



The Citrus County Chamber of Commerce is an organization of businesses unified in efforts to advance the economic growth of the region, promote the interests of the business community, provide key leadership on key commerce issues and preserve the county's quality of life.



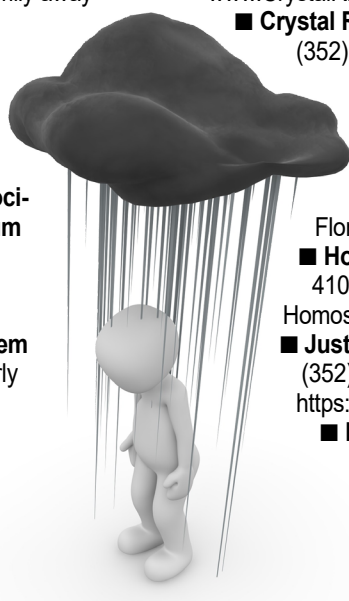
# Chamber Connection

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## Rainy Day Blues

Don't let the Florida weather ruin your plans! Trade the sun for some indoor fun, while keeping the family away from the screen.

- **Betty's Creative Studio**  
(352) 513-4366
- **Charlie's Creamery and Sweets**  
(352) 419-4313
- **Citrus County Historical Society — Old Courthouse Museum**  
(352) 341-6436  
www.CitrusCountyHistoricalSociety.org
- **Citrus County Library System**  
425 W Roosevelt Blvd, Beverly Hills
- **Citrus Springs Memorial Library**  
1826 W Country Club Blvd, Citrus Springs
- **Coastal Region Library**  
8619 W Crystal St,



- Crystal River
- **Crystal River Mall**  
www.CrystalRiverMall.com
- **Crystal River Room Escape**  
(352) 228-4033  
www.crystalriverroomescape.com
- **Floral City Public Library**  
8360 E Orange Ave,  
Floral City
- **Homosassa Public Library**  
4100 S Grandmarch Ave,  
Homosassa
- **Just Amuse Me!**  
(352) 228-8228  
https://justamuseme.com/
- **Lakes Region Library**  
1511 Druid Rd,  
Inverness
- **Lynn's Ice Cream**  
(352) 201-5615  
www.lynnsicecream.com

## It's a firework frenzy



- June 26th - Homosassa River Fireworks Festival
- July 3rd - The City of Inverness' Patriotic Evening
- July 4th - The City of Crystal River's 4th of July Celebration

## RECENT RIBBON CUTTINGS

The Chamber is growing every week. We welcome our new members and thank all of them for joining the Chamber. We encourage the community to support their businesses.

**Bayfront Health Medical Group** 352-513-4276



Welcome to the Chamber Bayfront Health Medical Group - Citrus Hills. 2400 N Essex Ave, Hernando. The health care professionals at Bayfront Health Medical Group are dedicated to keeping you and your family healthy.

**Campbell and Company** 352-513-4276



Welcome to the Chamber, Campbell and Company! 2202 Hwy 44, Inverness. Their team helps put you at ease by reducing complex financial concepts to simple, meaningful terms. They view your relationships as ongoing partnerships, and strive to provide you with quality tax and financial advice.

**Rustic River Boutique** 352-794-3433



Welcome to the Chamber, Rustic River Boutique and Yoga Studio! 717 NE 5th St, Crystal River. Shop their Boutique and join them for a relaxing session of Yoga!

**RPG Screening and Pool Services** 352-212-1719



Welcome to the Chamber, RPG Screening and Pool Service! 2820 W Dunnellon Rd, Dunnellon. RPG Screening is an independent company to clean & repair your patio, pool, or other screened enclosures. Great prices, fast available service, and free estimates in Tri-County Area of Citrus and Dunnellon, FL.

## 'Chamber Report' on WYKE

Watch the weekly Chamber Report show on WYKE-TV to stay informed on Chamber events, issues, and member spotlights. Chamber Report is broadcast on Tuesdays, Saturdays, and Sundays at 5:00 p.m. on Spectrum Channel 16 or through LiveStream (www.livestream.com/watch and search for "WYKE TV 47"). This week, host Jade White, Chamber Public Relations & Communication Coordinator, talks with Steve Ervin, owner of BubbaQue's BBQ — Crystal River, about their brand new salad bar and other recent renovations. Also, Eileen Posadny, owner/CEO of Brightberry Marketing, discusses her work in digital media management, how she honed in and fine tuned her niche, and her business experience with the social media platform, TikTok. Chamber Report is your ticket to the many happenings in Citrus County!

Steve Ervin

Eileen Posadny

### Chamber Legacy Partners

The Chamber recognizes our Legacy Partners that have made a special investment in the Chamber to support the programs and mission of the Chamber. For information on becoming a Legacy Partner, please contact the Chamber at 352-795-3149.

## 2021 Business Expo

### Network, Market, and Show Your Stuff!

The premiere business expo of Citrus County presents an opportunity for businesses to meet new clients, create new working relationships, and make community connections. Open to the public, free to attend, 9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M., Saturday, September 18th, 2021.

Back by popular demand in 2021 is the Money Machine!!! A goodie-bag (LIMITED SUPPLY SO DON'T BE LATE) will be given to the guests as they enter the auditorium on Saturday morning. Included in the goodie-bag, a chance drawing ticket for the opportunity to be randomly selected to step-up and cash grab. Additional chance drawings throughout the event day (items donated by our sponsors, businesses, and community), a DJ, kid's activities, DIY demos, and health talks are just a few of the FUN activities for ALL AGES!

The Chamber Business Expo is a great opportunity to show off what YOU, our local businesses have to offer, make contacts within the business and Citrus County Community, and mingle with fellow business leaders, building important relationships within our very own Citrus County!

To reserve your slot, visit [www.CitrusCountyChamber.com/Business-Expo](http://www.CitrusCountyChamber.com/Business-Expo) For sponsorship opportunities email [Janet@CitrusCountyChamber.com](mailto:Janet@CitrusCountyChamber.com)

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Questions? Call Erika Corley at 352-795-3149 or email [Events@CitrusCountyChamber.com](mailto:Events@CitrusCountyChamber.com).

## Chamber provides grants to businesses

The Citrus County Chamber of Commerce offers a grant program for businesses that furloughed employees due to COVID-19 and have since rehired them.

To qualify for full funding, the business must have furloughed an employee for a minimum of two months before rehiring and steadily employing for a minimum of 90 days.

The grant amount is \$2,000 per rehired full-time equivalent employee. All local businesses are eligible.

Complete information on the grant program and documentation required is on the application form.

Applications are open at [www.CitrusCountyChamber.com/furlough-rehire-grant](http://www.CitrusCountyChamber.com/furlough-rehire-grant).

For questions, please email [CitrusFurloughRehire@gmail.com](mailto:CitrusFurloughRehire@gmail.com)