



Stamford Chamber of Commerce Newsletter: August 2016



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Summer... It's been a great first half for the Stamford Chamber as 2016 has yielded a plethora of successful events, initiatives and new opportunities. Given the continued support from members such as you, the Chamber continues to be the premier organization for community, business and economic development in the Stamford community. We take tremendous pride in serving you as we realize our success is founded upon the high caliber of members that we represent.

As we enter into the next half of the year, we have much to be proud of. We have already hosted multiple successful networking events, luncheons, seminars, A Taste of Stamford and our Spring Golf Tournament and Table Top Expo.

While we are proud of our recent accomplishments, we realize that there is always room for improvement and more work to be done. For the remainder of the year, we will be working to provide more networking opportunities, educational forums, our Annual Meeting (September), Fall-Foliage Golf Tournament, Table Top Expo and new Sponsorship opportunities that will serve your business. We look forward to launching these initiatives that bring increased benefit and value to your membership.

We thank you for your partnership and for granting us the privilege to serve. We are grateful for your participation and the contributions that you have provided to the Stamford Chamber of Commerce. We stand confident in knowing that with your support we will continue to grow stronger as one of the largest Chambers in the State. Enjoy the rest of the Summer.

Jack Condlin
President & CEO



Business Networking Breakfast

Hosted by MY SALON Suite, 29 High Ridge Road

Join us for Mimosas, continental breakfast and networking in a relaxing atmosphere!



Let's Do Lunch



Business After Hours



HOST AN EVENT!

Hosting a networking event is a benefit of Chamber membership open to all members and a great way to introduce potential partners and clients to your organization. We are currently scheduling for September, October and November. Contact **Antoinette Leal**, Director of Events, to learn more!

July In Review

Let's Do Lunch!



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Special thanks to **Columbus Park Trattoria** for hosting our re-branded Luncheon networking event!

Young Professionals Summer Mixer



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Thank you to **PRIME Restaurant** for hosting our Young Professionals Summer Mixer.

GET INVOLVED!

The best way to take full advantage of your Chamber membership is to *get involved in a committee*. You can impact your business by building relationships within the Chamber and promote your talents by demonstrating them through committee service. **Contact the Chamber** to join one of our committees that focuses on:

Ambassadors Women's Leadership Young Professionals

Member Happenings



Learn who's growing, changing, moving and more! Stay on top of what's new with your fellow Chamber Members. We share news and announcements from your peers in the Stamford area.

Does your organization have an upcoming event? Has your business received a special award? Involved in community service? LET US KNOW!

Call To Action:

The Boys and Girls Club of Stamford is creating a Call To Action for Stamford Chamber Members. They will be holding a Job Fair and Employment Education forum for teenagers and young adults on **August 13, 5:00 - 8:00 pm**. Whether you are looking to hire or are able to teach resume writing and job search skills, *your help is needed*.

For further information contact:
Freddy Smith at (203) 323-547 or fred_smith@greenwich.k12.ct.us



Ribbon Cutting & Grand Opening:



Chamber will attend and participate in this new member's celebration **more info...**

The Next Street Driving School, will be having their Grand Opening & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony on August 11 at 4pm. The



PRIME Restaurant, Stamford's newest waterfront dining destination, will be having it's Ribbon Cutting Ceremony on Monday, August 22 at 6pm. The Chamber will be on hand to help celebrate **more details...**

Other News:



Grace grace@townplanner.com

TownPlanner.com, the online community calendar guide that allows you to promote your event, has recently added a new feature to it's website. To find out more about the this easy to use online ticketing and reservations feature contact Helen



Murtha Cullina LLP attorney **Kristen L. Zaehring** has been reappointed to the Local Civil Rules Advisory Committee by the Chief Judge of the United States District Court for the District of Connecticut... **more info...**

Chamber Members Collaborating!

Cheryl's Creative Services has partnered with **People's United Bank** to present "*Marketing Strategies and Merchant Services*" as part



of their Small Business Banking Series . *more info...*



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