Glendale Chamber of Commerce 9524 W. Camelback Road Glendale, AZ 85305 623-937-4754 jpeyton@glendaleazchamber.org

Calendar of Events

April 5, 2024 - April 26, 2024 FREE Live Music ALL 4Fridays in April The Village at Arrowhead - AJ's Fine Foods 20050 N 67th Ave. GLENDALE, AZ 85308 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM MST

trevor burkholder, 7144041170 burkholderdm1@gmail.com

https://www.facebook.com/shopthevillageatarrowhead

April 25, 2024

Impact Breakfast Conference Center at Rio 2323 W. 14th Street Tempe, AZ 85281

08:00 AM - 10:00 AM MST Amy Griglak, 480-377-2715

amy.griglak@maricopacorporate.com

Join the Maricopa Corporate College on April 25, 2024 at the Impact Breakfast for an engaging panel discussion focused on hiring beyond traditional channels.

Representing organizations that serve diverse populations including refugees, veterans, people with disabilities, and previously incarcerated individuals, our panelists will shed light on the value these groups bring to the workforce.

Discover why these populations are excellent talent pools, the common barriers they face in securing employment, and actionable strategies for employers to address these challenges.

Our discussion will cover a range of topics, including:

- Practical steps employers can take to alleviate these barriers and foster inclusivity
- Resources available for employers seeking to connect with and hire individuals from these communities
- Anticipated changes in demand for these populations over the next 5-10 years
- Current incentives for hiring from these communities
- Critical competencies and skill sets employers should prioritize when hiring from these populations
- Additionally, our panelists will debunk common misconceptions surrounding the impact and contributions of these individuals in the workforce, providing insight into the reality of their capabilities.

Don't miss this opportunity to gain valuable knowledge and tools to enhance your hiring practices and drive positive change in your organization.

Mark your calendars for April 25 and join us for an enlightening discussion that promises to reshape your approach to talent acquisition. This is a free event. Registration is required.

Register today:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/a-panel-discussion-on-hiring-beyond-traditional-channels-tickets-705487842127

April 27, 2024 Faith Through the Arts Reception

The Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist

4201 W. Union Hills Dr Glendale, Ar 85308

04:00 PM - 06:00 PM MST Chris Johnston, 602-810-2910 chris.johnston@usi.com

April 28, 2024 Arizona Rattlers Pickleball Night

Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, AZ 85305

03:00 PM - 05:45 PM MST Noah Griffith, 480-912-7505 ngriffith@azrattlers.com April 29, 2024 - April 30, 2024 DigiMarCon Pacific Northwest 2024 - Digital Marketing, Media and Advertising Conference & E The Westin Seattle Hotel

1900 5th Ave

Seattle, Wa 98101

09:00 AM - 07:00 PM PST

DigiMarCon Pacific Northwest, 800-805-5385

events@digimarconpacificnorthwest.com

DigiMarCon Pacific Northwest 2024 is your chance to ...

- Hear from some of the most audacious and thought-provoking speakers in the digital marketing, media and advertising industry.
- Gain insight into emerging strategies, the latest innovative technologies, and best practices to move your business to the next level.
- Network with thought leaders, reunite with your peers, and build your professional network.

The 3rd annual DigiMarCon Pacific Northwest, the Premier Digital Marketing, Media and Advertising Conference & Exhibition in the Pacific Northwest Region, returns April 29th and 30th, 2024 to The Westin Seattle Hotel in Seattle, Washington. Join your peers in-person or online for 2-days jam-packed with digital marketing best practices, latest trends, practical solutions, strategy, and networking, also check out the next generation of technology & innovation; Internet, Mobile, AdTech, MarTech & SaaS Technology.

Expand your knowledge on the following topics: Artificial Intelligence & ChatGPT, Marketing Automation, Account-Based Marketing, Behavioral & Neuromarketing, Content Marketing, Conversational Marketing, Conversion Rate Optimization, Data Science & Big Data, Email Marketing, Geo-Targeting & Proximity Marketing, Growth Hacking, Inbound & Outbound Marketing, Influencer Marketing, Mobile Marketing, Native & Contextual Advertising, Omnichannel Marketing, Paid Search Marketing, Personalization & Privacy.

You'll also learn the following: Podcast & Webinar Marketing, PR & Cause Marketing, Predictive Analytics & Attribution, Programmatic Advertising, Sales & Marketing Automation, Search Engine Optimization, Shopper Marketing, Marketing & Customer Experience, Social Commerce, Social Media Marketing, UI / UX Design, User-Generated Content, Video Marketing, Viral & Buzz Marketing, Visual & Voice Search, Web Analytics, and much more!

At DigiMarCon Pacific Northwest 2024, you will receive all the elements you need to achieve digital marketing success! Conventional thoughts will be challenged, and new ways of thinking will emerge. You will leave with your head, notebooks, and professional toolkit full of action items and ideas to lead and supercharge your agency/team/account to even greater success.

Be a part of DigiMarCon Pacific Northwest 2024 and discover how to thrive and succeed as a marketer in a rapidly evolving digital world. Top keynotes, case studies, strategy sessions and networking!

See why people keep coming back year after year to this must-attend event! Register and secure your seat today.

For more details visit https://digimarconpacificnorthwest.com.

May 1, 2024

Business Over Breakfast - May 1st Charley's Sports Grill 8110 W. Union Hills Drive Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

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Pricing:

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Future Member Pricing: \$60 (One Time Attendance) easily applied to membership if you join within 45 days

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Event Details:

Location - Charley's Sports Grill Check-In & Networking - 7:00AM Program Begins - 7:30AM Program Ends & Networking - 9:00AM

Be sure to bring business cards, flyers and/or other marketing materials from your company. Attendees are also able to donate a raffle item for the drawing.

