



Gladstone Park Chamber of Commerce

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DATES TO REMEMBER

- Nov 5** Board of Directors Meeting at **Associated Bank 8:15 am**
- Nov 7** Membership Breakfast Meeting/ Officer Recognition at **Gale Street Inn**
- Dec 3** Board of Directors Meeting
- Dec 5** Regular Membership Meeting/Elections
- Jan 21** Installation Banquet at **The Lido**

November Meeting/ Police Officer Recognition Awards

Please join us at the Regular Meeting of the Gladstone Park Chamber of Commerce, Friday, November 7, 2008. This month's meeting will take place at **Gale Street Inn, 4914 N. Milwaukee Ave.** at 7:45 am. A Breakfast Buffet will be served for \$10.00.

Our guest speaker will be 16th District Commander Anthony Riccio. The Chamber will be honoring 6 officers for their work done in the Gladstone Park area. They are the following:

- Officer Ronald Jakubowski
 - Officer Mark Zalewski
 - Officer Jose Torres
 - Officer Robert Babich
 - Officer Ronald Wright
 - Lieutenant Joseph Schober
- Please RSVP by November 3rd to Gail (773) 775-8871.

Christmas Sharing Program

The Gladstone Park Chamber of Commerce is participating in a program with West Side Mentally Retarded Children's Aid, to provide gifts to the needy individuals that reside at their facility. The chamber office has a list of these individuals and the requested gifts. Please call Gail for more information at (773) 775-8871.

Business After Hours Liberty Bank for Savings

Thank you Liberty Bank for hosting a Business After Hours on Tuesday, October 21, 2008 from 5:00 until 7:00 pm. This networking event was a wonderful opportunity to meet with some of the Gladstone Park Chamber members and the gracious employees at Liberty Bank for Savings. Jesse Pinas and his staff did a wonderful job with providing a live band, raffle prizes and a great networking opportunity. A good time was had by all who attended. Please visit the chamber website to view the pictures from this event, www.gladstoneparkchamber.com.



Congratulations to Mark Kupiec

The chamber would like to congratulate one of its members **Attorney Mark Kupiec** for his pro bono work with the Gift From the Heart Foundation, a facility for young disabled people. In April 2008, Mark received the Golden Heart award from this foundation.

Exciting News!

Soma Medical Clinic, a long-time member of the chamber, has just opened a second location in Glenview near Willow and Waukegan Road. The new clinic is SOMA Pain Management Center, and we are happy for **Dr. Mark Sobor** and staff for their continued success.

Nominations for Chamber Board

Elections for 2008 Gladstone Park Chamber of Commerce will take place at the chamber's December meeting. All members in good standing are eligible to run. If you are interested in a position on the Gladstone Park Chamber board please contact Joe Piper, Raminiak, Piper & Co., Election Committee Chairman at (847) 588-1110.

**WELCOME
NEW MEMBERS!!!!!!**

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First Nations Bank Update

First Nations Bank is very eager to be in their new home at 5757 N. Milwaukee Ave., they are just waiting on their occupancy permit.

Legislative Corner

Don't forget to Vote!!

There's a lot at stake with this election. This is your opportunity to let your voice be heard. Many men and women have made the ultimate sacrifice to ensure your voting rights. If you can't take the time to exercise your right to vote, then don't take anyone else's time complaining about the outcome! Please refer to the resources below to research the candidates and the issues.

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**New Chamber Member TLC First Animal Hospital
Grand Opening**


Pets took center stage at the grand-opening celebration of our newest chamber member, TLC First Animal Hospital. Dozens of residents, along with several area chamber members, brought their dogs to the six-hour celebration. Dr. Susan Liszewski, DVM, was greeted by many well-wishers.




Her beloved dog "Zeke" made himself at home in the new hospital, moving from room to room with ease. The full-service, state-of-the-art animal hospital is located at 6468 N. Milwaukee Ave. Dr. Liszewski treats a variety of small animals, including some exotics. Conventional and alternative therapies are available. More information is available at tlcfirst.com, or you can call the hospital at (773) 631-0706. Please visit the chamber website to view the pictures from this event, www.gladstoneparkchamber.com.

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