

# Cedar Hill Chamber of Commerce-Newsletter *Business Matters*

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**MAY 2016**

## A word from our Gala Chair...

Hello Chamber Family,

We're weeks away from our 2016 Chamber Derby, The Great Gatsby Gala! We have a goal to sell 100 all expense paid New York City trip tickets!! Each \$100 ticket is a chance to win!! I'm challenging each of you to buy and sell as many tickets as possible! The person who sells the most will win complimentary lunch at one of our fabulous Cedar Hill restaurants!!

Ready, set, sell!

Thanks for supporting our community!

Aranda Bell  
2016 Chair of the Chamber Gala

For sponsorship opportunity and auction donations please, see pages 5 & 6.

**Thank You to our Sponsors:**



### Mission:

The mission of the Cedar Hill Chamber is to create dynamic experiences for businesses through innovative training, collaborative partnerships and service opportunities.



### Vision:

Envisioning a thriving business community built on the values of excellence, service, innovation and collaboration.

## 2016 VACATION GIVEAWAY

Cedar Hill Chamber will sell 100 tickets at \$100 each.

Tickets now on sale for an opportunity to win the following package:

### A 4 NIGHT, 5 DAY TRIP TO NEW YORK CITY!

Package includes round trip transportation on American Airlines from Dallas to New York City for 2, with private transfer to and from hotel accommodations at New York Palace on Madison Avenue, and a Broadway Show to see Phantom of the Opera.

*Includes All Taxes, Choice of the Museum of Nat'l History Admission, Museum of the City of New York or NY Water Taxi Statue of Liberty Flex Pass; and a choice of the Empire St. Building, Top of the Rock Observation Deck, or Metropolitan Museum of Art.*

*Shopping discounts; Gift with purchase at Bloomingdale's; Insider Tips; Future travel discount; Map; Emergency Travel Assistance*



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**Cedar Hill Chamber**  
(972) 291-7817

Email: [admin@cedarhillchamber.org](mailto:admin@cedarhillchamber.org)

Website: [www.cedarhillchamber.org](http://www.cedarhillchamber.org)

# Network Building Opportunities

At the Cedar Hill Chamber, there is always something to do - whether it's learning more about running your business or connecting with other professionals and leaders. Make sure to check out our monthly calendar of events to enrich and enhance your professional life.

## NETWORKING LUNCH

*1st Tuesday of the month, 11:30 AM*

Pollo Tropical | 401 N. J Elmer Freeway

B.Y.O.L. (Buy your own lunch)



## BUSINESS ON THE HILL

*2nd Thursday of the month, 7:30 AM*

Texas Trust Credit Union | 109 W. FM 1382

\$2 Members | \$5 General



## THE BEST SOUTHWEST PARTNERSHIP

**2016**

# SCHOLARS LUNCHEON

**THURSDAY, MAY 26 - 11:00 AM-1:00 PM**

**HILTON GARDEN INN**

800 N. Main Street, Duncanville, 75116

**Keynote Speaker - Dr. Joe May, DCCCD Chancellor**

**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE!**



## SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

- [ ] \$30 - Individual Ticket
- [ ] \$300 - Basic Reserved Table - 8 seats at lunch; program / event recognition
- [ ] \$500 - Enhanced Reserved Table - 8 seats at lunch; program, event signage and event recognition
- [ ] \$1,000 - VIP Sponsor - VIP seating for 8; program, signage and event recognition PLUS event photos with Scholars
- [ ] \$2,500 - Presenting Sponsor - All of the above PLUS Company name at event title along with slides, program cover, photo backdrop logo, logo on application

**After May 16 at 5 p.m.**

- [ ] \$35 - Individual Ticket
- [ ] \$350 - Basic Reserved Table - 8 seats at lunch; program and event recognition





**Ribbon Cutting For:**  
**Ruiz Financial Solutions, Ltd. Co.**  
 Thursday, May 12, 2016 | 11:30 AM  
 701 W. Beltline Rd.  
 Cedar Hill, TX 75104

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 701 W. Belt Line Road  
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 469-522-2095  
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 145 W. FM 1382 Ste. 300  
 Cedar Hill, TX 75104  
 972-291-5580

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 Everardo Gonzalez  
 914 Cedar View Dr  
 Cedar Hill, TX 75104  
 956-843-8404  
[www.uptrucking.com](http://www.uptrucking.com)



**Ribbon Cutting**

**Cedar Hill Floors & More**  
 Flooring & Remodeling

May 10th, Noon-1 PM  
 Lunch catered by Firehouse Subs  
 Giveaways, Shopping  
 1001 S. Hwy 67, Cedar Hill