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May 2, 2024

Lunch With Leaders - May 2nd

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85307

11:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST

Shea Torres, 623-937-4754

storres@glendaleazchamber.org

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Event Details:

Location - Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

Check-In & Networking -11:00AM

Program Begins - 11:30AM

Program Ends & Networking - 1:00PM

Lunch: Enjoy a delicious pasta bar featuring Marina sauce, Wild Mushroom sauce,

Meatballs, Chicken and Caesar salad!

Event Topic: Mother In Business Awards

*The Glendale Chamber of Commerce will acknowledge and award a total of (3)

mothers in business from various categories including: Mom Entrepreneur, Mom

Manager, and Mom Executive at Lunch With Leaders

Renee Arellano

Director of Academics and Career Services | Arizona Automotive Institute Mom Executive Winner

Teri Roberts Owner | AZOPT & Kids Place Mom Manager Winner

Amanda Maes Owner | 11 Bravo Mobile Auto Glass Mom Entrepreneur Winner

For additional information, please call the Glendale Chamber at 623-937-4754.

May 2, 2024 - May 3, 2024 TECHSPO San Diego 2024 Technology Expo (Internet ~ Mobile ~ AdTech ~ MarTech ~ SaaS)

Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina Hotel

333 W Harbor Dr

San Diego, CA 92101 09:00 AM - 04:00 PM MST TECHSPO San Diego, (800) 805 5385

events@techsposandiego.com

Where Business, Tech and Innovation Collide in San Diego!

TECHSPO San Diego 2024 is your chance to ...

- Check out exhibitors showcasing the next generation of technology & innovation.
- Be inspired, amazed and educated on how these evolving technologies will impact your business for greater growth.
- Interact with technology enthusiasts, build your network and reunite with your peers.

The 3rd annual TECHSPO San Diego, two-day technology expo returns May 2nd and 3rd, 2024 to the luxurious Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina Hotel in San Diego, California. TECHSPO San Diego brings together some of the best developers, brands, marketers, technology providers, designers, innovators and evangelists looking to set the pace in our advanced world of technology. Watch exhibitors showcase the next generation of advances in technology & innovation, including; Internet, Mobile, AdTech, MarTech and SaaS technologies. Be prepared to be inspired, amazed and educated on how these evolving technologies will impact your business for greater growth.

As part of TECHSPO San Diego is a limited attendance event, DigiMarCon California 2024 Digital Marketing, Media and Advertising Conference (https://digimarconcalifornia.com). If the conference is where the learning, theory and inspiration happens, then the TECHSPO floor is where the testing, networking and product interaction takes place.

For complete details visit https://techsposandiego.com.

May 7, 2024

The Rolling Stones
State Farm Stadium
1 Cardinals Drive
Glendale, AZ 85305
08:00 PM - 11:00 PM MST

Lillian Rightmire, (623) 433-7101

Irightmire@statefarmstadium.com

The Rolling Stones are going back on the road with a brand-new tour stopping at State Farm Stadium on May 7, 2024. Fans can expect to experience Mick, Keith and Ronnie play their most popular hits ranging from Start Me Up, Gimme Shelter, Jumpin' Jack Flash, Satisfaction and more, as well as fan favorite deep cuts and music from their new album HACKNEY DIAMONDS.

May 7, 2024

Celebrate Influential Women Lunch

Arizona Broadway Theatre 7701 W. Paradise Ln. Peoria, AZ 85382

11:30 AM - 01:15 PM MST Lisa Platt, 602-573-7496 lisa@wvwnetworking.com

Make new connections and join us for fabulous fun at the Celebrate Influential Women Lunch sponsored by First Things First. Attendees will have an opportunity to highlight a woman who has inspired them. Register.

We are excited to welcome our meeting sponsor, First Things First, and learn how they support early childhood education here in Arizona.

Tuesday, May 7 11:30 am - 1:15 pm Arizona Broadway Theatre, 7701 W. Paradise Ln., Peoria WVW Members \$34 Non-WVW Members \$38 Register

Reservations close Friday, May 3.

West Valley Women, where one can experience the Art of Networking. Come join us!

May 8, 2024

Business Over Breakfast - May 8th Charley's Sports Grill 8110 W. Union Hills Drive

Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST

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Event Details:

Location - Charley's Sports Grill Check-In & Networking - 7:00AM Program Begins - 7:30AM Program Ends & Networking - 9:00AM

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May 9, 2024

Aventura
Desert Diamond Arena
9400 W Maryland Ave

Glendale, Ar 85305

08:00 PM - 11:30 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240

ljones@desertdiamondarena.com

Aventura is bringing their Cerrando Ciclos Tour to Glendale on May 9!

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May 9, 2024

Glendale Chamber of Commerce 1st Annual Donate for Mothers Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center 10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85037

11:00 AM - 04:00 PM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org Give the gift of life by donating blood!

Did you know that 1 in 83 mothers requires a blood transfusion during childbirth. Honor a mother by giving blood at our event before Mothers' Day.

Donors will be entered to win one of 83 gift cards worth \$83 each courtesy of Vitalant! Donors must have an online donor account with Vitalant and be opted into the Donor Rewards program to qualify for this specific drawing. Find out more here

Thursday, May 9, 2024

11:00am - 4:00pm

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center Building

Multipurpose Room

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85037

*Light refreshments for donors will be provided by Bitzee Mamas, The Blue Corn Cafe & Bakery, and Cafe Zupas

In addition, all donors at this event on May 9th will receive a complimentary gift card compliments of the Glendale Chamber of Commerce while supplies last.

Visit www.vitalant.org (Blood Drive Code: 10055480) or click here to schedule your lifesaving appointment.

