



Villa Park Chamber of Commerce
10 W. Park, Villa Park, IL 60181
CHAMBER CONNECTIONS FEBRUARY 2012
www.villaparkchamber.org 630/941-9133



*You Are Cordially Invited to the
Villa Park Chamber of Commerce
Installation and Member Recognition Dinner!
Thursday, February 16th*

*Villa Nova Restaurant
237 W. St. Charles, Villa Park, IL
Cocktails 5:30 Dinner 6:00 Ceremony 7:00*

- Ceremonial Dinner*
- Board of Directors Pledge their oath*
- Royal recognition for Loyal attending members*
- Member anniversaries and New Members*

Dinner Menu

*Prime Rib, Soup, Salad, Vegetable, & Desert
Vegetarian Plate available upon request*

\$35.00 per person

Business Name _____ No attending _____

Address _____ Enclosed \$ _____

*Please RSVP to the Chamber by February 14th
at 630/941-9133 or fax 630/941-9134 or email vpchamber@sbcglobal.net*



Donate a Door Prize with a value of \$50 and receive a FREE Eblast to over 400 members on my email list

**Congratulations Members Celebrating Significant Anniversaries!
Thank You for your Many Years of Support!**

35 Years-1977

Villa Park Office Equipment

20 Years – 1992

Walmart

10 Years – 2002

Stulgin's Park Blvd Tavern

Terrace Floor Covering

Sooper Lube

Sherwin Williams

New Members 2011

Dr. Kenneth Gregie

Pure Ambiance Salon

Sterling & Knight Pawn & Jewelry

Cater Fitness

VP Community Foundation

Spa Shelli

Chiro One

Trackside OTB

Eagle Precision Fabricators

Mahoney's Pub

Springleaf Financial

Al's Smoke Shop

Connects Card

30 Years-1982

The Odeum Expo Center

15 Years – 1997

GFS Food Service

5 Years-2007

AGAD Pest Control

PR Remodeling

Sign-A-Rama

VP Professional Firefighters

Diane Blair, Attorney

Hensley's PP Realty

Rampant Lion Celtic Traders

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MIS, Inc.

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Community Bank of Dupage

Dan Kordik Law Firm

Cardinal Graphics

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United Central Bank

Tina Janopoulos, JW Reedy

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Significant Anniversaries celebrate every 5 years of membership. When's your turn? Call me to check your membership year! Thanks for your Loyalty!

Thank You for your Renew!!! (As of Jan 30, dues are due Feb 1)

AAA Overhead Door
 Area Equipment
 Arten Partnership
 B & B Tile
 Bensidoun USA
 Bessette Chiropractic
 Boulevard Coins & Jewelry
 Breitenstein Family Chiropractic
 Brust Funeral Home
 Cardinal Graphics
 Cherokee Rose Embroidery
 Chris Aiello, Attorney
 Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage
 Coldwell Banker, Hosanna Korynecky
 Community Congregational Church
 Community Housing of Dupage
 CSL Lawn Management
 Dawson's Tree Service
 Diane Blair, Attorney
 Diplomat West Banquets
 Dr. Kenneth Gregie, DDS
 Dupage High School District 88
 Dupage Optical
 Dupage School District 45
 Dupage Tire & Auto
 Elmhurst Memorial Hospital
 Farmers Insurance, Anna Lebiecka-Helma
 Four Seasons Painters
 G.M. Smith & Son Realtors
 Home Plumbing & Heating
 Inland Bank
 J.W. Reedy Realty
 J.W. Reedy Realty, Tina Janopoulos
 Jesse V. Barrientes, Attorney
 K & J Heating and Cooling
 King Construction
 Kiwanis Club of Villa Park
 Koehlinger Plumbing
 Kordik Law Firm
 Lewis John Craft
 Lincoln @ Ovaltine Court
 Martin's Big & Tall Store for Men
 Mike's Meat Market
 Miracles from Mia
 Montessori Children's Academy
 Motel 6

