

Chamber Newsletter

JUNE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

June 2009

Our Quarterly Speed Networking Roundtable program debuts

Meeting Date: Tuesday, June 9, 2009

Time: 12 noon

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

Meeting Host: Our June Meeting Host Has Been Rescheduled

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. We are now scheduling Meeting Hosts for our 2010 schedule.

Upcoming Events:

- June 5, Time 9:00 p.m.
Hip Pocket Season Opening
"Howl by Allen Ginsberg"
Hip Pocket Theatre
1950 Silvercreek Road
Performances Fri-Sun June 5-28
- June 6, Time 10 a.m.
Grand Opening
Animal Control Facility
8900 Raymond Avenue
- June 19, Time 12 noon
Ribbon Cutting - Luke Palmer
Edward Jones
6710 Westworth Boulevard



JACKPOT GROWS TO \$75 AFTER MAY DRAWING

The White Settlement Area Chamber of Commerce continued our new jackpot drawing at the May General Membership Meeting with GED's Floor Store name drawn for the jackpot. A representative from GED's Floor Store was not present to claim the jackpot, so the jackpot continues to grow.

Rules: A member's name will be drawn at the meeting for the jackpot. The member whose name is drawn must be present to win the jackpot. The jackpot will begin at \$25 and increase \$25 each month that there is no winner, up to a total of \$250.

Speed Networking Roundtable Debuts At June General Meeting

President Janet Pruett announced at our April General Meeting that a Speed Networking Roundtable event will be held at our General Meetings in the final month of each quarter. The first roundtable will be held at the June General Membership Meeting. President Pruett Everyone is welcome to participate and you don't have to sell a service or product to participate in the event.

A guest speaker will not be scheduled for the Speed Networking Roundtable meetings. The roundtable will begin after the meal.

At the Speed Networking Roundtable you will have the opportunity to speak with other members and guests in a series of short spans of time. You can prepare for the roundtable by developing a short presentation (30 second commercial) to explain what you do and why your fellow participant might want to know. Bring your business cards and/or brochures to exchange.



Chamber Ribbon Cutting

Friday, June 19 at 12 noon

Luke Palmer, Financial Advisor

Edward Jones

6710 Westworth Boulevard

This ribbon cutting will be a great opportunity to meet with new chamber member Luke Palmer.

Light refreshments will be served.

Chamber Mixer Held At Tarleton State University

Tarleton State University - Southwest Metroplex hosted our Chamber Mixer on Tuesday, May 19 at their campus located at 6777 Camp Bowie Boulevard. Those in attendance were given the opportunity to tour the campus and learn more about studies and degrees offered at the convenient location. The bi-monthly chamber mixers are hosted by chamber members and provide an opportunity to learn more about businesses in our area and spread the word about your business or service.

The July 21 Chamber Mixer will be hosted by American National Bank at their Cityview Banking Center located at 6002 Southwest Boulevard. The mixers are held from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Chamber of Commerce School Supply Drive Continues

Jennifer Daniel with Tilden Car Care Center is heading up our school supply drive and is accepting school supplies for distribution to the White Settlement ISD campuses at the beginning of their 2009-2010 school year. Donation Jars for loose change are located at Tilden Car Care locations, local Quik Saks and U-Haul 183. If you are interested in having a donation jar for loose change placed at your business contact the chamber office or Jennifer at Tilden Car Care at 817-246-3000.

Some Supply Suggestions: Hand Sanitizer, Facial Tissue, Copy Paper, #2 Pencils, Red Medium Point Pens, Pencil Cap Erasers, Glue Sticks, 16 ct Crayons, 24 ct Crayons, 12 ct colored pencils, Dry Erase Markers, Blunt & Sharp 5" Fiskar scissors, Wide Rule Notebook Paper, Spiral Notebooks, 100 count & 120 count 3 subject, Construction Paper Color 9x12, Manilla Paper 9-x12, Pocket Folders - Blue and Red, Plastic Pocket Folder - Blue and Red, Plastic School Box

You may drop your school supplies off at both Tilden Car Care Center locations (428 N. Las Vegas Trail or 501 N. Grants Lane) or at Jay's Self Storage (8032 White Settlement Road) The deadline for turning in school supplies is Mid-July.

2010 Chamber Mixer Series - Hosts Sign Up Now Underway

The 2010 Chamber Mixer series will continue to be held on the third Tuesday of every other month from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. We recently began signing up hosts for our 2010 Chamber Mixers. These Chamber Mixer dates fill up quickly in 2009 so act quickly if you would like to host a mixer at your location in 2010.

These mixer dates are available: March 16, May 18, July 20, September 21, November 16

New Chamber Members

Luke Palmer, Financial Advisor

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Financial Services

White Settlement Day Parade

Saturday, October 3

Line Up: 9:00 a.m. / Start Time: 10:00 a.m.

Parade Applications are available through the chamber office or online at:

www.whitesettlement-tx.com/parade/.

Volunteers are needed to assist with the parade.

ALL STAR MEMBERS

- ★ Albertson's #4233 ★ Chesapeake Energy ★ EECU ★ Fort Worth Cats ★ City of White Settlement
- ★ IESI ★ Planet Beach Contempo Spa ★ Star Bank of Texas ★ Staybridge Suites ★ Wal-Mart #3773
- ★ Texas Professional Roofing ★ Wells Fargo

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

- ★ Wal-Mart #3773 ★ IESI ★ Texas Civil War Museum ★ Texas State University - Southwest Metroplex ★ Whataburger