May 11, 2024

Third Annual Paws for Vets Charity Golf Tournament Coyote Lakes Golf Club 18800 N. Coyote Lakes Pkwy Surprise, AZ 06:45 AM - 02:00 PM MST Kirstie Myers, 602-538-6230 kirstie_myers@icloud.com May 15, 2024

Business Over Breakfast - May 15th Charley's Sports Grill 8110 W. Union Hills Drive Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

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Pricing:

Quarterly Member Pricing: \$150 (BEST VALUE) Includes this one and the next 5 events Member Pricing: \$25 (One Time Attendance) if registered by Monday week of event Member Pricing: \$30 (One Time Attendance) if registered Tuesday or Wednesday week of event

Future Member Pricing: \$60 (One Time Attendance) easily applied to membership if you join within 45 days

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Event Details:

Location - Charley's Sports Grill Check-In & Networking - 7:00AM Program Begins - 7:30AM Program Ends & Networking - 9:00AM

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For additional information, please call the Glendale Chamber at 623-937-4754.

May 16, 2024

Business After Hours - May Bobby Q 8501 N. 27th Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85051

05:00 PM - 07:00 PM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

You and one guest are invited to join the Glendale Chamber for Business After Hours!

Each month, the Chamber partners with a valued member to offer a night of networking for our members. These events provide an opportunity for Chamber Members and their guests to come together in a relaxed atmosphere while sharing ideas, products and services offered.

Event Details:

Location - Bobby Q
Check-In & Networking - 5:00PM-6:20PM
Announcements Begin - 6:20PM
Program Ends - 7:00PM
*Adults only please
*RSVP is requested

Pricing:

Member Registration - No Guest: \$25 & Includes Raffle

Member Registration & One Guest: \$40 & Includes Raffle for yourself and your guest Future Member Registration - No Guest: \$60 (Cost can be applied to membership if joined within 45 days of event)

Future Member Registration & One Guest: \$120 (Cost can be applied to membership if joined within 45 days of event)

*Please register your guest if applicable

*Additional guests can be registered by calling the Chamber at 623-937-4754.

May 22, 2024

Business Over Breakfast - May 22nd

Charley's Sports Grill 8110 W. Union Hills Drive Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

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Pricing:

Quarterly Member Pricing: \$125 (BEST VALUE) Includes this one and the next 4 events Member Pricing: \$25 (One Time Attendance) if registered by Monday week of event Member Pricing: \$30 (One Time Attendance) if registered Tuesday or Wednesday week of event

Future Member Pricing: \$60 (One Time Attendance) easily applied to membership if you join within 45 days

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Event Details:

Location - Charley's Sports Grill Check-In & Networking - 7:00AM Program Begins - 7:30AM Program Ends & Networking - 9:00AM

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May 25, 2024

Arizona Rattlers vs Duke City Gladiators Desert Diamond Arena

9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Az 85305

06:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240

ljones@desertdiamondarena.com

The Arizona Rattlers take on the Duke City Gladiators at Desert Diamond Arena on Saturday, May 25.

May 29, 2024

Business Over Breakfast - May 29th Charley's Sports Grill 8110 W. Union Hills Drive Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

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Pricing:

Quarterly Member Pricing: \$100 (BEST VALUE) Includes this one and the next 3 events Member Pricing: \$25 (One Time Attendance) if registered by Monday week of event Member Pricing: \$30 (One Time Attendance) if registered Tuesday or Wednesday week of event

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Event Details:

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June 5, 2024

Business Over Breakfast - June 5th Charley's Sports Grill 8110 W. Union Hills Drive Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

Business Over Breakfast is a weekly event that features great opportunity for members to come together over breakfast, make new connections, hear from excellent speakers, exchange leads and referrals, and build relationships to help grow their business.

Pricing:

Quarterly Member Pricing: \$75 (BEST VALUE) Includes this one and the next 2 events Member Pricing: \$25 (One Time Attendance) if registered by Monday week of event Member Pricing: \$30 (One Time Attendance) if registered Tuesday or Wednesday week of event

Future Member Pricing: \$60 (One Time Attendance) easily applied to membership if you join within 45 days

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Event Details:

Location - Charley's Sports Grill Check-In & Networking - 7:00AM Program Begins - 7:30AM Program Ends & Networking - 9:00AM

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June 6, 2024

Lunch With Leaders - June 6th

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85307

11:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST

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Event Details:

Location - Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

Check-In & Networking -11:00AM

Program Begins - 11:30AM

Program Ends & Networking - 1:00PM

Charity of Choice - Soldier's Best Friend

Lunch: Enjoy a delicious slider bar with Cheeseburger or Pulled Pork protein and a

mixed green salad!

Event Topic: Hiring Veterans 101

"Educate, Equip and Empower Glendale-area employers to hire currently serving military & Veterans based upon their experience, value and potential; bridging cultural

and skills gaps."

Key Takeaways:

Learn the skills, qualities, and attributes that military/Veterans bring to the civilian workforce, and what's in it for employers to evaluate their potential and hire for aptitude Understand key distinctions of military vs. civilian cultures and discover tips for resolving communication style differences.

Acquire suggestions for enhanced support employers can offer military/Veteran job candidates and their employees once hired.

Gain accommodation ideas that employers can adopt for military/Veteran employees who struggle or have Post Traumatic Stress.

Moderator:

LtCol (Ret) Kathy Lowrey Gallowitz, U.S.A.F. Veteran

Retired LtCol Kathy Lowrey Gallowitz is an award-winning businesswoman with first-hand experience hiring Veterans who coaches employers on how to boost productivity and reduce turnover by hiring and retaining Veterans. She helps companies become "Veteran-Ready" through the creation of a Veteran Talent Strategy. Her "Veteran Talent Academy" equips employers to find, hire, and leverage Veterans' skill sets. Kathy is the Founder & CEO of Vanguard Veteran, LLC, author of "Beyond 'Thank You For Your Service,' The Veteran Champion Handbook" for Civilians, and has Masters degrees in Nursing and Political Science. She grew up as a Navy 'brat,' served nearly 30 years as an Air Force Officer, and is married to an Army combat Veteran.