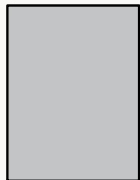
**Sacred FUNERAL HOME**

**Ribbon Cutting**

May 26, 11:30 am  
 1395 N. Hwy 67  
 (Next to LaQuinta)

# Business Matters

## 2016 Advertising Rates



FULL PAGE	1 TIME	3 TIME
4 COLOR	\$100	\$225

7.5" X 10"

### PRICE PER ISSUE



1/2 PAGE VERT.	1 TIME	3 TIME
4 COLOR	\$75	\$150

3.625" X 10"

### PRICE PER ISSUE



1/3 PAGE HOR.	1 TIME	3 TIME
4 COLOR (CMYK)	\$50	\$100

7.5" X 3"



1/6 PAGE HOR.	1 TIME	3 TIME
4 COLOR (CMYK)	\$25	\$50

3.625" X 3"

**ADVERTISING RATES** - Rate charges are for space only. Any required typesetting, additional art or production will be charged extra. Frequency rates applicable are based on number of equal size units run within a six month period.

## Marketing Opportunity

### Chamber 101

A breakfast informative session to help you as a new or old chamber investor to learn and connect with your chamber benefits

**Only 4 will be held in 2016!**

**\*2 Available**

Call 972-291-7817 or email Alysia,  
membership@cedarhillchamber.org for details



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Helping Business Do Business



2016 Gala and Auction  
**Cedar Hill Chamber Derby**  
*The Great Gatsby: A Roaring 20's Affair*

Lone Star Park – May 19, 2016 – Gates Open 5 pm

**Sponsorships Available**

**GREAT GATSBY** **\$3,000**

Reserved Great Gatsby Table for Eight  
Four Valet Parking Vouchers  
Twenty Lone Star Bucks for Each Guest at Your Table  
Sponsor name and/or logo displayed continuously during the event on 5 race screens  
Sponsor name and/or logo displayed at registration table  
Sponsor name and/or logo displayed at silent auction tables  
Full Page ad in the program  
Sponsor recognition from podium / Sponsor name listed in program  
Sponsor name on all media publications / Sponsor name listed on the website

**DAISY** **\$2,000**

Reserved Daisy Table for eight  
Two Valet Parking Vouchers  
Ten Lone Star Bucks for Each Guest at Your Table  
Sponsor name and/or logo prominently displayed on race screens between races.  
Half page ad in program  
Sponsor recognition from podium / Sponsor name listed in program / Sponsor name listed on the website

**FLAPPER** **\$1,500**

Reserved Flapper Table for eight  
Sponsor name and/or logo displayed on TV's between races  
Sponsor recognition from podium  
Sponsor name listed in program / Sponsor name listed on the website

**CHARLESTON** **\$900**

Reserved Charleston Table for eight  
Sponsor name and/or logo listed in program / Sponsor name listed on the website

**PHOTO OP SPONSOR (2 Available)** **\$500**

Sponsor name and/or logo displayed on photo op backdrop during entire event

Contact Name _____	Business Name _____
Phone _____	Email _____
Payment: <input type="checkbox"/> Check <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card (Visa, Master Card, Am. Exp., Disc.) <input type="checkbox"/> Please Invoice	
Name on Credit Card _____	
Credit Card # _____	Exp. Date _____ Code _____

# Cedar Hill Derby

*The Great Gatsby: A Roaring 20's Affair*

## Auction Donor Form

### Item Description

Note: Include all facts for catalog description and publicity. Include any limitations such as number of persons, time of year, expiration date, black-out dates, geographical limitations, insurance requirements, etc.

Short Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Item Description:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Donor Value: \_\_\_\_\_

Item Delivered to Chamber on: \_\_\_\_\_

Or Item To be Picked Up on: \_\_\_\_\_

### Office Use Only

Item #: \_\_\_\_\_ C C&I

Display Needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Category: \_\_\_\_\_

Silent Item

Live Item

Basket Component

Cash Donation

Item Status:

Received: \_\_\_\_\_

To Be Delivered: \_\_\_\_\_

For Pick Up: \_\_\_\_\_

Entered By: \_\_\_\_\_

*White - Donor Pink - File Yellow - Item*

### Donor Information

Donor Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature Donor: \_\_\_\_\_ Solicitor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# Thank you for Your Investment

Your contribution may be tax deductible as a business expense under IRS Section Code 501 (c)(6)

**For an evening at the Races | Thursday, May 19, 2016 | Gates Open/Silent Auction begins at 5 pm – Races Start at 6:30 pm**

Cedar Hill Chamber of Commerce | 300 Houston St | Cedar Hill, TX 75104

972-291-7817 | 972-291-8101 fax | [www.cedarhillchamber.org](http://www.cedarhillchamber.org)



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**#CedarHillChamber**

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Warren Goss 972-293-1212  
613 Uptown Blvd. Ste. 102 warrengoss@allstate.com  
Cedar Hill, TX 75104

