

ON THE MOVE

Medicine

Dr. Aparna Eligeti has joined Physicians' Primary Care of Southwest Florida. She practices obstetrics and gynecology at the Cape Coral OB/GYN Office at 1265 Viscaya Parkway, and at the Lehigh Acres OB/GYN Office at 3507 Lee Blvd. She is accepting new patients.

Dr. Eligeti received her M.D. degree from the University of Florida, where she was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and the Golden Key National Honor Society. She served her residency at S.U.N.Y. Upstate Medical University in Syracuse, N.Y. She is bilingual and is board certified in obstetrics and gynecology. Prior to joining Physicians' Primary Care, she practiced medicine in Naples and in Tampa.

The Lee Memorial Health System Foundation announced that **Amanda Cross** of Sanibel will replace outgoing Board Chair Elaine Hawkins of Fort Myers. The LMHS Foundation nominates a new chairperson every two years. Ms. Cross has an undergraduate degree in Applied Mathematics from Harvard University and has been a resident of Sanibel Island since 1988. She is vice president of CWC Software, Inc. a Boston-based company she co-founded in 1987. CWC Software, Inc. develops software for the printing industry. Additionally, Cross was a 15-year member and former president of The Canterbury School Board of Trustees and remains active in its fundraising efforts.

Cross

Law

The law firm of Henderson, Franklin, Starnes & Holt, P.A., announced that attorney **Richard Mancini**, an associate in the firm's Bonita Springs office, has been elected vice president of the Foundation for the Developmentally Disabled. Mr. Mancini is a commercial litigator. His practice includes securities and investor-related litigation, arbitration and mediation. He lectures on topics of investor relations, broker/dealer compliance issues and investment fraud, and is an adjunct professor in the School of Professional Studies, Legal Studies, at Hodges University. Mr. Mancini received his undergraduate degree from the University of South Florida, and his law degree from the St. Thomas University School of Law, with honors.

Education

The Lee County Coalition for a Drug-Free Southwest Florida has chosen Lee County Superintendent of Schools **Dr. James Browder** as the recipient of the Enrique "Kiki" Camarena Award. The award will be presented as the Coalition celebrates National Red Ribbon Week at the 19th annual Red Ribbon Community Celebration, on Tuesday, Oct. 28, at the Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Fort Myers. The "Kiki" Camarena Award is given periodically to a community leader who demonstrates outstanding leadership in alcohol and substance abuse prevention efforts. Dr. Browder has repeatedly shown his commitment to helping children make the right choices about drugs, tobacco and alcohol use.

Construction

Nu-Cape Construction Company, a division of Owen-Ames-Kimball Company, announced the appointment of **Butch McGovern** to the board of directors of Junior Achievement of Southwest Florida, Inc. Junior Achievement is a worldwide organization whose mission is to educate students in financial literacy, workforce readiness and entrepreneurship through hands-on experience. Mr. McGovern is general manager for Nu Cape Construction, located in Cape Coral. He has a bachelor of science in business management from Florida Gulf Coast University and is a Florida licensed general contractor and OAK shareholder.

Mark Stevens, president of Stevens Construction Inc., has earned his Healthcare Construction Certificate from the American Society for Healthcare Engineering, a subsidiary of the American Hospital Association. Mr. Stevens' certification demonstrates his understanding and knowledge of the latest compliance issues in health care construction and the expectations of owners, staff and patients.

Real Estate

Gordon Corey has been named top producer for VIP Realty Group, Inc. of Fort Myers for the month of September. Mr. Corey is a member of The President's Club and The Executive Club with a strong sales background. Harvey Allen & Associates have been recognized as the top listings associates for VIP Realty Group for the month of September. **Liz Kinsey** has been recognized as the agent with the top sales for the month of September. As a member of The Presidents Club and consistent top producer, Ms. Kinsey has been helping people with all of their real estate needs since 1980. She is an active agent in the historic Fort Myers area.

Eric Pfeifer of Pfeifer Realty Group will be awarded the prestigious Certified International Property Specialist designation and will join a worldwide referral network of elite global real estate practitioners with expertise in working with international clients. The CIPS designation will be awarded by the National Association of Realtors, which represents more than 1.2 million realtors in the United States. Pfeifer will be formally recognized at NAR's Annual Convention in Orlando on Nov. 8. An active member of the Sanibel community, Mr. Pfeifer is recognized as an expert in his field.

Jenna Pribanic has joined the Southwest Florida office of Cushman & Wakefield as client coordinator. In this position, Pribanic addresses all inquiries and follows up with clients of the firm's office in Fort Myers. Ms. Pribanic previously worked for a local title company and most recently with RE-MAX Realty Team. A native of Lee County, she attends Florida Gulf Coast University, where she majors in marketing with a minor in business administration and management.

Architecture

Maria Isabel Marrufo Lopez, assistant project manager for Gora/McGahey Associates in Architecture, has been named Employee of the Year by the Lee County Hispanic Affairs Advisory Board. The annual Hispanic Achievement Awards recognize individuals who project a positive Hispanic image in the community. Ms. Marrufo, a native of Merida, Yucatan, Mexico, became a licensed architect in Mexico, despite cultural barriers that discourage women from seeking professional degrees. She holds a degree in architecture from the Universidad Autonoma de Yucatan and is currently working toward becoming a licensed architect in the United States.

Development

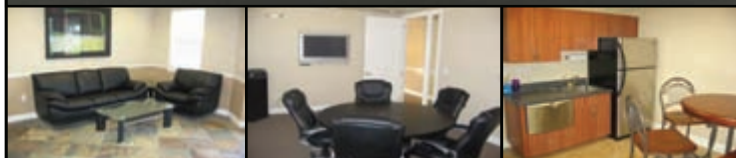
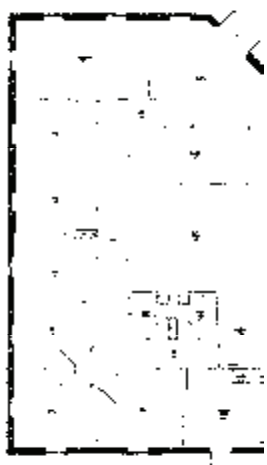
Christi Pritchett Sarlo has joined Gilkey Organization, LLC as manager of permitting and entitlement strategies for the company. In this position, Sarlo will use her expertise in sustainability to help clients of the environmentally focused development and advisory company to define comprehensive plan land use and master zoning approval strategies. This includes identifying critical concurrency issues, scope and commitments of developer contribution agreements, and environmental permitting strategies. She will also lead Gilkey Organization's community outreach and education programs, relative to planning and entitlements.

Non-Profits

Suzanne Edwards has been elected chairwoman of the 2008 - 2009 Board of Trustees of the Thomas Edison & Henry Ford Winter Estates, Inc. Other trustees include Cole Peacock, vice chair; Jeanne Dozier, secretary; Joseph Shepard, treasurer; Frank Aloia, Jr., Frank Balogh; L.D. Bochette; Sidney Ann Brinson; Bonnie Burhans; Kathy Dean; Colleen DePasquale; Deana Geraghty; Commissioner Tammy Hall; Helen Hendry; Melvin Morgan; Marietta Mudgett; and Grover Whidden. The board of trustees also welcomed three new members, John Cauthen, Steve Niehaus and Margaret Sirianni. The Thomas Edison & Henry Ford Winter Estates, Inc. is a nonprofit corporation that governs and manages the Edison & Ford Winter Estates. ■

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