

Calendar of Events

May 29, 2026

Colusa County Chamber AgriSphere Golf Classic - May 29

Colusa Golf & Country Club

2224 Hwy 20

Colusa, CA 95932

09:00 AM - 07:00 PM PST

AgriSphere Golf Classic

Join us for a premier day of golf, networking, and community investment at the AgriSphere Golf Classic. This tournament brings together leaders from agriculture, business, and community to support innovation and economic growth in Colusa County.

Enjoy a first-class tournament experience featuring on-course contests, sponsor activations, and post-play awards.

Location: Colusa Golf & Country Club, 2224 Hwy 20

Date: May 29

Shotgun Start: 9:00

Lunch/Awards Reception to Follow

Whether you're playing to win or simply to connect, this is a day you won't want to miss.

April 8, 2026
- April 29, 2026

Financial Management Series for Existing Businesses - 4 Weeks, 2 Hours Per Week Series

Butte College SBDC

2480 Notre Dame Blvd.,

Chico, CA 95928

08:30 AM - 10:30 AM PST

Sophie Konuwa, 5308959017

konuwaso@butte.edu

This 4-weeks series is designed to teach you how to utilize your financial statements to better manage and understand your business operations, cash flow, and profitability. Focus includes: interpreting and understanding your financial statements (Profit & Loss, Balance Sheet) hands-on exercise and case study; identifying cash flow cycle and how it impacts your business; learning how to calculate and use financial ratios to troubleshoot fiscal dangers, and analyzing trends to improve business performance; using financial tools to make good business decisions for effective spending and break-even analysis; knowing how to think critically when looking at pricing and costs; and developing forecasts and budgetary tools and techniques to improve profit. You can access free individual one-on-one business consulting simultaneously, or after the series.

May 2, 2026

Garden Club of Colusa County's Annual Plant Sale

10th Street Pavilion

10th and Parkhill

Colusa, CA 95932

09:00 AM - 12:00 PM PST

Carolyn Froelich, (925) 337-5456

carolynf837@gmail.com

The Garden Club of Colusa County will be hosting their annual fundraising plant sale and membership drive on Saturday May 2nd!

The event will be hosted at the 10th Street Pavilion from 9:00am-12:00pm and all proceeds will benefit the Garden Club's community projects throughout Colusa County!

Mother's Day Gifts, Indoor & Outdoor Plants, Garden Art, and more!

Donations gratefully accepted!

#ColusaPlantSale

May 12, 2026

HR Essentials for CA Small Businesses: A Practical Guide to Compliance & Best Practices

The Barrell Room

1566 Huntoon St.

Oroville, CA 95965

09:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Sophie Konuwa, 530-895-9017

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This workshop will guide you through the human resource fundamentals, hiring, compliance, and employee management in California. You will learn:

Why human resource matters for your small businesses (i.e., legal compliance, avoid costly penalties, employee retention, reduce turnover, hiring & performance management)

Key California Labor Laws (i.e., overtime rules, meal & rest breaks, At-Will employment)

Employee Classification - AB 5 Law (i.e., Independent Contractor vs. Employee)

Hiring Laws & Best Practices (i.e., Ban-the-Box Law, Salary history ban, job posting requirements/SB 1162, diversity & anti-discrimination)

Required New Hire Documents (i.e., IRS Tax Forms, California Tax Form, employee notice, workers' comp, sexual harassment prevention training)

Employee Benefits & Retention (i.e., Affordable benefits for small businesses, retaining talent)

Required Benefits in California (i.e., California Sick Leave & Time Off Requirements, retirement account)

Employee Management & Compliance (i.e., performance management, final paycheck rules, harassment & discrimination prevention)