Kathy also equips volunteer faith community leaders to build Military Ministries to cultivate mutual support, a sense of belonging, and spiritual resiliency for military-connected people.

Military Career Experts:

Yolanda Pinera-Arquette, MSgt, USAFR

Yolanda Pinero-Arquette is a Resilience Program Manager for the 944th Fighter Wing Reserve unit at Luke AFB for 800 Airmen. I have a combined experience spanning over 30 years in Transportation and Logistics, Administrative, Customer Service, and HR management experience as well as 19 years of military experience (Army & Air Force). I am team-oriented, conscientious, flexible professional, who can manage multiple responsibilities. A disciplined approach, coupled with the ability to anticipate potential obstacles, contributing to a record of excellence while maintaining confidentiality. Results oriented, with proven ability to accomplish business objectives, motivated for long-term organizational achievement. I'm known for my strong decision making, problem solving, and creating resilient inclusive work teams. In my free time, I enjoy exercising, spending time with my family, and my new found skill, painting vibrant flower pots.

Donald Suiter Jr., CW4, U.S. Army, Retired

Donnie Suiter Jr recently retired from the US Army in May, 2023 as a Chief Warrant Officer Four with almost 26 years of active duty service. He entered the active-duty Army in 1997 as a Private and after making his way up the ranks to a Sergeant First Class, was selected to go to Warrant Officer Candidate School. His military experience includes service as a Wheeled Vehicle Mechanic, Shop Foreman, Maintenance Control Sergeant, Battalion Maintenance Technician, and a Capability Developer. Donnie has three deployments to Iraq and one deployment to Afghanistan totaling four combined years of time spent in combat. He also deployed to Albania and completed a rotation to Kuwait. Since retiring in May of 2023, Donnie has been working as a Sales Representative for both Red Hill Mobility Group LLC and Laine Industries. Donnie has four year old twins named Luke and Olivia and earned his Bachelor's Degree in Management from American Military University in 2019.

Olga Tipton-Tucker Sgt, US Army

Olga Tipton-Tucker served in the Army from 2004-2012 as a Motor Transport Operator, with one deployment to Iraq during OIF-IV. Her military experience includes operating a wide range of military vehicles, transporting goods, coordinating training, and managing troop personnel. After the Army, she received an Associate's in Applied Science-Paramedicine and served as a medic for a high call volume 911 service. Olga became disabled in 2017 and medically retired. Currently, she works as the Business Development Manager for Packages From Home, a nonprofit that sends comfort and care packages to service members who are deployed.

Hiring Professional Experts:

APS - Anthony Herrera

Anthony Herrera is a human resources leader with over 20 years of experience, specializing in talent acquisition, talent management, and project management. Anthony joined APS in 2012 and currently serves as the Manager of Talent Acquisition, where he is responsible for the company's overall hiring strategy and talent pipeline programs. As a former United States Marine, Anthony is passionate about serving the military community and has worked to implement a variety of programs at APS aimed at supporting veterans. Anthony received a Bachelor of Science in Business and Human Resource Management from Western Governors University and holds over 20 professional certifications in human resources and project management.

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Aqua Therapy Tubs - Derek Rogers

Derek Rogers was born in Saginaw, Michigan and was raised in a small town called Alma until he was 10 years old. His family decided to move out west and we landed in Arizona. This has been his home for 37 years and he has fallen in love with all this state has to offer. Derek earned a business degree at NAU and bought his first company upon graduating. His grandfather was a WWII Veteran and a proud man. In his later years, Derek would help him bathe. He realized the need for safe and accessible bathrooms for seniors so, in 201, Derek started Aqua Therapy Tubs. Their team has had the honor to serve hundreds of Seniors, disabled Veterans, and children with physical limitations. They are committed to their mission: To allow every person the ability to age in their homes safely, comfortably and with the dignity they deserve. They look forward to serving our community for many years to come.

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Arizona Automotive Institute (AAI) - Renee Arellano-Jones
With over 22 years of experience in the post-secondary education sector, Renee
Arellano-Jones has held various key roles including Career Development Coach,
Director of Career Services, Director of CS and Academics, and Interim Executive
Director. Throughout her career journey, she has amassed invaluable expertise across
multiple business fields and has contributed significantly to supporting Ancora Education
campuses nationwide. Renee earned her Bachelor's degree in Business
Management/Operations from AIBT in Phoenix, Arizona, in 2003. Actively involved in
her community, she has been a longstanding member of the Glendale Chamber of
Commerce, where she serves on the Chamber Education Committee, demonstrating
her commitment to the organization's noble causes.

For additional information, please call the Glendale Chamber at 623-937-4754.

June 11, 2024

Marketing Committee Lunch & Learn Series - Results Driven SEO Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center 10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85037

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM MST

Karli Kratzenberg, 623-937-4754

kkratzenberg@glendaleazchamber.org

Join us at the Glendale Chamber Marketing Committee (GCMC) Lunch & Learn With Marketing Pro's Series where you'll learn practical tools to help grow your business. We encourage you to join the live roundtable discussions, interactive in-person instruction, hands-on training, and pro tips from GCMC experts as they present an upcoming series of topics such as Artificial Intelligence, SEO Fundamentals, Outsourcing, Email Marketing, Marketing Goals, and More!

