

Top News



Nonprofits: Last Call For Booth Space At Annual Fair

Nonprofits can showcase their work and meet with prospective donors, sponsors and volunteers at our 2nd Annual Nonprofit Fair, sponsored by [America's Credit Union](#), [Credit Union of Texas](#), [Frost Bank](#), [Legacy Print Group](#) and [Methodist Richardson Medical Center](#). This year's event is moving to West Coast University to accommodate even more nonprofits and guests!

Booth space is available at no cost and membership is not required. The Chamber provides lunch, a table and two chairs.

The Chamber handles all of the marketing and logistics of this free community event so nonprofits can focus on sharing their mission and how attendees can help make a difference.

Friday, July 12 from 10 am - 1 pm
West Coast University

RESERVE BOOTH



EDGE Award Nominations Open July 15

Nominate yourself, your company or another individual, business or entity for the 2024 Economic Development, Growth & Entrepreneurship (EDGE) Awards. The EDGE Awards, a partnership between the Chamber, the City of Richardson, Richardson Rotary and Richardson East Rotary clubs, recognizes outstanding and cutting-edge Richardson businesses, initiatives and people that create economic impact and sustain community involvement.

This year's award categories are:

1. Community Impact
2. Revitalization Excellence
3. Technology Innovation
4. Marketplace Leadership
5. Legacy
6. Community Favorite
7. Commercial Development Achievement
8. Entrepreneurial Spirit
9. Economic Catalyst

Nominations will be accepted from July 15 - September 6. A select committee of

Richardson business professionals and city representatives will choose one award recipient from each category.

Winners will be announced Thursday, November 7 at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel, 1981 N. Central Expressway. The event will run from 5:00 - 8:00 pm and feature a networking hour, awards ceremony and reception.

For information about an event sponsorship, contact [Mallory Crumb](#) at 972-792-2820.

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Need Help Bouncing Back After Storms?

The U.S. Small Business Administration is offering free services to help small businesses impacted by the severe weather that hit Texas communities in May. For a list of services and contacts, [click here](#).



Events

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, July 9: [Ribbon Cutting at Peach Cobbler Factory at 4:00](#)

Thursday, July 25: [RYP Happy Hour at Shady's](#)

Save the Date

Tuesday, September 24: [37th Annual Golf Classic](#)

Recent Events



*Women in Leadership enjoyed a social / volunteer project on June 11 at **The Warren Center**. Guests networked over sips and bites while putting together information packets for children and families.*



*Sandy Diaz Haley, founder and principal of SDH Communications, was the keynote speaker at WIL's Quarterly Luncheon on June 5, sponsored by **Methodist Richardson Medical Center, Texas Bank and Trust** and **Hilton Richardson Dallas**.*



The Chamber's Public Policy and Workforce Development committees co-hosted a budget update with Plano ISD Deputy Superintendent Johnny Hill and Richardson ISD Superintendent Tabitha Branum on May 31, sponsored by [Assurnet Insurance Agency](#).

Membership

Ribbon Cuttings



[Nexrage Studios](#)

2221 Lakeside Blvd. Suite 100
Richardson, TX 75082
(469) 727-5277



Shibam Coffee

850 S. Greenville
Richardson, TX 75081
(313) 303-9099

Read Review by Dallas Observer

New Members

Appletree Court
Complete TX Hospice and Palliative Care
Let Ship It
Let's Elevate Inc.

Pavillion Bank*

Peach Cobbler Factory
Temiz CPA PLLC

Renewing Members

30+ Years

Toyota of Richardson

20+ Years

Bland Garvey, CPAs & Wealth Advisors

LeeMAH Electronics, Inc
Maverick Commercial Real Estate
Plano Independent School District
Ronald J. Poff, PC
The Warren Center

10+ Years

Cindi's NY Deli, Restaurant & Bakery
Miranda CPA, PLLC
Pan-American Benefits Solutions
Prosperity Bank*
Structure Tone Southwest
Thompson Realty Capital
Three Oaks Advisory Group

5+ Years

Archer Western Herzog*
Bridge Builder Academy
Cambria Hotel Richardson Dallas
Saville CPAs and Advisors

1+ Years

Hilton Richardson Dallas
Kids-U
Mad Hatter Neighborhood Pub
Neighborhood Credit Union
Pillar Commercial
Pinstack
Raise Your Hand Texas
Wildwood Grille

*** Indicates President's Club Member**

Spotlight on Ryan

With global headquarters in Dallas, **Ryan** provides an integrated suite of federal, state, local and international tax services on a multijurisdictional basis. Their multidisciplinary team of more than 4100 professionals and associates serves more than 21,000 clients, including many of the world's most prominent Global 5000 companies, in 60+ countries.



