



The Business Advocate

May 8, 2017



Do You Have Your Ticket Yet?

One of the biggest Chamber events of the year is coming up fast! Get your ticket to the 2017 Women in Business Conference and Trade Show today.

Hear from business and community leaders innovators with a plated lunch, along with the presentation of the [2017 Business Woman of the Year](#).

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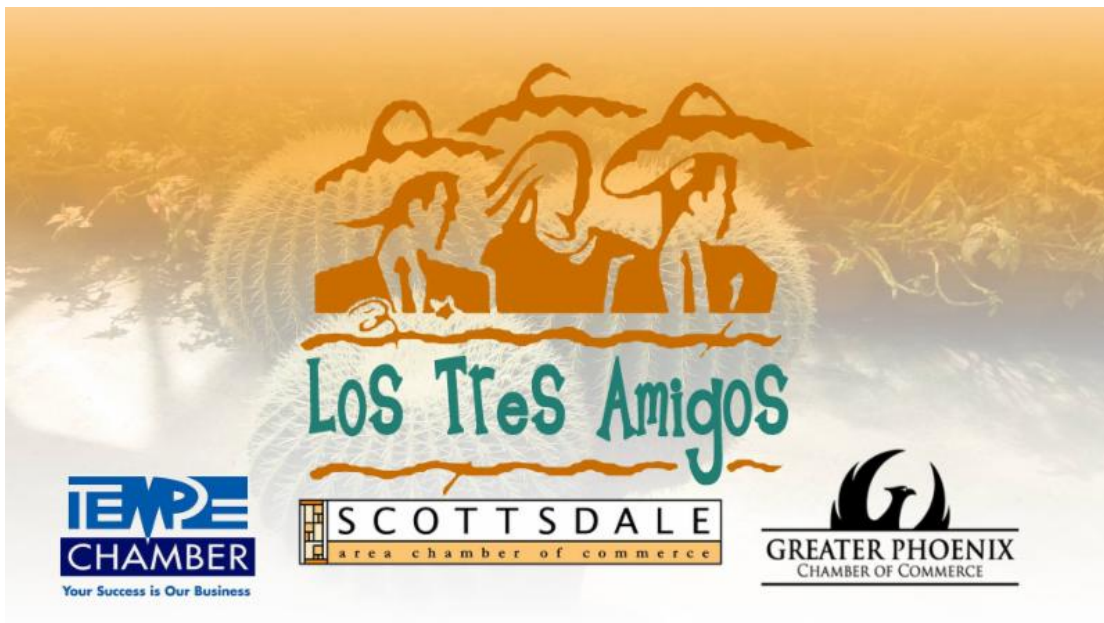


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Chamber News & Events

The Largest Networking Mixer of the Year --
RSVP Required



- Tuesday, May 16, 5 - 7 p.m.
- Dave & Buster's, Tempe Marketplace

Join the Tempe Chamber, in conjunction with the Phoenix and Scottsdale chambers, for the largest networking mixer that we know of!

Come and enjoy food from chamber members Dave & Buster's, Sweetest Season and the Dhaba, along with the year's best networking opportunities and music from our in-house DJ.

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The Chamber Goes Social -- Follow Us Today!

As the Tempe Chamber continues to expand and promote business and enterprise all across Tempe, we wanted to showcase our reenergized social media accounts and give you a chance to join in!

Follow @tempechamber on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#) or [Pinterest](#) to keep up with the latest news, events, photos and more.

Use the hashtags #tempechamber or #TempeCC to let us know about your business' events or news and we will share it!

We also want to follow all of our members on social media, so make sure all your business accounts follow us and we will return the favor.