2024 Dates and Topics

Tuesday, Jun 11- Results Driven SEO

Tuesday, Aug 13 - Advantages of Outsourcing

Tuesday, Oct 8 – Strategic Marketing Planning for 2025

Tuesday, Dec 10 - Roadmap for Digital Success

Pricing: Complimentary to attend

Mark your calendar for the 2nd Tuesday of every other month!

*Refreshments will be provided by the Glendale Chamber of Commerce.

June 12, 2024

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Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST

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Pricing:

Quarterly Member Pricing: \$50 (BEST VALUE) Includes this one and the next event Member Pricing: \$25 (One Time Attendance) if registered by Monday week of event Member Pricing: \$30 (One Time Attendance) if registered Tuesday or Wednesday week of event

Future Member Pricing: \$60 (One Time Attendance) easily applied to membership if you join within 45 days

*Annual & Quarterly subscribers may bring a potential future member as their guest for \$20 if they pre-register & pre-pay, please call our office at 623-937-4754.

Event Details:

Location - Charley's Sports Grill Check-In & Networking - 7:00AM Program Begins - 7:30AM Program Ends & Networking - 9:00AM

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June 14, 2024 - June 23, 2024 Section 7 State Farm Stadium 1 Cardinals Dr. Glendale, AZ 85305 10:00 AM - 04:00 PM MST

Section 7, 4805409335

section7@positionsports.com

400 Teams, NCAA Final Four Stadium, 12 Wood Floors, 700+ college coaches. The competition will be fierce, the opportunity will be great, college coaches will be in attendance. The future awaits this June and we can't wait to see you there.

Watch the best high school basketball teams in West in front of 500+ college coaches, Section 7 is the place to be June 14-23, 2024.

June 15, 2024

Arizona Rattlers vs Northern Arizona Wranglers

Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Az 85305

06:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240

ljones@desertdiamondarena.com

The Arizona Rattlers take on the Northern Arizona Wranglers at Desert Diamond Arena on Saturday, June 15.

June 20, 2024

Business After Hours - June

The Vig - Park West 9824 W Northern Avenue Peoria. AZ 85345

05:00 PM - 07:00 PM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

You and one guest are invited to join the Glendale Chamber for Business After Hours!

Each month, the Chamber partners with a valued member to offer a night of networking for our members. These events provide an opportunity for Chamber Members and their guests to come together in a relaxed atmosphere while sharing ideas, products and services offered.

Event Details:

Location - The Vig - Park West
Check-In & Networking - 5:00PM-6:20PM
Announcements Begin - 6:20PM
Program Ends - 7:00PM
*Adults only please
*RSVP is requested

Pricing:

Member Registration - No Guest: \$25 & Includes Raffle

Member Registration & One Guest: \$40 & Includes Raffle for yourself and your guest Future Member Registration - No Guest: \$60 (Cost can be applied to membership if joined within 45 days of event)

Future Member Registration & One Guest: \$120 (Cost can be applied to membership if joined within 45 days of event)

^{*}Please register your guest if applicable

^{*}Additional guests can be registered by calling the Chamber at 623-937-4754.

June 26, 2024

Business Over Breakfast - June 26th

Charley's Sports Grill 8110 W. Union Hills Drive Glendale, AZ 85308

07:00 AM - 09:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

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June 29, 2024

Arizona Rattlers vs Iowa Barnstormers

Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Az 85305

06:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240 Ijones@desertdiamondarena.com

The Arizona Rattlers take on the Iowa Barnstormers at Desert Diamond Arena on Saturday, June 29.

July 2, 2024 blink-182

Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Az 85305

07:00 PM - 11:30 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240 ljones@desertdiamondarena.com

blink-182 is headed to Glendale on July 2, 2024 with special guest Pierce The Veil.

July 7, 2024 Arizona Rattlers vs Tucson Sugar Skulls

Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Az 85305

03:00 PM - 06:00 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240

Ijones@desertdiamondarena.com

The Arizona Rattlers take on the Tucson Sugar Skulls at Desert Diamond Arena on Sunday, July 7.

July 8, 2024 - July 9, 2024 DigiMarCon Silicon Valley 2024 - Digital Marketing, Media and Advertising Conference & Exhilicand Hyatt Hotel at SFO
Grand Hyatt Hotel at SFO
San Francisco, Ca 94128
09:00 AM - 07:00 PM PST
DigiMarCon Silicon Valley, 8008055385
events@digimarconsiliconvalley.com

DigiMarCon Silicon Valley 2024 is your chance to ...

- Hear from some of the most audacious and thought-provoking speakers in the digital marketing, media and advertising industry.
- Gain insight into emerging strategies, the latest innovative technologies, and best practices to move your business to the next level.
- Network with thought leaders, reunite with your peers, and build your professional network.

The 3rd annual DigiMarCon Silicon Valley, the Premier Digital Marketing, Media and Advertising Conference & Exhibition in Silicon Valley, returns July 8th and 9th, 2024 to the luxurious Grand Hyatt Hotel at SFO in San Francisco, California. Join your peers in-person or online for 2-days jam-packed with digital marketing best practices, latest trends, practical solutions, strategy, and networking, also check out the next generation of technology & innovation; Internet, Mobile, AdTech, MarTech & SaaS Technology.

Expand your knowledge on the following topics: Artificial Intelligence & ChatGPT, Marketing Automation, Account-Based Marketing, Behavioral & Neuromarketing, Content Marketing, Conversational Marketing, Conversion Rate Optimization, Data Science & Big Data, Email Marketing, Geo-Targeting & Proximity Marketing, Growth Hacking, Inbound & Outbound Marketing, Influencer Marketing, Mobile Marketing, Native & Contextual Advertising, Omnichannel Marketing, Paid Search Marketing, Personalization & Privacy.