Employee Terminating Process, and

HR Tools & Resources for Small Businesses

May 15, 2026

2026 Northern California Procurement Fair

Win-River Resort & Casino

2100 Redding Rancheria Road

Redding, CA 96002

10:00 AM - 03:00 PM PST

Sophie Konuwa, 530-895-9017

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Join us for this complimentary, in-person event designed to help small businesses navigate and succeed in the government marketplace. Whether you are a newcomer or looking to scale, this Fair provides the tools and connections necessary to secure high-value contracts. Learn winning strategies from seasoned contractors, network personally with agency buyers and prime contractors, and discover no-cost programs tailored to support your growth. The Agenda includes Opening Remarks: Introduction to federal, State and corporate small business resources; Panel with the Pros: A deep dive into bidding success and strategic partnerships; B2B Networking Lunch: and Networking & Exhibition: Connect with Northern California buyers and small business advocates.

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Presented in partnership by Norcal APEX Accelerator, Shasta Cascade SBDC, North Coast SBDC, Butte College SBDC, Shasta EDC, NorCal VBOC Caltrans and Cal OSBA.

May 25, 2026

Memorial Day

Colusa County Chamber of Commerce

2963 Davison Ct

Colusa, CA 95932

08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST

Memorial Day The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

June 2, 2026

- June 23, 2026

New Venture Series for New and Start-Up Businesses - 4 Weeks Series

Butte College SBDC

2480 Notre Dame Blvd.,

Chico, CA 95928

08:30 AM - 10:30 AM PST

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This 4-part training series provides essential information to individuals thinking about starting a business and new business owners (in business one year or less). Topics include: Legal Requirements, Market Analysis, Cost Analysis, Funding Your Business, and Overview of the Business Plan - bringing it all together. You will learn the legal requirements for starting your business, how to assess your market and plan for direction, how to obtain funding, types of funding available, calculate start-up costs, and best practice for completing a business plan. You can access free individual one-on-one consulting simultaneously, or after the series.

June 3, 2026
- June 24, 2026

Practical QuickBooks for New Users - 4 Weeks, 2 Hours per week Cohort Series - Chico Butte College SBDC

**2480 Notre Dame Blvd.,
Chico, CA 95928**

08:30 AM - 10:30 AM PST

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Accurate bookkeeping is critical to the success of any business. This QuickBooks Series is for entrepreneurs and business owners in the beginning stage of bookkeeping (i.e., planning, have not yet purchased their system, or have purchased but not using). The trainer will guide you through the basics of accounting from identifying the best QuickBooks version for your business, to setting up your system, managing accounts, and using financial reports to manage your day-to-day activities. You can access free individual one-on-one consulting simultaneously, or after the series. This 4-weeks, 2 hours per week series includes 4 focus areas:

Week 1: June 3rd: Accounting Basics & Getting Started with QuickBooks - Training includes: Basics of accounting, identifying the QuickBooks version that is best for your business, and setting up your company and chart of accounts in QuickBooks.

Week 2: June 10th: Setting up Items and Creating Forms - Training includes: Setting up items, using purchase orders, customizing invoices, and creating forms in QuickBooks.

Week 3: June 17th: Accounts Receivable - Training includes: Setting up online bank feeds, creating estimates and invoices, sales receipts, receiving payments, and managing accounts payable reports.

Week 4: June 24th: Accounts Payable, Banking Reconciliations, and Reports - Training includes: Accounts Payable, Bank Reconciliations, entering expenses and bills, paying bills, managing reports, Profit & Loss Statement, Balance Sheet, and more!

June 11, 2026

Branding Your Business

Hampton Inn & Suites

520 Adobe Road

Red Bluff, CA 96080

09:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Sophie Konuwa, 530-895-9017

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If you are planning to grow your business, brand clarity is a must! Focusing on your customers and target audience are vital to the success of your branding. We will define the meaning of branding, discuss branding ideas and tips, the difference between branding and marketing, why branding is important to your business and customers, how to create your brand and a branding plan, and how to successfully measure the results.

