



January 6, 2023

CFHLA ANNOUNCES NEWLY ELECTED EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS



CONGRATULATIONS

*to our newly elected CFHLA Executive Committee
and Board of Directors*

The Central Florida Hotel & Lodging Association (CFHLA) has announced its newly elected 2023 CFHLA Executive Committee and Board of Directors, which includes Central Florida Hospitality Executives from across the tri-county area (Orange, Osceola and Seminole Counties).

Additionally, **Anthony Lazzara**, General Manager of the **Hotel Kinetic Orlando Universal Blvd.**, was elected to serve as the 2023 Chair of the CFHLA Board of Directors. Anthony succeeds **Sonja Giselsbrecht**, the current General Manager of **Marriott's Cypress Harbour**, who served as the Chair for the past year and becomes the Immediate Past Chair.

The CFHLA Board of Directors is made up of leaders from all sectors of the hospitality industry, including hotels, resorts, vacation ownership, management companies, independent hotels, and allied members who do business with the hospitality industry. Please join us in congratulating the twenty-two recently elected (or re-elected) members who will serve on the 2023 CFHLA Board of Directors!

CLICK HERE to read the full press release.

TEAM BUILDING BOWLING IS JANUARY 17TH

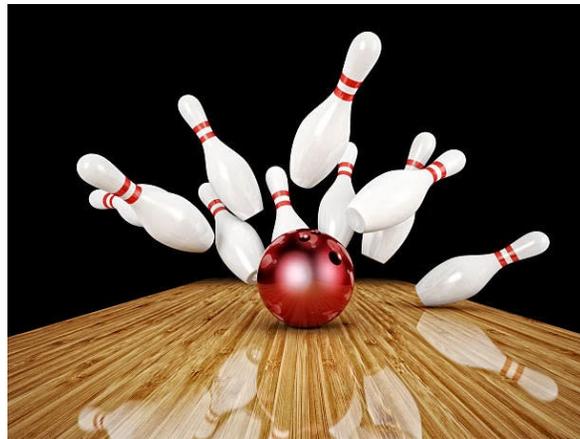
Gather your co-workers and round up your clients for an evening of strikes, spares, networking and of course, fun!

CFHLA will be holding its Team Building Bowling on **Tuesday, January 17th** from 6:00 - 9:00pm at AMY Sky Lanes, 7401 S. Orange Blossom Trail.

Your \$400 entry fee per team includes, lane signage, shoes, 2 games, pizza & soft drinks. *(Alcoholic beverages will be available at participants own expense).*

[ALLIED MEMBERS REGISTER HERE](#)

[LODGING MEMBERS REGISTER HERE](#)



BEST OF LUCK SARAH

After a year of hard work and incredible service to CFHLA, our Events Coordinator Sarah Moyer will be leaving the organization on Friday, January 20th.

Sarah has accepted a position as an Event Manager at the **Gaylord Palms Resort and Convention Center**.

Sarah will certainly be missed at CFHLA and she will be extremely tough to replace. But we are very proud of her professional growth and excited to see her career continue to advance within the hospitality industry!



PARTNERS IN ACTION - HILTON GARDEN INN LAKE BUENA VISTA

The **Hilton Garden Inn Lake Buena Vista** brought the magic to their Adopt-A-School Partner, **Sand Lake Elementary**.

The lodging property's sales team connected their in-house group, Discover Magic, with the faculty of Sand Lake Elementary to create a special presentation to over 100 students. Discover Magic teaches math, science, technology, art and theater through magic.

Thank You to the team at The Hilton Garden Inn Lake Buena Vista for supporting education through the Adopt-A-School program.



'TASTE THE FEELING,' ENJOY A COCA-COLA

Our partner, [Coca-Cola Beverages Florida](#), has kindly donated a beverage refrigerator, as well several products, to the CFHLA Offices. Thank you to Jonathan Box and George Gallant by helping to quench the thirst of our members.

Be sure to grab an icy cold beverage on your next visit to CFHLA, as the drinks are complimentary to our Members.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
JANUARY MEMBERS OF THE MONTH



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**Wyndham Orlando Resort &
Conference Center Celebration**



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MEET THE VIP

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UPCOMING EVENTS

For more information on upcoming events, or to register, just click on the links below.

- [Allied Relations Council Board Meeting \(1/10/2023\)](#)
- [Allied Relations Council Breakfast \(1/10/2023\)](#)
- [2023 Team Building Bowling - Allied Members \(1/17/2023\)](#)
- [2023 Team Building Bowling - Lodging Registration \(1/17/2023\)](#)
- [Lifeboat Project - Human Trafficking Awareness Luncheon \(Lodging Registration\) \(1/19/2023\)](#)
- [Lifeboat Project - Human Trafficking Awareness Luncheon \(Allied Registration\) \(1/19/2023\)](#)
- [January After Hours \(1/25/2023\)](#)
- [New Member Orientation \(2/1/2023\)](#)

JOB OPENINGS

Check out the latest hospitality employment opportunities in Central Florida.

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About CFHLA

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The mission of the Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association is to represent the Central Florida Hospitality Industry, by setting the standard of excellence through advocacy, collaboration, education, recognition, and service.