwell, Office of Will Roberts Tax Collector
Ryan Tracy, LPGA
Jamie Wade, Father Lopez Catholic High School
Rose Watroba, AdventHealth

This year's program will provide participants with access to an impressive array of top professionals who are freely giving their time and talents to share their leadership skills, operations, and knowledge of their industries with the class. Class topics include organizational behavior to sports tourism to advocacy and more.

Two scholarships were also provided to support engaged individuals in the specific categories of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion and Advocacy by Vystar and the Daytona Regional Chamber with the first ever **Jim Cameron Scholarship Award**.

Please welcome these new participants as we also thank their sponsors for their commitment to ensuring our community has well-informed leadership into the future.

"The *Daytona Business United Program* has helped me tremendously. The idea of business can be somewhat complex, but having a support system in place to resolve and delegate some of those problems helps create a structured foundation for a small business. Experience and knowledge are expensive tools to acquire and the *Daytona Business United Program* makes those tools extremely accessible. I'm grateful to have them."



Joshua Roberts
Founder
Solar Flex

Daytona Regional
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



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Welcome to our Newest Daytona Regional Chamber Members

Congratulations to our newest members
who made the recent decision to join our
Daytona Regional Chamber:

Beacon Mediation Services
Cinematique of Daytona, Inc.
Daytona Beach Music Academy
Environics USA
Guiding Hope Inc
Hometown Realty
JC's Painting & Repairs LLC
Nature Quest
VIP Homecare Solutions
World's Most Famous Brewery



Are you interested in becoming a member or
know a business who is? Your membership
supports our efforts to strengthen the business
community. The business owners and
operators you meet in association with the
Daytona Regional Chamber can be your clients
and open doors to other companies to help
grow your business. If you are interested in
becoming a member, contact our Membership
Team Lori McMullin at 386.523.3680 or
Jennifer Pipes at 386.523.3678 for a
customized membership.

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focus groups. We will also be reaching out
through surveys and polls to the entire
membership for feedback to ensure we are
looking at our community through the
diverse lens of our membership. Please reply
to Nancy@Daytonachamber.com, President
& CEO, expressing your interest to serve in
some capacity and we will follow up with our
needs for involvement.

Lupoli added that "broad membership
engagement is important as we look our
communities' future and the work of the
Daytona Regional Chamber."

Daytona Regional Chamber Upcoming Events

**Eggs and Issues: City of Daytona Beach City
Manager Deric Feacher**

Thursday, August 12th at 7:30 am to 9:00 am

Halifax River Yacht Club

Members \$17 / Non-Members \$35

**Business After Hours: Bruce Rossmeier's
Daytona Harley-Davidson @ Destination
Daytona**

**Held at Saints and Sinners Pub Destination
Daytona®**

Tuesday, August 17th at 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Members \$10 / Non-Members \$35

Elevate Daytona Beach

Thursday, August 26th at 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Daytona State College Beach Street News-Journal
Center

Members \$20 / Virtual \$10 / General Admission

10-pack \$180

Non-Profit Roundtable

Friday, August 27th at 8:00 am to 9:30 am

In- Person Daytona Regional Chamber of
Commerce

Free to Non-Profit Daytona Regional Chamber
Members

For further information on events contact Program
Manager, Shanna Coley Hughes at
386.523.3672

VYPG Upcoming Event


Join the Volusia Young Professionals Group
for the August social at Dahlia's and help local
students as they head back to school. Bring
school supplies with you and enjoy free
admission, along with a great time networking
and socializing with fellow young professionals.

All supplies collected will go to the Futures
Foundation and their Take Stock in Children
(TSIC) program. Thursday, August 19 from 6:00
- 8:00 p.m. at Dahlia's at 1808 W International
Speedway Blvd, Daytona Beach, FL 32114.

Futures Foundation leaders will join us and
speak more about their program at the social.
We look forward to seeing you there.

Go to volusiaaypg.com for more information.





BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT & COMMUNITY AWARENESS

Join Us for Business After Hours at Bruce Rossmeyer's Daytona Harley-Davidson® Destination Daytona

Be sure to join us on August 17th for another great in person Business After Hours event where you can safely re-connect with other business professionals to help grow your circle of influence.

This month we are delighted to have our member Bruce Rossmeyer's Daytona Harley-Davidson® Destination Daytona as host of this exciting, fun, and unique networking experience. For added safety this after-hours event will be limited capacity, to keep within guidelines of the CDC and local health department. So, let's mix and mingle and enjoy a one-of-a-kind networking experience at Saints and Sinners Pub - Destination Daytona® from 5:30pm to 7:30pm. Pre-Registration is Required. Visit DaytonaChamber.com for details and to register. Admission is \$10 for Daytona Regional Chamber members and \$35 for future members.

Held monthly at a Daytona Regional



Chamber member business location, these social gatherings are focused on connecting members with each other. Local businesses open their doors to these sponsored events which feature networking, food, drinks, and prizes. Bring

plenty of business cards and come ready to have fun! Contact Shanna Coley-Hughes at 386.523.3672 with questions or for more information on sponsoring a future Business After Hours at your establishment.



for Your Referral

The Daytona Regional Chamber would like to thank Chris Mavronas, owner at Steve's Famous Diner for connecting us with JC's Painting & Repairs LLC, as they became a member.

As our membership grows, so does the strength of our voice as we advocate for a strong economic and business environment. If you know of a business that would benefit from a Daytona Regional Chamber membership, connect them with our membership sales team members Jennifer Pipes at 386.523.3678 or Lori McMullin 386.523.3680. Some of the best members come from our members, so thank you all for sharing the value of a Daytona Regional Chamber membership.



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CAUGHT ON CAMERA



101st Daytona Regional Chamber Annual Meeting Bash at the Ballpark Award winners



Phil Maroney and Rufus Johnson pose for a quick picture at the 101st Daytona Regional Chamber Annual Meeting Bash at the Ballpark



Sheldon the mascot with guests at the 101st Daytona Regional Chamber Annual Meeting Bash at the Ballpark

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Will Roberts, Volusia County Tax Collector, speaks at Eggs & Issues

ADVOCACY & ECONOMIC PROSPERITY




Daytona Regional
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



Eggs & Issues

Daytona Beach City Manager Deric Feacher

Please join the Daytona Regional Chamber of Commerce and welcoming Deric Feacher, Daytona Beach's new City Manager. Come find out how Mr. Feacher's first 60 days have been, what surprises he has experienced, and where he sees the City of Daytona Beach going.

Join the Daytona Regional Chamber on August 12th, 2021, at **Halifax River Yacht Club** for our Eggs & Issues program. This month's program will feature Daytona Beach City Manager, Deric Feacher.

Breakfast is served at 7:30 AM. The program will start at 8:00 AM.

\$17 for Daytona Regional Chamber members and \$35 for non-members. You will need your member portal username and password to access the member rate.

Eggs & Issues is sponsored by **Halifax Health, Daytona Beach News-Journal, and the University of Central Florida.**

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