June 25, 2026

ServSafe Food Safety Training and Certification

Butte College SBDC

2480 Notre Dame Blvd.

Chico, CA 95928

09:00 AM - 05:00 PM PST

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California Uniform Retail Food Facility Law requires re-certification of competence in Food Safety and Sanitation every 5 years. Passing the ServSafe® exam is necessary to renew your certification. Training includes National Restaurant Association ServSafe® Exam, Essentials book, Answer Sheet and Certificate. This training is recognized by the California Health Department and fulfills the State of California certification obligations. Learn the importance of food safety practices and how to implement them. The trainer is State certified. Participants must register and purchase books 3 weeks before training, to allow for book delivery and self-study. Seating is limited. Prepayment reserves your seat.

June 30, 2026

Introduction to Digital/Online Marketing

The Barrell Room

1566 Huntoon St..

Oroville, CA 95965

09:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

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This workshop will focus on discussing introductory methods of digital and online marketing. You will learn the basics about Search Engine Optimization (SEO), Search Engine Marketing (SEM), Social Media Marketing (SMM), as well as mobile, affiliate, and online ad marketing. In this class, you will be provided real-world examples of which type of marketing may best fit your marketing goals, as well as ideas for your future marketing needs. This class is perfect for individuals who are either first getting started in digital/online marketing, or those who would like a little more information on how to develop their current digital/online marketing.

July 3, 2026

Independence Day Observed

Colusa County Chamber of Commerce

2963 Davison Ct

Colusa, CA 95932

08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST

Friday the 3rd The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

September 7, 2026

Labor Day

Colusa County Chamber of Commerce

2963 Davison Ct

Colusa, CA 95932

08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST

Labor Day The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

October 12, 2026

Columbus Day

Colusa County Chamber of Commerce

2963 Davison Ct

Colusa, CA 95932

08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST

Columbus Day The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

November 11, 2026 **Veteran's Day**
Colusa County Chamber of Commerce
2963 Davison Ct
Colusa, CA 95932
08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST
Veteran's Day The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

November 14, 2026 **Family Water Alliance Annual Hot Cajun Dinner**
Saint Bernedette's Hall
745 Ware Ave
Colusa, CA 95932
05:30 PM - 09:00 PM PST
Jayleen Davalos , (530)492-6236
jayleend2218@gmail.com

November 26, 2026 **Thanksgiving Day**
Colusa County Chamber of Commerce
2963 Davison Ct
Colusa, CA 95932
08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST
Thanksgiving Day The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

November 27, 2026 **Day After Thanksgiving**
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Colusa, CA 95932
08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST
Day After Thanksgiving The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

December 24, 2026 **Christmas Eve**
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Colusa, CA 95932
08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST
Christmas Eve The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

December 25, 2026 **Christmas Day**
Colusa County Chamber of Commerce
2963 Davison Ct
Colusa, CA 95932
08:00 AM - 04:00 PM PST
Christmas Day The Chamber will be closed for the Holiday!

December 31, 2026 **New Year's Eve**
Colusa County Chamber of Commerce
2963 Davison Ct
Colusa, CA 95932
12:00 PM - 04:00 PM PST
New Year's Eve The Chamber will be closing at noon! Please plan ahead of time, thank you.

Coming Soon

Plant A Pollinator Hedgerow on Us
Colusa County Resource Conservation District
100 Sunrise Blvd
Colusa, CA 95932

8/5/2025

Tucker Bennett, (530) 501-8159

Bennett@colusarc.org

Payment Rates

Single Row: \$10/Ft

Double Row: \$15/Ft

Benefits of Planting a Pollinator hedgerow-

Biodiversity: Supports a wide range of wildlife, enhancing local ecosystems. Agriculture:

Improves crop yields by increasing the number and diversity of pollinators. Erosion

Control: Helps stabilize soil and manage water runoff.

*What You Get- Pollinator Habitat Plan: Plants Recommendations, Design, Timeline,
Plant Material at Cost to RCD*