

BUSINESS BRIEFS

Greater Fort Myers Chamber welcomes 36 new members

In the month of January 2009 the Greater Myers Chamber of Commerce, Inc. welcomed 36 new members. Business people are realizing that a relatively small investment in the Chamber is paying high "dividends." The Chamber assists businesses in building relationships which ultimately lead to growing clientele and expanding their market.

"The survivors of this difficult economy will be the ones who band together to help each other and share their ideas and initiatives," said Chamber President Tom Hoolihan.

The 36 new members include: A2M DJ & Entertainment, Alufab Southwest Inc, Azul Cosmetic Surgery & Medical Spa, Benjamin Phillips Salon, Candlewood

Suites, Dr. Cecile Saint Paul, Chad Motes Attorney at Law, The Dean Executive Suites & Offices, Fabulous Female, Firestone Complete Auto Care, The Garage, Grainger, Integrated Benefit Solutions, Johnson Engineering, Knapp Consulting, Luck Baby, Marine Max, Midwest Painting, Mobile Teeth Spa, Inc, Mr. Joel Moroney, Pearl, Planet Hair - A FL Salon, Plantation Golf & Country Club, Provident Jewelry, Randstad Work Solutions, Mr. Robert B. Cox, Rose Auction Group, Salon Enava, Mr. Scott Copper, Southwest Florida Symphony, Smith Barney-Shelly Donovan, Southwest Florida & Lee County Fair, United Martial Arts Center, United Site Services of Florida, U.S. Developers, and Vibe Recording Studios. ■

TechXPO scheduled for March 12

The third annual TechXPO, short for technology exposition, will be held from 3:30-7:30 p.m. on March 12 at the Embassy Suites Fort Myers-Estero.

The only one of its kind in Southwest Florida, TechXPO was created by the Bonita Springs Area Chamber of Commerce to showcase innovative technology companies in our region. The event will feature more than 25 local businesses from a wide range of industries and is expected to draw a crowd of more than 300 people.

Both chamber members and non-

members are invited to purchase an exhibitor's table to showcase their technology. The cost for an exhibitor table starts at \$245 and goes up to \$1,045 at the presenting sponsor level.

The event features a Free Technology Preview time from 3:30 to 5 p.m. when attendance is free to the public. After 5 p.m., the formal exhibition hours begin and all visitors will be charged at the chamber's standard Business After Hours rates.

For detailed exhibitor information, contact Jackie Aaron at the chamber at 992-2943. ■

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