



Gladstone Park Chamber of Commerce

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DATES TO REMEMBER

- Sept 3rd **Board of Directors Meeting TBA**
- Sept 5th **Membership Meeting at Gladstone Chiropractic, 5316 N Milwaukee, 8:00 am**
- Sept 18th **2008 Ultimate Business Networking Event**
- Oct 1st **Board of Directors Meeting**
- Oct 3rd **Membership Meeting**

SEPTEMBER MEETING

Please join us at the Regular Meeting of the Gladstone Park Chamber of Commerce, Friday September 5, 2008. This month's meeting will take place at **Gladstone Chiropractic Group**, 5316 N. Milwaukee Ave. At 8:00 a.m.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!!!

NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL FINANCIAL NETWORK

Keith Litkowiak
5624 N Major Ave
Chicago, IL 60646
773-727-0158

SUGARSTONE APPRAISALS, LLC

Stephen Lauer
5514 N Menard Ave
Chicago, IL 60630
866-664-1500



Ultimate Business Networking Event

Come out and celebrate Chamber of Commerce Week!! Have fun networking and meeting business people from throughout the City. Enjoy food from 20 different restaurants throughout the city. All for only \$15.00 (admission fee includes one drink ticket and all the food you can eat).

The Irish American Heritage Center
4626 N Knox Ave
5:30-9:00 pm

EVENT SPONSORSHIP

Businesses can participate in the 4th Annual Ultimate Networking Event by making a sponsorship contribution of \$250. Event sponsors will be provided with a 6' rectangular display table, table cloth & skirt, table sign, six free tickets and a full-page advertisement in the UNE Program Booklet. More than 500 booklets will be produced and distributed. The deadline is Friday, 9/12/08.

BUSINESS CARD SIZE AD

The ad cost is \$50 and will appear in the UNE Program Booklet. We will print 500 copies of the program for distribution at the event. The full \$50 will go to the organization that solicits the ad. The deadline for the ads is Friday, 9/12/08.

Call Gail for a Sponsorship Form or any questions
773-775-8871.

"NORTHWEST NETWORK OPEN"

Sponsored by:

Gladstone Park, Jefferson Park, Harwood Heights, Portage Park and West Ridge
Chambers of Commerce

We are pleased to announce that the Northwest Network Open was a huge success!! Fun was had by all that attended this excellent networking event. The weather was perfect and the Glenview Park Golf Club was a challenging and fun new course for our golfers.

This event simply would not have been possible without the support of the business's that sponsored this event and also provided golfers.

Congratulations Dave Wians, **State Farm** for the lowest scoring foursome!

Thanks to the dedication and effort of the golf committee this event was very successful. A big round of applause to the committee, **BIRDIE SPONSORS** Carol Gawron, George Borovik, Amie Zander, Herb Hernandez, and Gail Goles!! **RAFFLE PRIZE SPONSORS**

George Borovik – PPCC
David Wians- State Farm

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Best Buy
State Representative Joseph Lyons
Senator James DeLeo
Nabelton Northwestern

Thank You to the following GPCC sponsors of this great networking event!!

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First Nations Bank
Gale Street Inn
Gladstone Chiropractic Group
Helmuts Lackajs, McCarthy & Associates
McDonalds Restaurant
Professional Eye Care Center
Superdawg Drive-In

A DAY AT THE RACES



“A Day at the Races” was a winning day for the members and friends in attendance. Marilyn and Bill Bickel, Susan Bouzide (WSMRCA), Dave Wians (State Farm), Dr. Kristin Werner (Gladstone Chiropractic Group), Jim & Hopper Oehler (Century 21), Harriet Luden & Avie (Donna’s Garden), Geri Schnock (GS Mortgage) Joe & Norma Jean Piper (Raminiak, Piper & Co) and his brother Bill Piper, Maureen Curran, Stella (Gail’s Mom) and good friend Lucille.

The event took place Friday July 11th at Arlington Park Race Track. A delicious buffet was served in the International Room where participants enjoyed a beautiful view of the home stretch.

View pictures at:
www.gladstoneparkchamber.com

BUSINESS OF THE MONTH

David A. Wians, Agent

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5870 N Milwaukee Ave, Chicago, IL 60646

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September is Life Insurance Awareness Month

If you were no longer there to provide for them, would your family be able to keep their home? Could your children attend college? If you answered ‘no’ to either of these questions, it may be time to look at your life insurance coverage.

September has been designated Life Insurance Awareness Month by the Life and Health Foundation for Education (LIFE). The Foundation is encouraging people to examine their life insurance policies to determine if they are adequately protected.

While your needs may vary, a Human Life Value study conducted by LIFE found that the average life value among U.S. Citizens was \$803,788. A male’s value, meaning the economic value to others, was nearly \$1 million, while a female’s value was over \$660,000. While the life insurance need is not as high as those values, the average life insurance policy for males in the study was closer to \$300,000 while women had \$165,245.

Life insurance can be the foundation of a sound financial plan, especially given the continuing need after the death of a breadwinner. Think of it as a safety net should a wage earner die unexpectedly.

Life insurance can be one of the most important purchases you make. Take some time during Life Insurance Awareness Month to meet with your insurance agent and examine your life insurance need.

When was the last time you reviewed *your* life insurance program? Dave has been servicing the Life Insurance needs of thousands of customers over the past 30 years. Give him a call for a free Life Insurance review...there is no obligation.

Life Insurance isn't for those who die...it's for those who live!

Welcome Bags are Back!!

We will be delivering a “Welcome Bag” to new residences in the area.

We have lists of new residents pulled monthly and coupons in the Nadig Newspapers for new residents to request a bag.

Please drop off 50 promotional items to Annie Wians

State Farm

5870 N Milwaukee Ave.

If you have any questions or need any ideas please contact Annie at
773-774-1500.

Thank you Harriet Luden (Donna’s Garden), Annie Wians (State Farm), Jim Oehler (Century 21 Ambassador), and Brian Nadig, (Nadig Newspaper) for making this marketing opportunity available to the GPCC Members.

Just another marketing opportunity available exclusively for GPCC members only!

After-Hours Events

Showcase your business by hosting an After-Hours Event at your business. Please contact Jim Oehler, (Century 21 Ambassador)

773-763-6464 or Gail 773-775-8871.

SCHOOL IS OPEN

Summer is coming to an end as Fall is approaching! Please watch out for the children in the community as school has re-opened!

We have sold out our Back to School GPCC Full page ad.

The Full Page Ad will be run in the Nadig Newspaper and the Reporter for 2 weeks.

Thank you Brian Nadig, Nadig Newspapers and the Marketing Committee for your dedication of selling and organizing this advertising opportunity.