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- Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens
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- WGI, Inc.
- White Lion Moving & Storage



2023 Business Awards recipients, from left: Brandon Cabrera (The BrandX Co.), Pranoo Kumar (Rohi's Readery), Brittany Davis (Rapids Water Park), Ken Himmel (Related Southeast), Julie Seaver (Compass LGBTQ+ Community Center), Ali Eger (Opportunity Early Childhood & Family Center), JP Varvarigos (Wellington Florist), Michael Davis (WGI, Inc.). CAPEHART

2023 BUSINESS AWARDS RECIPIENTS ANNOUNCED AT MAY BREAKFAST



On May 19, approximately 400 guests gathered at the Palm Beach County Convention Center for the Chamber's Annual Business Awards Breakfast. Thanks to presenting sponsor, Baptist Health, and a host of generous supporting sponsors, the Chamber had the distinct pleasure of recognizing several individuals and businesses in the Palm Beach County community. Robert Diffenderfer, Chamber Board Chair, moderated the program, while sponsors for each award category shared about the work they are doing in the community. The event culminated with the presentation of the Larmoyeux and Bone-sponsored 2023 Lifetime Leadership Award

to Kenneth A. Himmel in recognition of his sterling contribution to the development of Palm Beach County and the nation spanning more than four decades. Mr. Himmel graciously received his award, thanking the team at Related and Janet, his lovely wife of more than 50 years, for her dedication and unwavering support of him and his dreams. Parking was complimentary courtesy of the Fuoco Group, and the early bird coffee was sponsored by Lesser Lesser Landy and Smith. Congratulations to all our nominees, finalists, and recipients! To view, tag, and share photos from this event, please visit our Facebook page @chamberofthepalmbeaches.

Lifetime Leadership Award

Sponsored by Larmoyeux & Bone
Ken Himmel

Small Businessperson of the Year Award

Sponsored by Mint Eco Car Wash
John Varvarigos, Wellington Florists

Business of the Year Award

Sponsored by Local IQ/The Palm Beach Post
WGI, Inc.

Non-Profit of the Year Award

Sponsored by 365 Data Centers
Compass LGBTQ+ Community Center

Young Professional of the Year Award

Sponsored by HBK CPAs & Consultants
Brandon Cabrera

Diversity Organization of the Year Award

Sponsored by Florida Crystals
Rohi's Readery

Health and Human Services

Organization of the Year Award
Sponsored by Potentia Academy
Opportunity Early Childhood Education

The Palm Beaches Hospitality & Tourism

Organization of the Year Award
Sponsored by The Palm Beaches
Rapids Water Park



Leadership West Palm Beach Community & Culture Day



Wednesday, May 3 was Community & Culture Day for the 2023 Class of Leadership West Palm Beach. Everyone met at the Cox Science Center and Aquarium where they enjoyed a continental breakfast and were introduced to Day-Chairs Dan Gittere of VSP Marketing Group, Julia Murphy of Habitat for Humanity of Palm Beach County and Kristian Zambrana of the Cox Science Center and Aquarium. The first stop for the day was at the Palm Beach Zoo & Conservation Society. The group was selected to participate in a special pre-opening trial of the panther exhibit. They then headed to the Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens and enjoyed a presentation on the history of Ann Norton as they toured the late sculptor's studio and gardens. Lunch at Don Ramon's was followed by a



trip to the Historical Society of Palm Beach County with a guided tour and an interactive panel discussion. The day ended with a visit to the Cox Science Center and Aquarium.

Special thanks to our day chairs and to our 2023 Class Sponsor South University. For more information about Leadership West Palm Beach, please contact Teri Page at

tpage@palmbeaches.org or call 561-833-3713.



Join Us at the 2023 Legislative Update Breakfast



Dominic Calabro

We will host our annual Legislative Update Breakfast on June 6, at the Palm Beach County Convention Center from 7 to 9 a.m. Our guest speaker this year will be Dominic Calabro, president and CEO of Florida TaxWatch. Under Calabro's leadership, Florida TaxWatch has earned and maintained the respect of the state's most highly regarded



and influential leaders. He has been appointed to numerous task forces and study groups by every governor going back to Governor Bob Graham, and has served as the chairman of the Florida Commission on Review of

Taxpayer Funded Hospital Districts, and a member of the constitutionally chartered Government Efficiency Tax Force.