You'll also learn the following: Podcast & Webinar Marketing, PR & Cause Marketing, Predictive Analytics & Attribution, Programmatic Advertising, Sales & Marketing Automation, Search Engine Optimization, Shopper Marketing, Marketing & Customer Experience, Social Commerce, Social Media Marketing, UI / UX Design, User-Generated Content, Video Marketing, Viral & Buzz Marketing, Visual & Voice Search, Web Analytics, and much more!

At DigiMarCon Silicon Valley 2024, you will receive all the elements you need to achieve digital marketing success! Conventional thoughts will be challenged, and new ways of thinking will emerge. You will leave with your head, notebooks, and professional toolkit full of action items and ideas to lead and supercharge your agency/team/account to even greater success.

Be a part of DigiMarCon Silicon Valley 2024 and discover how to thrive and succeed as a marketer in a rapidly evolving digital world. Top keynotes, case studies, strategy sessions and networking!

See why people keep coming back year after year to this must-attend event! Register and secure your seat today.

For more details visit https://digimarconsiliconvalley.com.

July 10, 2024

A Day To Remember Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Ar 85305

06:30 PM - 11:30 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240 ljones@desertdiamondarena.com

A Day To Remember is bringing The Least Anticipated Album Tour to Glendale on July 10 with special guests The Story So Far, Four Year Strong, and Scowl!

July 11, 2024 - July 12, 2024

DigiMarCon Texas 2024 - Digital Marketing, Media and Advertising Conference & Exhibition Omni Dallas Hotel

555 S Lamar St Dallas Texas 75202 United States of America Dallas, Te 75202

09:00 AM - 07:00 PM CST DigiMarCon Texas, 8008055385 events@digimarcontexas.com

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July 27, 2024

Old School Block Party

Desert Diamond Arena

9400 W Maryland Ave

Glendale, Az 85305

07:00 PM - 11:00 PM MST

Lauren Jones, 6237723240

Ijones@desertdiamondarena.com

Old School Block Party is headed to Desert Diamond Arena on Saturday, July 27! This incredible lineup includes 112, Too Short, Stevie B., Digital Underground, 2 Live Crew, Debbie Deb, Trinere, Club Nouveau, Nocera, Freestyle, and Connie.

*Lineup subject to change.

August 1, 2024

Lunch With Leaders - August 1st

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85307

11:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST

Shea Torres, 623-937-4754

storres@glendaleazchamber.org

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Event Details:

Location - Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center Check-In & Networking -11:00AM

Program Begins - 11:30AM

Program Ends & Networking - 1:00PM

Event Topic: Utilities in Arizona - how the work that utility companies do actively shapes our region and the West Valley

Event Speaker(s): Arizona Public Service (APS), Salt River Project (SRP), + more to come!

For additional information, please call the Glendale Chamber at 623-937-4754.

August 3, 2024 - August 4, 2024 Hot Wheels Monster Trucks Live Glow Party Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Ar 85305

12:30 PM - 04:30 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240 ljones@desertdiamondarena.com

Hot Wheels Monster Trucks Live Glow Party returns to Glendale on August 3-4, 2024! Fans of all ages will experience the thrill of watching their favorite Hot Wheels Monster Trucks in the DARK!

Hot Wheels Monster Trucks Live Glow Party brings fans' favorite Hot Wheels Monster Trucks to life including Mega Wrex[™], Tiger Shark[™], Demo Derby[™], Bone Shaker[™], Bigfoot®, Gunkster[™], and introducing the brand new HW 5-Alarm[™], the firetruck hero of Hot Wheels Monster Trucks! Fans can also witness a special appearance from a transforming robot, plus the high-flyers of Hot Wheels Monster Trucks Live Freestyle Motocross Team.

August 7, 2024

West Valley Biz 2 Biz Expo 2024 ASU West Valley campus 4701 W. Thunderbird Road Glendale, AZ 85306 04:00 PM - 07:00 PM MST Shea Torres,

storres@glendaleazchamber.org

Hosted by 6 of the West Valley Chambers of Commerce at ASU's West Valley campus, the 2024 Biz 2 Biz Expo offers an unparalleled opportunity for all businesses throughout the West Valley and beyond to showcase their products and services to hundreds of decision makers and buyers. Free to attend and open to the public, this highly productive event offers the perfect opportunity for maximum impact within an efficient three hour window. While attending, you'll have the opportunity to develop critical relationships with surrounding businesses and leaders throughout Avondale, Buckeye, El Mirage, Glendale, Surprise, Peoria, Tolleson, Goodyear, Litchfield Park, Sun City, Sun City West, Wickenburg and Youngtown.

Free to Attend! No RSVP Needed!

An Affordable Way to Showcase your Products and Services! Reserve your exhibit space today before the event sells out! *Registration is due by Friday, July 19, 2024

Important Details

- -Space is available on a first-come-first-serve basis only
- Space is reserved when payment is received
- -A maximum of 2 booths may be reserved per company
- -Exhibit table includes: one (1) 6' table and two (2) chairs for aisle booths or one (1) 8' table and two (2) chairs for wall/entry booths
- -Plenty of dedicated parking onsite for exhibitors and attendees
- -Only members in good standing of at least one of the six West Valley Chambers may exhibit

Exhibit Pricing:

- \$500 Regular Booth (within an aisle)
- \$550 Wall Booth or Entry Booth

*Add electricity for \$75 a table

*Add black table cloth for \$25 a table

Vendor Setup on Tuesday, August 6th from 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

**While it rarely occurs, the Glendale Chamber reserves the right to cancel, re-schedule, and/or modify events. Should changes occur, members and guests may apply monies paid to the re-scheduled event, another Chamber event or towards membership/renewal. We are unable to process refunds.

