

Chamber's Friday News!

March 28, 2014



It's a fact that members that get involved in Chamber programs see the most benefit, both financially and personally. We encourage you to pick at least one program and commit yourself to participating in it for at least a year. Do that and you will reap the rewards of your involvement.

Also remember that as a member, any of your employees may participate in Chamber programs at member rates.

What area are you most interested in?



Our website is a great marketing tool for your business. Please take a moment to view your company's listing on our website, www.fitzgeraldchamber.org, and make sure all of your information is correct. If you would like changes to your listing let us know we can email you an update member form or fax you one.

If your company has experienced personnel changes in this past year or you would like to add new representatives let us know so we can make the changes.

Our online Business Directory on our website receives on average over 885 visitors per month. This is a great marketing tool for your business! Update your listing and take advantage of your Chamber membership!



On May 17, 2014 friends and neighbors will join together for the 1st **“Great Day of Service,”** an event that encourages everyone to get involved and work to improve

our community.

The Chamber has “sign up forms” available at the Chamber’s office. We can email those to you also for your convenience.

The deadline to sign up is April 30, 2014.

All skill types and levels are **NEEDED**, if you have lawn equipment and you are willing to cut a yard that morning we **NEED** you; If you are a construction worker, we **NEED** you. If you have a truck/trailer to haul for the groups, we **NEED** you. There is a **NEED** for all types of skills and individuals. We are hoping that we will have volunteers so that the 20 projects we have can be accomplished on the morning of May 17th.

Without community service, we would not have a strong quality of life. It's important to the person who serves as well as the recipient. It's the way in which we ourselves grow and develop...

Dr. Dorothy I. Height

Bluegrass Benefit Sing

The Fitzgerald – Ben Hill County Humane Society and
Mr. Hobo and Sandra will host a
Bluegrass Benefit Sing on

Saturday, April 5th, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.

featuring

Charlie Beard Bluegrass Band
Sycamore, Georgia
and
Saggy Bottom Boys and Darlin'
Rochelle, Georgia

Location: Hobo and Sandra's Place, Corner of ByPass and Frank Road

Parking at SWS Parking Lot with Golf Carts available. Concession will be open.

FREE ADMISSION

Seating: Bleachers or bring your chair and sit in the Pines.

Raffle tickets will be sold for a Male Gift Basket and a Female Gift Basket. Drawing will be held during intermission. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

***All donations and proceeds will help support the cost of operating
the Fitzgerald – Ben Hill County Animal Shelter***

ARE YOU MISSING ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES?

If you send faxes, take a look at your fax cover sheet. It probably has all the typical information—your name, address, number of pages sent a line for notes.

If that's all it contains, you're missing an ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY.

Try adding a brief sales message to your cover sheet- If you're a service company, a bullet point list of your services might tell someone about capabilities they never knew you had-

You don't have to be heavy-handed. How about simply giving your customers some valuable or interesting fact let that helps establish you as an expert in your field.

Remember, though — KEEP IT SHORT! Think of your cover sheet as a billboard. You get about six seconds to communicate your message-

And consider rotating your messages- You might even develop a fax cover-sheet campaign!

Are you doing this with your eMail too?



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Welcome

Fitzgerald Commercial Properties

5801 Congress Ave.

Boca Raton, FL 33487

561-860-9402

Steven Aberman

www.wbsproperties.com

Welcome our newest member of the Chamber!!!

Great Job!

The Chamber would like to congratulate "The Herald Leader" on a wonderful job with this weeks "Open for Business" newspaper.

Tim, Becky, Ruby, Charlette, Sherry all of you do an outstanding job and the community is lucky to have such an informational and caring newspaper and staff.



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Bake Sale



Colony Bank

March 28, 2014

10AM - 4PM

All proceeds benefit

ACS Relay for Life.

Win a Boat!!!



Proceeds to Benefit American Cancer Society's Relay for Life
 Drawing April 11, 2014
 Do Not Have to be Present to Win
 Sponsored by Colony Bank

KNOW YOUR MONEY!

Use counterfeit detection tools to protect your business!

Dri Mark Tri-Test Counterfeit Detector

Compact, portable, highly effective, countertop unit provides triple protection



DRI361TRI

Counterfeit detector offers the ultimate protection against counterfeit currency and falsified documents. The compact, portable, highly effective countertop unit provides triple protection with the latest in ultraviolet LEDs to detect microvoid security markings, iridescent LEDs to reveal micromarks and the rollable Smart Money Scanner. The rollable Smart Money Scanner is a genuine currency paper. The counterfeit detector helps you and your staff spot all types of counterfeit currency, including altered bills. You can also use the counterfeit detector to authenticate coins, stamps, passports, credit cards, travelers' checks and more. Super long-life LED unit is powered by three AAA batteries (not a separate y).

Sale Price
\$27.19

Dri Mark U.S. Counterfeit Money Detector Pen

Counterfeit detector pen is perfect for use in retail environments



DRI361B1

Sale Price
\$3.99

Dri Mark Counterfeit Dual Detector Pen

This fast and effective pen is perfect for detecting bleached bills



DRI361UVB

Sale Price
\$10.89

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 Other Chamber
 Members
 So
 We
 Can
GROW
 Together!!!



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Colony Business Association's

Downtown Easter

Egg Hunt

Join the fun on Main Street

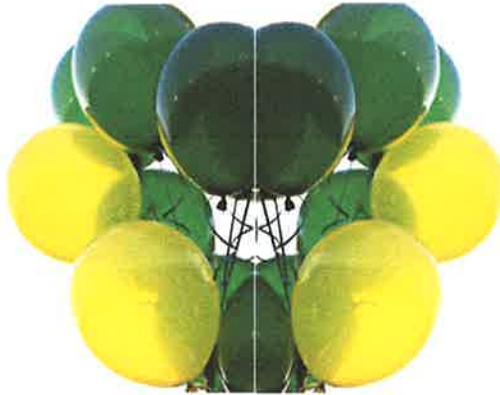
Tuesday, April 15th

4–6 p.m.



Bounce House





QUALITY INN OF FITZGERALD

263 Ocala Hwy (229) 423-5151

Located Behind The Huddle House

Invites You To Come Help Us Celebrate Our

One Year Anniversary

"BIRTHDAY BASH"

Thursday April 3rd

From: Noon-6:00p.m.

*Papa Jimmy Will Be Serving
A Complimentary Lunch Special **

**Starting at Noon * (While Supplies Last)*

Prizes, Refreshments, and More

Free Popcorn & Cake

Plus

A Bouncy House for the Kids

Fun for all so come on down and enjoy the day

G.A.M.

Greater Abundance Ministries

Youth Revival 2014!!



April 4th-6th



Fri. April, 4th, 7pm

Sister Queecia Duffie
Rise And Shine Min. (Ocilla GA).

Sat. April, 5th, 7pm

Minister Mikal Walker
G.A.M. (Fitzgerald Ga.)



Sun. April, 6th, 5pm,

Minister Shakita Anderson
Church Of God Of Prophecy
Cordele, Ga.



Presiding Nitely

Pastor JoAnne Dennard
Greater Abundance Ministries
Host Pastor

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