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 Rampant Lion Celtic Traders
 Rhea Lana's Children's Consignment
 Ridgeway Precision Mechanical
 Riggs Brothers
 Riordan Artistry
 Robert Baker
 Roy Strom Refuse Removal
 Russell Chiropractic Care
 Salt Creek Sanitary District
 Salt Creek School District 48
 Salvation Army
 Schamberger Brothers
 Sign-A-Rama
 Sir Speedy Printing Center
 Sooper Lube
 State Farm Insurance, Bob Goldin
 Steuerle Funeral Home
 Stulgin's Park Blvd Tavern
 Supreme Lobster
 Terrace Floor Covering
 The Cleaning Company
 Tri-Town YMCA
 Trinity Lutheran Church
 United Central Bank
 Verr Wealth Management
 VFW Post 2801
 Villa Medical Arts
 Villa Park Jr. Women's Club
 Villa Park Library
 Villa Park Office Equipment
 Villa Park Professional Firefighters
 Villa Park Warriors & Cheer
 Villa Park Youth Baseball
 Wild Fire Harley Davidson

Chamber Calendar

Feb 4th – Miracles from Mia fundraiser
Feb 8th – Warriors Wednesday at Dominick's
Feb 16th – Installation & Member Recognition
Dinner
Feb 28th – Scholarship Application Posted to
www.villaparkchamber.org
March 1 - Scholarship Breakfast at WBHS
March 22 – Multi-Chamber Business Expo

West Suburban Multi-Chamber Luncheon and EXPO

March 22, 2012

Featuring Keynote Speaker Tom Ricketts



Tom, a Cubs fan for over 25 years, led his family's acquisition of a controlling interest in the Chicago Cubs, Wrigley Field and 25 percent of Comcast Sports-Net Chicago from the Tribune Company - a deal that was finalized October 27, 2009.

- When Tom was introduced as the team's Chairman, he outlined three goals for the organization: Strive to be the best in baseball every single year and to win the World Series, preserve and improve the Wrigley Field experience for future generations, and to be good neighbors, giving back to the city and neighborhood.
- In 1999, he co-founded Incapital LLC, a securities and investment banking firm where he currently serves as the company's Chairman.
- Incapital has grown to be one of the largest bond underwriters/traders in the US.
- Tom was named, five times, as one of the "40 Most Influential in E-Finance" by Institutional Investor Magazine.
- Named the 2010 E&Y Entrepreneur of the Year in Financial Services for his work with Incapital LLC.
- He is a board member of the Chicago Convention and Tourism Bureau, the Field Museum, the Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce and the Executive Club of Chicago.
- Prior to Incapital, Tom worked at ABN AMRO, The Chicago Corporation and Mesirow Financial ... he was a market maker on the Chicago Board Options Exchange from 1988 through 1994.
- Tom has an AB in Economics and an MBA in Finance from the University of Chicago.
- Along with his brother Pete and a friend, Tom endowed the New Year Scholarship Fund for students of the college.
- Named the Business School's Young Alumnus of the Year in 2005.
- Tom and his wife, Cecelia, live in the Chicago area with their five children. His father, Joe, founded TD Ameritrade Holding Corporation.

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Lunch Tickets

\$35/Members

\$50/ Non-Members

RSVP by March 1, 2012

Seating is Limited—Sorry, No Walk-Ins

EXPO Tables

Call the Chamber office
for details and availability

Schedule of Events

11:30 a.m.

Networking

Noon—1:30 p.m.

Lunch & Presentation

1:30 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

Regional Business EXPO

5:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

Networking After Hours



Mega Multi-Chamber Sponsorship Opportunities!

The annual Multi-Chamber March Luncheon will be held on Thursday, March 22, at Bobak's Signature Events at Seven Bridges in Woodridge. The Keynote Speaker will be Tom Ricketts

Participating chambers include Addison, Bartlett, Bloomingdale, Bolingbrook, Carol Stream, Darien, Downers Grove, Elmhurst, Glen Ellyn, Hinsdale, Lisle, Lombard, Villa Park, Western DuPage (formerly Warrenville and West Chicago), Westmont, Wheaton, Winfield and Woodridge.

Exhibit Tables Available!