August 13, 2024

Marketing Committee Lunch & Learn Series - Advantages of Outsourcing Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85037

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM MST

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2024 Dates and Topics

Tuesday, Aug 13 - Advantages of Outsourcing

Tuesday, Oct 8 – Strategic Marketing Planning for 2025

Tuesday, Dec 10 - Roadmap for Digital Success

Pricing: Complimentary to attend

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August 26, 2024

Chamber 101: A New Member Orientation

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85037

05:00 PM - 07:00 PM MST

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Food will be provided by Chick-fil-A.

This event is generously sponsored by AZ Perfect Comfort!

Pricing:

Complimentary to attend

Event Times: 5:00pm Check-In 5:30pm - 7:00pm Program

September 5, 2024

Lunch With Leaders - September 5th

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85307

11:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST

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Monday week of event

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Wednesday, or Thursday week of event

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Event Details:

Location - Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

Check-In & Networking -11:00AM

Program Begins - 11:30AM

Program Ends & Networking - 1:00PM

Event Topic: Arizona Election Update - how the primary election impacts Arizona and

information to be aware of for the general election in November

Event Speaker(s): Fennemore, + more to come!

For additional information, please call the Glendale Chamber at 623-937-4754.

September 19, 2024

Veteran Talent Academy "Advanced Individual Training" Fairway Mortgage 20359 N 59th Ave, Ste. 100 Glendale, AZ 85308

08:30 AM - 11:30 AM MST Kathy Gallowitz, 12709457286 Kathy@VanguardVeteran.com Do you have some experience with hiring military Veterans?

Would you like to upgrade your existing Veteran-hiring initiative?

Veteran unemployment is at historic lows yet Veteran underemployment is between 35-43%, 15.6% higher than non-Veteran job seekers. Using Veteran-hiring and retention best practices will help you fully leverage Veteran employee skill sets and build a more productive, efficient, and resilient workforce.

To advance your Veteran-hiring initiative, join us for "Advanced Individual Training." You'll learn:

How to Onboard Veteran Talent Retention Best Practices Ways to Message Veteran Job Seekers Veteran-hiring Educational and Award programs Veteran-community Support Resources

Ideal participants are those who have taken "Basic Training" and/or have some experience with hiring Veterans. This course is well-suited for anyone who wants to jump-start or improve your company's Veteran-hiring practices.

September 20, 2024

25th Annual Excellence in Education Golf Outing

Verrado Golf Club - Founder's Course

4242 N. Golf Drive

Buckeye, AZ 85396

06:30 AM - 01:30 PM MST

Shea Torres, 623-937-4754

storres@glendaleazchamber.org

Join the Glendale Chamber of Commerce for our 25th Annual Excellence in Education

Golf Outing!

Tournament Features & Details:

4 Person Scramble, 3 Flights

4 Hole-in-One Contests

4 Closest to the Pin Contests

Putting Contest

Proximity Challenge Hole

Raffle Prizes

Friday, September 20, 2024

Location:

?Verrado Golf Club (Founders Course) 4242 N. Golf Drive Buckeye, AZ 85396

Check in 6:30AM Shotgun Start 7:30AM

Registration Fee Includes:

Green Fees Golf Cart Goodie Bag Lunch

Sponsor Registration:

Presenting Event Sponsor:

Prominent placement on all related communications Company recognition on the handout to all golfers and volunteers Company signage on the golf course 4-some in the golf tournament Featured in eblasts to membership Option for 2 representatives to work the hole during the tournament Ability to put promotional items in the golfer's goodie bags

Ability to donate a raffle item

Investment \$3,000

Lunch Sponsor:

Sponsors one lunch ticket for each golfer or table tents 2 players in the golf tournament Company logo on all printed and online promotional materials Company signage on the golf course
Company recognition on the handout to all golfers and volunteers
Featured in eblasts to membership
Ability to put promotional items in the golfer's goodie bags
Ability to donate a raffle item
Investment \$1,500

Beverage Sponsor:

Sponsors one drink ticket for each golfer
2 players in the golf tournament
Company logo on all printed and online promotional materials
Company signage on the golf course
Company recognition on the handout to all golfers and volunteers
Featured in eblasts to membership
Ability to put promotional items in the golfer's goodie bags
Ability to donate a raffle item
Investment \$1,500

Putting Green Sponsor:

Positioning at putting green
2 players in the golf tournament
Company logo on all printed and online promotional materials
Company signage on the golf course
Company recognition on the handout to all golfers and volunteers
Featured in eblasts to membership
Ability to put promotional items in the golfer's goodie bags
Ability to donate a raffle item
Investment \$1,500

Tee Hole Sponsor

Option for 2 representatives to work the hole during the tournament Lunch for 2 attendees
Company signage on the golf course
Company recognition on the handout to all golfers and volunteers
Ability to put promotional items in the golfer's goodie bags
Ability to donate a raffle item
Investment \$275

Player Registration:

Educator Golfer = \$140 Sponsor A Student = \$140 Non-Educator Golfer (Single golfers will be placed in a foursome) = \$165 Foursome plus Tee Hole Sponsor (save \$50) = \$885 Foursome = \$660

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^{**}A portion of the proceeds from this event will benefit the our education partners.

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September 25, 2024

Education & Workforce Readiness Now and for the Future

Arizona Broadway Theatre 7701 W. Paradise Lane Peoria, AZ 85382

07:30 AM - 10:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

Glendale Chamber of Commerce Education & Workforce Readiness Now and for the Future

- -Check-In 7:30am
- -Program 8:00am-10:00am

*More details coming soon!

September 27, 2024

Kacey Musgraves Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Ar 85305

07:30 AM - 11:30 AM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240 liones@desertdiamondarena.com

Kacey Musgraves is coming to Glendale on September 27 with special guests Father John Misty and Nickel Creek!