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Tempe Chamber Of Commerce
Organization

Your success is our business. We exist to ensure that your business grows and prospers. Tag us in your photos or use #tempechamber in your posts!
www.tempechamber.org/
1232 E. Broadway Rd., Tempe, Arizona

Call Email Directions

Tuesday, May 16, 2017
5:00PM - 7:00PM
Dave and Buster's
2000 E. Rio Salado Pkwy, Tempe, Arizona 85281
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Youth Workforce Focus Group to Begin

The Tempe Chamber of Commerce and the City of Tempe are conducting a focus group to gain a better understanding of business leaders' current level of engagement and interest in supporting the work readiness of their future employees.

Tempe has a strong, motivated workforce of young adults ages 18-24, and the future of business success is directly tied to the quality and skills of the current and incoming workforce. Please join us in our commitment to support our city's youth workforce and their success in education and training as they explore job options.

All Chamber members are invited to attend. This focus group will begin Wednesday, May 10 from 8 - 9:30 a.m. at the Tempe History Museum Community Room.

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Chamber Members Save at Office Depot and OfficeMax!
Text **TempeSPC to 555-888** to receive your savings card on your phone.
Or click here to sign up for an online business account.



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Helping You Succeed

Bridging the Gap Between Entry-Level and the C-Suite

By Refresh Leadership

It takes years of hard work and dedication to build the ladder to where you are.

But do you still take time to remember and value those who where you were in the beginning?

Read more on how to bridge the gap, from Desirae Noonan and Chamber members Express Emploment.

[Read more](#)

U.S. Jobs Report: What Do the Numbers Mean?

By Christopher S. Rugaber, Associated Press

The latest jobs report released Friday revealed favorable results for the national economy. But what do those numbers indicate for small businesses and their employees?

Read what the Associated Press has to say about the numbers.

[Read more](#)

Grow Your Blog Subscribers

By Russ Henneberry, Digital Marketer

If you're struggling to grow your blog beyond your friends and family, chances are, you're making one of these six mistakes.

Even if you're writing amazing content – Pulitzer Prize worthy writing – very few people will pay you any mind while you continue to make these six errors.

[Read more](#)

From Our Members

University of Dubuque Now Accepting for Fall Classes

The University of Dubuque, based in Dubuque, Iowa, was recently accredited by the state of Arizona and will hold classes in their Tempe location starting in August.

The school offers accelerated undergrad and graduate degrees for the adult learner at competitive tuition rate. Bachelor's degrees range from accounting, business administration, HR, and an MBA.

Financial aid is available for those who qualify.

[Learn more](#)

The Dhaba Owner Receives National Award

Raveen Arora, owner of The Dhaba Restaurant and Market place, was presented with the Faces of Diversity Award by the National Restaurant Association in Washington, D.C.

Arora was one of three restaurateurs in the nation to receive this year's award. It honors individuals in the restaurant industry who have realized the American Dream through hard work, determination and enterprise.

[Read more](#)

TCH's Shred-a-Thon

- Friday, May 12, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
- ASDD Document Destruction
225 W Lodge Dr, Tempe (Adjacent to TCH)

A FREE Shred-a-Thon in honor of TCH's 50th Anniversary!

Bring your paper that needs to be shredded to ASDD Document Destruction, a social enterprise of The Centers for Habilitation (TCH), and help them celebrate 50 Years of Changing Lives! Tours of the center are available.

[Learn more](#)

In the Community

Tempe Possible Home for Car Vending Machine

A car vending machine -- now a real thing -- may be coming soon to Tempe, according to the Arizona Republic.

Carvana, a Phoenix-based used car company that is online-based, already has a car vending machine in Nashville and is planning on building several more throughout the country. The machine, nine stories tall, is planning on being built on Scottsdale Road and the Loop 202.

[Read more](#)

Sinema Running for Re-election in 9th District

Arizona Rep. Kyrsten Sinema confirmed that she will run for re-election in the 2018 primary, bringing an end to any speculation that she would challenge Sen. Jeff Flake, according to the radio station KTAR.

Sinema was first elected to the U.S. House of Representatives in 2012, and has been re-elected twice before.

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