

CHAMBER DATEBOOK

A publication of the Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce

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BUILDING DEDICATION - On June 26th, the Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce celebrated the completion of a six-month building renovation and expansion project with an open house and dedication ceremony. Approximately 200 people attended the open house reception. During the ceremony, the Chamber's large conference room was named in memory of **Eugene L. Joyce**. With an investment of \$350,000 just over 3,000 square feet was added to the Chamber building and more than 4,500 square feet was renovated during the construction project. **Len Hart Construction** served as the general contractor, **Adams Craft Herz Walker** was the architect and **ORNL Federal Credit Union** provided the financing. Stop by for a tour.

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN CHAIR ANNOUNCED - Vice Chairman for Membership, **David Yates** of SAIC, is pleased to announce that **Alex Fischer** of UT-Battelle has agreed to serve as the Chairman of the 2003 Membership Campaign. Fischer is well-known in Oak Ridge and has been a strong supporter of the Chamber for many years. The annual membership campaign is scheduled for September 29th - October 3rd. For more information about the campaign, contact Mitzi at the Chamber at 483-1321.

AD SALES IN PROGRESS FOR CHAMBER PUBLICATIONS -As previously announced, the Oak Ridge Chamber has partnered with **CommunityLink** to produce *Oak Ridge Magazine* and a membership directory/buyer's guide companion publication. Delivery of both publications is expected during the first quarter of 2004. Both publications are advertising supported. **Steve Hamilton** of CommunityLink is in Oak Ridge for the next month, and is meeting with Chamber members to secure advertising commitments for both publications. For more information, please contact Steve at 1-800-455-3600 or call the Chamber at 483-1321.

CHAMBER COFFEE DATES AVAILABLE - Only **five** Chamber Coffee sponsorship opportunities remain for 2003. And, many dates in 2004 are already being reserved. If you have a special date you would like to host a Chamber Coffee for an anniversary or special promotion, contact Lynn at the Chamber to reserve your date.

VACANCIES ON CITY BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES - If you are interested in being involved with City of Oak Ridge government, please consider applying for the following vacant seat. Resumes should be submitted to the City Clerk's office in the Municipal Building by 5:00pm on the deadline date.

◆ Oak Ridge Housing Authority - One vacancy for a five year term of office commencing on August 18, 2003. Deadline for resume: July 15th.

2003 Millennium Partners

Platinum Level

Bechtel Jacobs Company LLC * UT-Battelle * Wackenhut Oak Ridge Team

Gold Level

Boeing - Oak Ridge * BWXT Y-12 * SAIC * BNFL Inc.

Silver Level

Akins Crisp Public Strategies * ORNL Federal Credit Union * Tetra Tech * Washington Group * REMOTEC
Methodist Medical Center * Rogers Group * Union Planters Bank * Cowperwood Company * Y-12 Federal Credit Union

Chamber Events

As of July 7, 2003

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| July 11 | Board of Directors Meeting 12:00 noon ORCC's Joyce Conference Room | August 1 | Board of Directors Meeting 12:00 noon ORCC's Joyce Conference Room |
| July 15 | Chamber Coffee Hosted By Centennial Golf Course 101 Centennial Blvd. 8 to 9:30am | August 5 | Chamber Coffee Hosted By Comcast Advertising Sales ORCC's Joyce Conference Room 8 to 9:30am |
| July 21 | Executive Committee Meeting 12:00 noon ORCC's Joyce Conference Room | August 12 | Chamber Coffee Hosted By Residence Inn ORCC's Joyce Conference Room 8 to 9:30am |
| July 22 | Chamber Coffee Hosted By Staples 849 Main Street 8 to 9:30am | August 19 | Chamber Coffee Hosted By Aaron Rents ORCC's Joyce Conference Room 8 to 9:30am |
| July 29 | Chamber Coffee Hosted By Len Hart Construction & Ground Breaking Ceremony for Willow Place Phase 2 (Lafayette & W. Gettysburg Ave.) 8 to 9:30am | August 26 | Chamber Coffee OPEN DATE |

Looking Ahead
Membership Campaign: Sept. 29 to Oct. 3
Christmas Parade: Sat., Dec. 6

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