Sponsor



The BrandX Women For Women 5K Road Race

On May 13, the eve of Mother's Day, nearly 300 children, mothers, grandmothers, great grandmothers, and a few good men, came together for the 12th Annual BrandX Women For Women 5K Road Race at Okeechobee Park in West Palm Beach. This event is one of the few sporting events in Palm Beach County that is exclusively in honor of women. This race was founded to encourage girls and women of all ages to run and walk together, and to build a healthy lifestyle. In support of this goal, Chamber Board members made generous donations to pay for the race admissions of children of a local elementary school.

The fastest finisher overall was Maura Short (19:24), followed by Danielle Foti (19:49) and Christina Rooney (19:53).



All finishers received fun medals and overall category winners received additional medals and celebratory plaques for being the fastest in their

age groups, the fastest mother (Maura Short), and grandmother (Lee McLaughlin), and the best Alice in Wonderland Costume (Susan DeCoster).

The event raised \$1,540 for Quantum House. We thank our presenting sponsor, BrandX, our many partners, all the participants, ambassadors, volunteers, staff and the Chamber Board and members who helped to make

this event a success. The next BrandX Women For Women 5K will be held on Saturday, May 11, 2024, at 7 a.m. at Okeechobee Park in West Palm Beach. See you there!



Leadership West Palm Beach North End Day



Wednesday, May 24, North End Day, was the final day for the 2023 Class of Leadership West Palm Beach. Everyone met at the Chamber where they enjoyed a continental breakfast and were introduced to Day-Chair Gina Barosy, chief operating officer with Suits for Seniors. The first stop for the day was at FPL Manatee Lagoon, where Cris Betancourt of Chen Moore and Associates gave a presentation on the Currie Park revision project. The group then headed to the Port of Palm Beach where they enjoyed a bus tour and information about the Port. Lunch at Café Centro was followed by an informative presentation of the 312 Northwood



building. The day ended with a tour of Safe Harbor/Rybovich Marina. The Chamber thanks the day chair and our 2023 Class Sponsor, South University. For more information about Leadership West Palm Beach, please contact Teri Page at tpage@palmbeaches.org or call 561-833-3713.

REGISTER NOW FOR ANNUAL CHAMBER GOLF TOURNAMENT JUNE 15

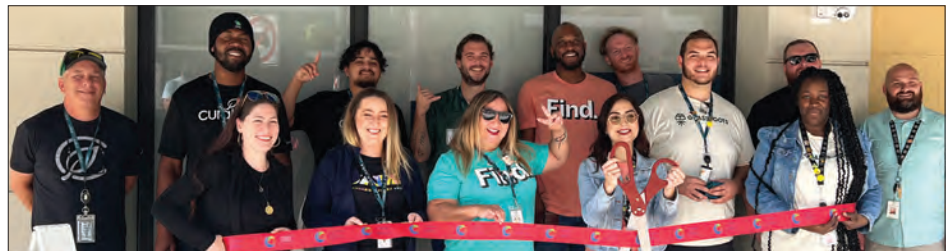
Join the Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches at the Abacoa Golf Club on Thursday, June 15 for the Annual Dennis Grady Golf Championship. The day will begin at 6:30 a.m. with registration and a continental breakfast, followed by a four-person scramble shotgun start at 8:15 a.m. There will be competitions along the course as well as raffles with a variety of exciting prizes. Foursomes will compete for the honor of having their team name engraved on the Dennis Grady Golf Championship Trophy, proudly displayed in the Chamber lobby. A photo of the winning team will be featured in this section of the Palm Beach Post. For more information, contact Rachel Quismundo at rquismundo@palmbeaches.org.



