

Chamber Newsletter

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FEBRUARY GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

February 2009

Our Meeting Host is **my Storage Space**

9528 White Settlement Road

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Website: www.mystoragespace.com

Meeting Date: Tuesday, February 10, 2009

Time: 12 noon

Place: Ryan's Grill Buffet & Bakery
1501 S. Cherry Lane

Speaker: White Settlement ISD Superintendent Audrey Arnold
Assistant Superintendent Frank Molinar

Topic: Presentation on Open Enrollment

YOU CAN BE A MEETING HOST: This program provides an opportunity for businesses to host a General Meeting. For only \$50 your business can be the host at one of our monthly General Meetings.

Your business will receive recognition as host in our newsletter, on our website, flyers can be placed at the tables and you will also be given the floor for a brief presentation.

Contact our chamber office if you are interested in hosting a future meeting.

Upcoming Events:

- February 6, 2009 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Brewer High School Showcase
Admission: \$5, \$3 Ages 5-12
Brewer High School Auditorium
1025 West Loop 820 North
- February 7, 2009 6:30 p.m.
Chamber of Commerce Banquet
IAM #776 facility
7705 Clifford Street
- February 13, 2009 6 p.m. - 11 p.m.
5th Boot Scoot Fundraiser benefits
Swan View Therapeutic Riding Center
Tickets: \$40 ea, \$15 ea 11yrs under
A&M Gardens
12809 Gannett Road South (Azle)
[Visit www.svtrc.org for information](http://www.svtrc.org)
- February 27, 2009 8 a.m. - Noon
White Settlement - Kid Fish On Ice
For ages 1 to 12. Free Entry
Veterans Park
8901 Clifford Street

Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet

This year's Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet will be held on Saturday, February 7 beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Our annual banquet provides an excellent opportunity to meet with fellow chamber members and community leaders for an evening of good fellowship, food and entertainment.

Entertainment planned for the night includes Nichola Kouzes, Miss White Settlement 2009 and the Brewer Middle School Drama Class performing "The Cop and Anthem", an one act play based on the O. Henry tale of the same name.

Tickets for the banquet are on sale through February 5 at our Chamber office located at 8224 White Settlement Road, Suite 100. The banquet tickets are priced at \$12 each.

The banquet will be held at the facility of IAM #776, located at 7705 Clifford Street. Catering for the banquet will be provided by Soda Springs Bar-B-Q.

We are still accepting door prizes for the banquet. If you would like to donate a door prize to be awarded at the banquet please contact the chamber office.

Banquet Table Sponsors

This year we offered two levels of table sponsorships, Gold and Silver. Thirteen chamber members are signed up as table sponsors.

Gold Sponsor: ABODE Treatment, Inc.

Horizons of Hope Church

OmniAmerican Bank

Southside Bank

Suburban Newspapers, Inc. - White Settlement Bomber News

State Representative Charlie Geren

Jay's Self Storage

ONCOR Electric Delivery

Star Bank of Texas

Fidelity National Title

Silver Sponsor: Best Western Fort Worth Inn & Suites

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Host Opportunities Still Available for General Meetings

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The following months are still available for 2009: April 14 May 12 June 9 July 14
August 11 October 13 December 8.

A sign up sheet for Meeting Hosts is available at General Meetings or you may contact the chamber office to be secure your month as Meeting Host.

Update on 2009 Chamber Mixer Series

This year our Chamber Mixer series continues from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every other month. Chili's hosted our first Chamber Mixer in 2009 on January 20. The chamber offered members the opportunity to host a Chamber Mixer at their place of business.

The available Chamber Mixer dates filled up quickly at the January General Meeting and the hosting for 2009 Chamber Mixer series has been filled.

Our next Chamber Mixer on Tuesday, March 17 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. will be hosted at Best Western Fort Worth Inn and Suites located at 201 West Loop 820 North.

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20% Off Unit *

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* See Manager For Details

By-Laws Amendments Approved

The membership approved proposed amendments to the chamber by-laws at our January General Meeting.

The By-Laws may be viewed online on the bulletin board at our website.

The URL address for our Bulletin Board is:

<http://www.whitesettlement-tx.com/phpBB2/>

Chamber Directory/Guide Offers Advertising

The White Settlement Area Chamber of Commerce new Membership Directory - Community Guide will be printed in 2009.

The publication will be 5.5" wide by 8.5" tall with full color printing. Ben Posey reports that several chamber members have already signed up to advertise in the Guide.

Available Ad Sizes and Rates:

Full page - \$200

Half page - \$100

Quarter page - \$50

All ad rates are based on the finished art being provided. Design services will be available at an additional fee.

Please contact Ben Posey at 817-690-6929 or send an e-mail to ben@grizzlydetail.com to find out more about your business advertising in our Membership Directory - Community Guide.

The following businesses and individuals have recently renewed their membership in the White Settlement Area Chamber of Commerce. We appreciate their loyal support.

RENEWING MEMBERS: Laverne Berry ★ Janet Pruet ★ Mary Poppins Balloons & Flowers ★ Wal-Mart #940 ★ Don Brown Tax Service Westside YMCA ★ James and Regina Ouzts