Calendar of Events

April 3, 2024 - December 18, 2024

Master Mind Group - The Boardroom

On Line

06:00 PM - 07:30 PM MST Chris, 602-325-9918 chrisaird@withpurposellc.com

The Boardroom is a mastermind group for business owners and leaders. It is a place to come together with like minded professionals, to learn, to empower and to equip. Chris Aird owner of With Purpose will facilitate this monthly call.

Next group starts 4/3/2024, but new groups forming often.

We may have one start on Tuesdays in the morning. Please let us know if that will work better for you.

November 12, 2024 - December 31, 2024

Explore Ireland group tour Ireland

12:00 AM - 11:45 PM MST John Waldrop, 602-616-7266 john.waldrop@cruiseplanners.com

??? *Get Ready for the Adventure of a Lifetime in Ireland!* ???

Who's ready to embark on an unforgettable journey to the enchanting Emerald Isle? I'm thrilled to share an amazing opportunity for you to join me on this incredible trip, where everything you need is included in one unbeatable price!

Imagine exploring world-renowned museums, savoring the rich flavors at local distilleries, and experiencing Ireland's breathtaking landscapes. And wait for it... Our final night will be spent in a magnificent castle—yes, you read that right, a CASTLE!?

But here's the catch: there are limited seats available, and they're going fast! Don't let this chance slip away; secure your spot now and prepare for an adventure like no other.

? *Trip Dates: April 17-26* ? Call me at *602-616-7266*

? Or visit my website at *www.yellowjacketstravel.com*. Click on the *Group and Events* tab, then select *Explore Ireland* to learn more.

Don't miss out on this incredible experience—let's make unforgettable memories together in Ireland! ??

November 14, 2024 - November 23, 2024 "Wink" a dark comedy by Jen Silverman Estrella Mountain Community College 3000 N Dysart Rd Avondale, AZ 85392 07:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST Tim Butterfield, 6239358816 tim.butterfield@estrellamountain.edu November 21, 2024

Franchise Your Future: Pathways to Business Ownership and Financial Freedom Southwest Valley Chamber of Commerce

289 N. Litchfield Rd Goodyear, AZ 85338

09:00 AM - 10:00 AM MST

Join us for, Franchise Your Future: Pathways to Business Ownership and Financial Freedom

Heidi and Lane are franchise consultants with 30 years of combined experience in the industry. As owners of two successful franchises, they are dedicated to mentoring and empowering individuals to achieve business ownership through franchising, helping people break away from the 9-5 grind or scale their small business across the country. Their motto, "Franchise Your Future," reflects their commitment to helping others live life on their own terms.

Here is what people can expect from the workshop.

- 1. Foundational Knowledge of Franchising
- An in-depth look at how franchising works, including the various business models (brick-and-mortar, home-based, mobile, etc.), and how to determine which model might be the best fit for their goals and lifestyle.
- A comprehensive understanding of the franchise selection process and the key factors to consider when evaluating opportunities.
- 2. Personalized Guidance and Expert Insights
- Valuable insights from your combined 30 years of franchising experience, including real-life case studies, lessons learned, and success stories.
- Clear explanations of the roles and responsibilities involved in franchise ownership and how franchising compares to independent business ownership.
- 3. Funding and Financial Strategies
- An overview of financing options, including the ROBS (Rollover for Business Startups) program, SBA loans, and other funding solutions.
- Guidance on building a financial strategy that aligns with their investment capabilities and long-term goals.
- 4. Actionable Steps and Resources

- A step-by-step plan for attendees to move forward in their franchise journey, whether they are looking to start immediately or gather more information.
- Access to a curated portfolio of 400 of the hottest franchises, offering a wide range of options across industries and investment levels.
- 5. Ongoing Support and Mentorship
- Introduction to the resources and mentorship available through Franchise Matchmakers, including continued support in navigating the decision-making process, understanding legal agreements, and accessing industry contacts.
- 6. A Path to Financial and Lifestyle Independence
- Inspiration and strategies for transitioning out of the traditional 9-5 and building a business that offers control, flexibility, and the potential to scale.
- Tips on how to manage their new venture, whether it's as a side business or a full-time commitment, helping them understand the practical aspects of work-life balance in franchise ownership.

By the end of the workshop, attendees will have a clear pathway forward, a toolbox of resources, and the confidence to pursue

November 27, 2024

Connect at Noon - Haymaker Goodyear Haymaker - Goodyear 1800 N Litchfield Rd Goodyear, AZ 85395 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM MST

Angelina Acero, 623-932-2260

angelina@southwest valley chamber.org

Network and get to know fellow Chamber members every Wednesday at The Haymaker in Goodyear starting at 12:00pm.

December 2, 2024

Alzheimers Association Desert Southwest Chapter Support Group Meeting Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church 918 S. Litchfield Road Goodyear, AZ 85338

3:00 - 4:30 PM

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December 4, 2024

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December 4, 2024

Holiday Luncheon

Arizona Broadway Theatre 7701 W. Paradise Ln. Peoria, AZ 85382

11:30 AM - 01:15 PM MST Lisa Platt, 602-573-7496 lisa@wvwnetworking.com

Kick off the holidays and join us for fabulous fun at the 'My Favorite Things' Holiday Luncheon sponsored by Green Living Magazine. During the program, one will have an opportunity to share something meaningful or special with those they are seated with. This can be an item, a special holiday memory, or something that brings joy to your heart. Register.

Wednesday, December 4 11:30 am - 1:15 pm Arizona Broadway Theatre 7701 W. Paradise Ln., Peoria, AZ

WVWNA Members \$35 Non-WVWNA Members \$39 Register

December 7, 2024

Winter Story

Busy Bees Palm Valley 14070 W Van Buren St Goodyear, AZ 85338

04:00 PM - 07:00 PM MST Elena Soto, 623-471-5111 nskinner@busybeesusa.com

Come join us at Busy Bees Child care and Learning center for our first Annual Winter festival.

December 7, 2024

WinterFest

Civic Center Complex 11465 W Civic Center Drive Avondale, AZ 85323

05:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST Active Avondale, 623-333-2400 ActiveAvondale@AvondaleAZ.gov

Bring the family and make some memories at this FREE event! Avondale turns into a winter wonderland with a visit from Santa, activities and entertainment, the premier of the holiday light show, annual tree lighting, food, and sweet treats.

December 10, 2024

Small Business Profit Strategies - Profit Acceleration Workshop Southwest Valley Chamber of Commerce

289 N. Litchfield Rd

Goodyear, AZ 85338

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM MST

Discover secrets to generating leads, closing sales and maximizing profits in your small business!

Network with other business owners and learn what's working!

Workshop Highlights

We're going to show you everything successful business owners should be doing to accomplish the following:

Doubling current lead flow month-over-month

Doubling sales volume

Simple, easy-to-implement, no-cost strategies that instantly add cash flow

How to effectively market on the internet

Learn how, in LESS than 5 minutes, you can DOUBLE your current profit... and without spending any money!

www.SmallBusinessProfitStrategies.com/workshop

December 11, 2024

Connect at Noon - Haymaker Goodyear

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December 17, 2024

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