Ryan is an award-winning global tax services firm achieving international recognition and market leadership through client service excellence, workplace innovation and employee development.

Jeff Tuthill, Principal and Regional Leader at Ryan, serves on the Chamber's Executive Committee.

Spotlight on West Coast University



Founded in 1909, West Coast University has grown from a small school in California to a nationally recognized university with 58,000+ alumni around the globe.

West Coast University's Texas campus in Richardson features an immersive environment for aspiring healthcare professionals. The 136,000-square-foot facility boasts modern classrooms and technologically advanced simulation labs designed to deliver hands-on, career-ready preparation.

At WCU-Texas, nursing students work with high-fidelity manikins that mimic real patient responses, while Physician Assistant students benefit from innovative classrooms and virtual dissection tables.

Widely recognized for excellence, WCU-Texas has been ranked among Niche's top nursing schools, won gold in *The Dallas Morning News* people's choice voting, and secured the title of Best College or University in the *Dallas Observer's* Best of Dallas 2023 Reader's Poll.

Ready to pursue your healthcare dream? WCU-Texas offers programs like the Bachelor of Science in Nursing, LVN to Bachelor of Science in Nursing, and Master of Physician Assistant.

Dr. Amy King, Executive Director at West Coast University, serves on the Chamber's Executive Committee.

Get To Know The Chamber Team

We thought our members would like to learn a bit more about the friendly faces that greet you at our office, events and meetings, so we're continuing this feature highlighting our dedicated staff!



Deborah Post, Manager of Accounting and Human Resources

Tell us about your family.

I have one daughter named Kayla and a son-in-law named Cody who live in Mississippi.

What is your favorite game or sport?

Canasta, Nertz or Gin Rummy

What is a fun fact no one else knows?

I used to play the drums.

Where could we find you when you're not at work?

At home studying. I graduate from college at the end of August with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Human Resource Management / Technical Management.

What's the last photo you took with your phone?

My Shih Tzu, Charlie, meeting his cousin Beau, who is a big Labradoodle.

Thank you, Debbie, for all you do to support and grow the chamber! And congratulations on your upcoming graduation!

Ambassador of the Month

AMBASSADOR OF THE MONTH



Congratulations

Vicki Ratliff, PC
WILLS ON WHEELS

Richardson News

Welcome To Our City!

- Alwood LLC, 1755 N. Collins Blvd. #210
- Best Wire & Cable LLC, 1325 Exchange Drive
- Black Dog Darts & Billiards, 870 N. Coit Road #2655
- Bobahead Legacy LLC, 605 S. Sherman St. #605 A
- Dunham, 2100 Lakeside Blvd. #450
- JP Analytical LLC, 680 N. Glenville Drive
- MB Wellness Associates, 1651 N. Collins Blvd. #224
- Minuteman Press Print Shop, 999 E. Arapaho Road #410
- Orleans Home Fragrances, 2007 N. Collins Blvd. #509a
- Proslat Stores LLC, 1002 N. Central Expressway #511
- Sam's T-Shirt Lab, 903 N. Bowser Road #156

- SCM Dallas, 705 N. Bowser Road #110
- Spawz, 901 N. Jupiter Road #140
- Surface Experts North Dallas, 500 E. Arapaho Road #104
- Texas Scientific Labs, 1411 E. Campbell Road #2000
- Venezuelan Baker LLC, 1403 E. Campbell Road #108

(List of new businesses provided by the City of Richardson)

City News & Events

Richardson's Annual Independence Day Celebration Set July 4

City Hall Construction To Begin This Fall

City To Help Revitalize Promenade North Shopping Center

Council Approves 89-Unit Townhome Development



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Digital Realty
Fossil Group
Fujitsu Network Communications
Halff
Hill & Wilkinson General Contractors
KDC
Lennox International
Methodist Richardson Medical Center
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UnitedHealthcare
University of Texas at Dallas
West Coast University

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