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Toby Snowden 972-293-0155  
101 High Pointe Ln. hpbcc@highpointe.org  
Cedar Hill, TX 75104

**Liberty Mutual Insurance**

Nickole Hall 972-556-2339  
nickole.hall@libertymutual.com  
6565 N MacArthur Blvd Ste.100  
Irving, TX 75039

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Cedar Hill, TX 75104

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Cedar Hill, TX 75104

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Cedar Hill, TX 75106

**Dr. Karuna Vangala, MD**

Karuna Vangala  
316 W. Beltline Rd. #100  
Cedar Hill, TX 75104

972-291-7181  
vangalamd@gmail.com

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Cedar Hill, TX 75104

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Cedar Hill, TX 75104

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Cedar Hill, TX 75104

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DeSoto, TX 75115

*Thank you for  
your continued Support.*



**Class of 2016**

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A CELEBRATION OF THE 2016 CLASS AND IN RECOGNITION  
OF THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF OUR  
HONOREE, CURTISTENE MCCOWAN

MAY 18TH AT 11:30 AM  
DALLAS BAPTIST UNIVERSITY  
3000 MOUNTAIN CREEK PKWY  
DALLAS, TX 75211

KINDLY RESPOND BY MAY 12TH  
214-535-8818 | ADMIN@LEADERSHIPSW.ORG

# BOARD ROOM RENOVATION COMPLETED

Need a place for a meeting or small conference? Use our newly updated board room! Membership perks include the use of it for FREE 4 times per year and only \$35 for each additional time thereafter. We also have updated our audio/visual equipment that's available for an additional charge. Up to 30 people can be accommodated, kitchen available. Book in advance, after hours/weekend times available. Just contact the chamber at 972-291-7817.



[cedarhillchamber.org](http://cedarhillchamber.org)

# PeplWear

Building dedication and ribbon cutting!

Monday, May 2nd, 11 am.

1540 High Meadows Way

Cedar Hill, TX 75104



## Launch Pad

Meet the newest entrepreneurs in the  
Cedar Hill Marketplace!

**May 17, 2016**

**5:30 | Y.E.P. Trade Show**

**6:00 | Investor Panel**

Hillside Village, formerly Uptown Village  
305 W. FM 1382  
Facility West of Dick's Sporting Goods

## Competitive Edge Business Forum

5.17.2015 | 12:00 PM  
300 Houston St.

### TOPIC: What's the Stress Quotient in Your Workplace?

Free to members must RSVP, seats are limited  
For more information, visit our website,  
[cedarhillchamber.org](http://cedarhillchamber.org) or give us a call at  
972-291.7817.



### Sponsor Opportunity

#### Competitive Edge Business Forum

Lunch business development event to be held at  
the Chamber, 3rd Tuesday of most months.  
Name/Logo displayed on all promotional materials;  
including newsletter, email invite, website  
and mobile app calendar listings, and lunch &  
learn programs, 2 minute infomercial. \$200

\*5 Available

Call 972-291-7817 or email Elsa,  
[admin@cedarhillchamber.org](mailto:admin@cedarhillchamber.org) with any questions



To find the perfect recipe, you first need the perfect ingredients. And that's what our founders Dena Tripp and Debbie Shwetz were for each other. In 1997, they joined forces, or better yet kitchens, to help make cakes to entertain their friends and family. The cakes they made were delicious, unlike anything anyone had tasted. As a result, their friends and family asked them to entertain more and more.

They quickly realized this side project of theirs could be something more. There was a gap in the world for delicious cakes, readily available, that didn't compromise on their ingredients. Fresh eggs, real butter, and real cream cheese; nothing was too good to achieve perfection. And perfection are those decadent, slowly melting bites, we all know and love.

Flash forward and the Nothing Bundt Cakes brand has grown nationwide. Built on Dena and Debbie's vision, each bakery still has the warmth and nostalgia of its home-kitchen roots, but we also take a modern approach for the world today. So whether you're enjoying a bundt cake or a bundtini one thing is certain - perfection is all we offer.



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# Activities

## May 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Pepwear Building Dedication	3 Networking Lunch	4 Chamber Champions	5 National Day of Prayer	6	7
8	9	10 SBA Luncheon  RC: CH Floors & More	11	12 Business on the Hill RC: Ruiz Finan- cial Solutions Ltd. Co.	13	14
15	16	17 Competitive Edge Business Forum Y.E.P Launch Pad	18 LSW Graduation	19 Annual Gala	20	21
22	23	24	25 Breakfast with the Boss	26 BSW: Scholars Luncheon RC: Sacred Funeral Home	27	28
29	30 	31				

Items in Red are Community Events and not sponsored by the Chamber.