October 3, 2024

Lunch With Leaders - October 3rd

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85307

11:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST

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Check-In & Networking -11:00AM

Program Begins - 11:30AM

Program Ends & Networking - 1:00PM

Event Topic: Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion

Event Speaker(s): Glendale Chamber of Commerce Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion

Committee

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October 4, 2024 - October 6, 2024 PBR Teams; Ridge Rider Days

Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave

Glendale, Az 85305

07:45 PM - 10:30 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240

ljones@desertdiamondarena.com

PBR Teams is back in Glendale October 4 through October 6 for Ridge Rider Days at Desert Diamond Arena. Don't miss your chance to witness head-to-head action, a night of wild rides and heart-stopping action 8 seconds at a time. Support your home PBR Team, the Arizona Ridge Riders, as they battle seven other PBR teams for the Ridge Rider Days title.

October 8, 2024

Cigarettes After Sex Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave Glendale, Ar 85305

08:00 PM - 11:00 PM MST Lauren Jones, 6237723240 Ijones@desertdiamondarena.com

Cigarettes After Sex is headed to Glendale on October 8.

October 8, 2024

Marketing Committee Lunch & Learn Series - Strategic Marketing Planning for 2025 Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

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Phoenix, AZ 85037

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November 1, 2024

31st Annual Online Auction Fundraiser

Online

12:00 PM - 12:00 PM MST Jackie Peyton, 623-937-4754 info@glendaleazchamber.org

Get Ready for the Most Spectacular Event of the Year!

The Virtual Annual Auction goes live on Friday, November 1st at 12pm through Sunday, November 10th at 12pm, and it's our BIGGEST fundraiser of the year!

As a not-for-profit entity, the Glendale Chamber counts on YOU—our incredible members and community—to make it all happen.

Your support fuels our mission, allowing us to champion education, advocate for fair taxation, enhance our quality of life, serve our veterans, fact-check our politics, and create a thriving business environment for all!

Let's make a difference together!

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-We thank you for considering a direct donation and look forward to your participation in our incredible 31st Annual Auction. To donate, please click on the Register for this event button below. Your support truly makes a difference!

-Should you have questions, please contact the Glendale Chamber at 623-937-4754

November 6, 2024

Military Appreciation Ceremony Credit Union West Corporate Center 10150 W Desert River Boulevard Glendale, AZ 85307

07:30 AM - 09:00 AM MST Shea Torres, 623-937-4754 storres@glendaleazchamber.org

Glendale Chamber of Commerce Military & Veterans Affairs presents the 4th Annual Military Appreciation Ceremony

Our service men and women dedicate their lives to serving our country, but many of them go above the call of duty and become the backbone of our local communities. The Glendale Chamber Military & Veterans Affairs Committee will recognize these incredible service men and women, and their direct family members, at the Military Appreciation Ceremony on November 6, 2024, at Credit Union West Corporate Center. Light breakfast will be provided.

7:30am: Check-in & Networking

8:00–9:00am: Program

*More details coming soon!

November 7, 2024

Lunch With Leaders - November 7th

Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85307

11:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST

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Explore a diverse range of relevant topics led by influential Arizona leaders. Attendees will gain valuable insights each month, discovering the impact of the featured presenter on their area of expertise. Alongside compelling presentations and a delightful lunch, the event concludes with an exciting raffle and a 50/50 drawing, contributing to the chosen charity of the month.

Pricing:

Member/Member Guest Pricing: \$30 (One Time Attendance) if registered by

Monday week of event

Member/Member Guest Pricing: \$35 (One Time Attendance) if registered Tuesday,

Wednesday, or Thursday week of event

Future Member Pricing: \$60 (One Time Attendance) easily applied to membership if you

join within 45 days

Event Details:

Location - Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

Check-In & Networking -11:00AM

Program Begins - 11:30AM

Program Ends & Networking - 1:00PM

Event Topic: Luke Air Force Base Impact Update

Event Speaker(s): Luke Air Force Base

For additional information, please call the Glendale Chamber at 623-937-4754.

All event attendees by registering agree that their image and person may be photographed or videotaped as part of the audience. The Glendale Chamber reserves the right to use any images or video captured during its event for promotional purposes and marketing purposes.

December 3, 2024 - December 4, 2024 Zach Bryan

Desert Diamond Arena 9400 W Maryland Ave

Glendale, Az 85305

07:00 PM - 11:00 PM MST

Lauren Jones, 6237723240

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Zach Bryan's The Quittin Time Tour is headed to Desert Diamond Arena on December 3 & 4, 2024 with special guests Matt Maeson and Levi Turner.

December 5, 2024

Lunch With Leaders - December 5th

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Program Begins - 11:30AM

Program Ends & Networking - 1:00PM

Event Topic: Public Safety

Event Speaker(s): Details to come!

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December 10, 2024

Marketing Committee Lunch & Learn Series - Roadmap for Digital Success Glendale Chamber of Commerce in the Pendergast Community Center

10550 W. Mariposa Street

Phoenix, AZ 85037

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM MST

Karli Kratzenberg, 623-937-4754

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Join us at the Glendale Chamber Marketing Committee (GCMC) Lunch & Learn With Marketing Pro's Series where you'll learn practical tools to help grow your business. We encourage you to join the live roundtable discussions, interactive in-person instruction, hands-on training, and pro tips from GCMC experts as they present an upcoming series of topics such as Artificial Intelligence, SEO Fundamentals, Outsourcing, Email Marketing, Marketing Goals, and More!

2024 Dates and Topics

Tuesday, Dec 10 - Roadmap for Digital Success

Pricing: Complimentary to attend

*Refreshments will be provided by the Glendale Chamber of Commerce.