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Shavon Events
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9245 Plantation Estates Drive, Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411
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LNY Wig Boutique & Salon
May 24, 2023
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To schedule your ribbon cutting with the Chamber please visit PalmBeaches.org/ribbon-cuttings or contact Kirby Davis at kdavis@palmbeaches.org or 561-833-3894.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Have a question? Contact Rachel Quismundo at rquismundo@palmbeaches.org for more information.

Thursday JUNE 1
Documentation, Discipline, & Discharge – HR Law Seminar
When: 9-10 a.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom
Cost: Members, \$20; nonmembers, \$25

Tuesday JUNE 13
Business Builder
When: 9-10 a.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom
Cost: Free to all

Tuesday JUNE 27
YPOP: Sip & Shop with Habitat for Humanity
When: 5:30-7:30 p.m. Where: Riviera Beach ReStore, 6831 N. Military Trail, Riviera Beach, FL 33407
Cost: Free to Members and HYP Members. Nonmembers, \$20.

Tuesday JUNE 6
June Breakfast – Legislative Update
When: 7-9 a.m. Where: The Palm Beach Convention Center, 650 Okeechobee Blvd., West Palm Beach, FL 33401
Cost: Members, \$55. Full table of 10, \$600; Nonmembers, \$75. Full table of 10, \$800

Thursday JUNE 15
2023 Dennis Grady Championship Golf Tournament
When: 6:30a.m.-1 p.m. Where: Abacoa Golf Club, 105 Barbados Drive, Jupiter, FL 33458
Cost: Corporate Foursome, members only: \$1,300 — includes company tee sign, company logo on Sponsor Board, company logo on pre-/post-marketing material, opportunity to put collateral in golfer's gift bags, raffle tickets and a mulligan for each golfer (\$200 value). Company Foursome, Members: \$900. Nonmembers: \$1,200. No foursome? No problem! Sign up as a solo and we will pair you with a team, for a fun and unique way to network. Individual ticket, Members: \$300, Nonmembers: \$350

Wednesday JUNE 28
Power Networking @ Lunch
When: 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Where: Hilton Palm Beach Airport
Cost: Discount Registration Deadline: Wednesday, June 21. Members: \$40 before deadline, \$45 after deadline; Nonmembers: \$50 before deadline, \$55 after deadline. At the door, \$60.

Wednesday JUNE 7
The Chamber Classic – Golf Tournament Kick Off Party
When: 5:30-7:30 p.m. Where: Drive Shack, 1710 Belvedere Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406
Cost: Discount Individual members: \$55. Nonmember: \$65. Corporate foursome, Members: \$135. Nonmembers: \$165. Corporate Partner, members only: \$500 — includes Company Foursome at Chamber Classic, company logo prominently displayed at each bay, company logo on all pre-/post-marketing material, opportunity to provide collateral at Chamber Classic, company Tee Sign at 2023 Dennis Grady Golf Championship (valued at \$350)

Thursday JUNE 22
Members to Summer – Member Mix & Mingle
When: 5:30-7:30 p.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom
Cost: Free, members only

Thursday JUNE 29
Business Builder @ Lunch
When: Noon-1 p.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom
Cost: Free to all

Thursday JUNE 29
Business After Hours: Isla & Co.
When: 5:30-7:30 p.m. Where: Isla & Co., 1401 Clare Ave., West Palm Beach, FL 33401
Cost: Discount Registration Deadline: June 22, Members: \$20 before deadline, \$25 after deadline. Nonmembers: \$30 before deadline, \$35 after deadline.

Tuesday JUNE 27
ChamberMaster Pro
When: 9-10 a.m. Where: Chamber Boardroom
Cost: Free, members only



Business After Hours Shark Wake Park

The Chamber hosted their monthly Business After Hours at Shark Wake Park - Shark Shack on Tuesday, May 23. Members joined together to enjoy networking, live music from Jakob Tako, food from Jessie's Southern Kitchen, nature and a beautiful evening on the water! Shark Wake Park donated two swag bags that included free passes to the park. One of their staff even hopped on the water for a wakeboarding show! Thanks to everyone who came out and joined us for an amazing event. For more information on Business After Hours, contact Rachel Quismundo at rquismundo@palmbeaches.org.