The expo will have built-in traffic from the luncheon and exposure to the public. The expected attendance will be over **600!** In addition, the Business After Hours networking event is free to attend, so you could expect to meet over **1,000** people to promote your business!

Exhibitor Tables - \$250

- 6 Ft table with cloth
- One ticket to lunch
- Only 4 exhibitors per chamber

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Sign me up for this Network Extravaganza and Business After Hours!!

Name _____

Business _____ Email _____

Address _____

_____ Enclosed is my check for \$35.00 lunch fee *Only 35 seats per chamber!*

_____ Enclosed is my check for \$50.00 non member lunch fee

_____ Please sign me up to be an exhibitor \$250 *Limited to 4 per chamber!*

VP has 2 spots left!

Approximately 600 business people attended last year. Get **Maximum** exposure for **Minimal** cost!
 Business After Hours with complementary appetizers

Exhibitors Already Signed Up! Still 2 Spots Available!





SPONSOR COMMITMENT FORM

We offer our support as outlined below:

Company Name _____

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Contact _____ Phone # _____

Title _____

Signature _____

Email _____

Team/Squad Preference _____

Please check one of the following:

Gold Sponsor – \$1,000

Silver Sponsor – \$500

Bronze Sponsor – \$250

Other – \$ _____

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Special Instructions _____

Please make checks payable to Villa Park Warriors.

SPONSORSHIPS

GOLD – \$1,000

- Banner with your name or company name prominently displayed during home games
- 1/4 page ad with name and logo in program
- Name or company displayed on website
- Name or company announced at all home games
- Plaque of specified team/squad

SILVER – \$500

- Name and logo in program
- Name or company displayed on website
- Name or company announced at all home games
- Plaque of specified team/squad

BRONZE – \$250

- Name or company name in program
- Name or company announced at all home games
- Plaque of specified team/squad

THANK YOU!

We would like to extend our thanks, in advance, for your support of the Villa Park Warriors. Due to sponsors like you, we are able to offer a quality program to the youth of our community. We are a 100% volunteer organization and receive all of our financing through fund-raising, donations, and sponsorships like yours. We are proud to say that 100% of your donation will go directly into our program.

Member Events!

It's A FUNdraiser!

10% of all Dine In or Pick Up Orders
Will Go Toward:

Warrior Wednesday!

When: Wednesday, February 8, 2012

Warrior Football & Cheer Fans & Supporters!

This flyer must accompany your order and to maximize the amount of funds to be contributed we ask that you do not use with coupons or special offers. Thank you!

139 W St. Charles Rd

Villa Park, IL

630.832.6929

Hours:

Monday-Thursday 10:30am-11pm • Friday 10:30am-12 Midnight

Sat 4pm-12 Midnight • Sun 11am-10pm



Support our Seniors!

Do you know a Villa Park High School Senior? Encourage them to apply for the Chamber Scholarship! Applications will be posted to our website and available for download on February 28th! Academic & Vocational Scholarships are offered!

The more money we raise, the more money we can give away!



Villa Park Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fundraiser Breakfast Buffet



Hosted by

Willowbrook High School

1250 S. Ardmore Avenue, Villa Park, IL 60181

(Enter Door #1 Near Visitors Entrance and Canopy)

Thursday, March 1, 2012

- **8:00am** Doors open
- **8:15am** Breakfast and Musical Entertainment
- **8:30am** Remarks
 - Scott Helton, Incoming Superintendent District 88*
 - Dan Krause, Willowbrook High School Principal*
 - Donna Cain, District 88 Board of Education President*
- **8:45am** Conclusion of program
- **9:00am** Optional tours of Willowbrook High School

Only \$15.00 per person

(Can't Come? Contribute!!! Donations are accepted and appreciated!)

**Your entire donation will be used exclusively
for our Scholarship Fund.**

RSVP: Fax 630-941-9134 Phone: 630-941-9133

Email vpchamber@sbcglobal.net

Mail to: Villa Park Chamber, 10 W. Park Blvd, Villa Park, IL 60181

Business Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone Number _____ Email _____

Attending _____

Total amount enclosed \$ _____

Your Chamber Ad Has Expired!!!

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