



TEMPLETON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Newsletter

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THIS MONTH'S FEATURE BUSINESSES

The Chamber will now be featuring two business members each month in its newsletter as a way to support and promote our fellow businesses and members. Business names are drawn randomly every month by a Board Member.

For more information contact the Chamber at: info@templetonchamber.com.

CDAVIS ENTERPRISES



CDavis Enterprises Internet Services began in 1997 as a hobby turned business for Chris Davis, the sole proprietor. Chris began working with computers in 1976 when personal computers routinely had less memory than most of today's digital watches. He starting using the Internet before the World Wide Web and web browsers became the standard tool for accessing information on the Internet. Today, CDavis Enterprises offers a wide range of Internet services, including domain name registration, web site hosting, management, maintenance, design and consulting. Go to www.FastSLOHost.com or call toll-free 877-810-0250 for information.

JACK HANAUER CONSTRUCTION, INC.



If the doors of perception were cleansed, everything would appear to man as it is, infinite. For man has closed himself up, till he sees all things thro' narrow chinks of his cavern.

-William Blake, Marriage of Heaven and Hell.

To break with convention is a time-honored occurrence in the arts. English Romantic poet William Blake believes that convention acts to bind our minds to restrict our imaginative vision. In keeping with the Romantic's assertion of the primacy of the individual, and break with the conventional modes of expression, Jack Hanauer Construction, Inc. presents ideas of design, functionalism and aesthetics.

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2004-2005

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CornerStone Real Estate

**Networking Opportunities
for Chamber Members:**

- “After Five” Mixers
- Chamber committees
- Sponsor/Volunteer at special events
- Ribbon Cutting ceremonies
- Business Meetings
- Membership Functions

“The secret of a good life is to have the right loyalties & hold them in the right scale of values”
-Norman Thomas

MEETINGS:

The Templeton Chamber of Commerce meets each month on the first Thursday of the month at 7:15am. Meetings are held at the Templeton Community Services Districts meeting room. Everyone is welcome to attend! Our Next meetings are:

April 7th & May 5th.

**FOR THE
COMMUNITY:**

Templeton community groups, schools, churches & other non-profit organizations.....the Chamber welcomes your news & events to publish in our newsletter & on our web site! Please fax to #434-3028 or email: info@templetonchamber.com

THIS MONTH’S MIXER & RIBBON CUTTING

April 14, 2005 from 5:30-7:30PM

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Templeton, CA 93465

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Don’t miss this chance to meet and network with other businesses , Chamber members and friends! Help support your local businesses!

The Chamber is always looking for Mixer Sponsors. If you are interested in hosting or co-hosting a mixer please email: info@templetonchamber.com

TEMPLETON WINE & ROSES BIKE RIDE!

The Templeton Chamber of Commerce invites you to participate in our 4th Annual Wine & Roses Bike Ride. Sponsors and Volunteers are needed-this is a great way to get involved with your community and associate with other businesses!

Sponsor, Volunteer or Ride with us on Saturday June 4th!

Start/Finish Line

Templeton Community Park, located at 5th Street & Crocker, Templeton

Ride Start Times:

7:00am-7.5 mile

8:00am-50 mile

10:00am-10 mile

Bike course closes at 2:30pm.

BBQ LUNCH:

Join us for a BBQ lunch in the Templeton Community Park from 10:30am-2:30pm. (lunch is included with your ride registration & extra meals are just \$8.00. Please let us know on your registration form if you’d like a vegetarian lunch)

NO CANCELLATIONS:

This event will take place rain or shine (we’re hoping for the latter part!) No cancellations or refunds.

PROCEEDS:

The proceeds from this ride will benefit the local community and its youth activities.

THANK YOU:

We would like to thank the SLO County Public Works Dept., 1st District County Supervisor, Harry Ovitt for his sponsorship and to all our ride volunteers!!

ADA CLASSES & INFO:Presenter: Gary Rogers of Rogers Ltd. "A Human Engineering Consultancy"

Don't miss this opportunity for specific information on ADA compliance & California Requirements!!!

Session 1: Parking and Exterior Path of Travel

April 1, 2005 9:00 am to 12:00 noon

Session 2: Doors and Interior Path of Travel

April 22, 2005 9:00 am to 12:00 noon

Session 3 Bathrooms

May 13, 2005 9:00 am to 12:00 noon

- **10 openings**
- **Option for ON-LINE real time participation**
- **Preference given to North County Participants**

Location: Creekside Career Cntr, Conf. Rm

4111 Broad Street San Luis Obispo

Cost: \$25.00 per session or all three for \$50.00

Payment: Check or Credit Card (Visa, MC, Discover)

Contact: Patricia MacCasland

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UPCOMING BUSINESS FAIR-APRIL 28TH

The California Dept. of Transportation in conjunction with Caltrans District 7 Small Business Advisory Council's Commodities Subcommittee is hosting a business procurement fair on April 28th at the new Caltrans District 7 Headquarters building located at: 100 S. Main Street, Los Angeles, Ca. This fair is designed to enable vendors, and in particular, disadvantaged, small, and disabled veterans business enterprises to have an opportunity to meet Caltrans purchasers and sell their products. Please register online at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist07/divisions/extaffairs/sbp/index.shtml>.

"Don't miss this great opportunity to do business with Caltrans!"

URGENT MESSAGE FROM THE CALIFORNIA ATTORNEY GENERAL

****DO NOT CALL REGISTRY****

In a few weeks, cell phone numbers are being released to telemarketing companies and you will start to receive sales calls on your cell phones. **TO BLOCK YOUR NUMBERS** call this number from your cell phone (888-382-1222). You can also go to www.donotcall.gov. It is the national Do Not Call list. It blocks your number for 5 years. You must call from your cell phone! Distribute this to everyone you know, friends and family.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Press Releases from Betsey Kelton @ San Luis Ambulance:

Frank I. Kelton is celebrating 30 years as President and CEO of San Luis Ambulance Service, Inc.

Beginning with Central Coast Ambulance in 1967, Frank worked in the days when the ambulances did not have radios and no one had yet thought of the 911 system. Unlike today when an ambulance is equipped as a small emergency room, they could not do much for the patient except race for the hospital. Frank started an ambulance company before he was old enough to drive the ambulance. In 1971, he and his partner, Derril Pilkington, formed Five Cities Ambulance. Frank took the calls, wend on the calls, billed for the services, and kept the books, but he was only twenty years old and the law said you must be 21 to drive the ambulance, so he had to be the attendant until his next birthday. At one point, Frank wanted to buy San Luis Ambulance (formerly Jones Ambulance) which was a larger company. To do this, he had to sell Five Cities Ambulance. During the ensuing years, Frank added Morro Bay, Atascadero, Paso Robles, and Templeton, then again acquired Five Cities Ambulance when the owners were having problems continuing service to that part of our county.

San Luis Ambulance now covers all of the county except for the Cambria Healthcare District. Serving most of the County is the best way to get coverage for all rural areas, as well as the cities. Frank loves the ambulance business and thoroughly enjoys his work.

For the second time in 8 years, Michael Talmadge has been named “Employee of the Year” of San Luis Ambulance Service, Inc. Starting as a Paramedic with the company in 1996, Talmadge brings strong skills to his job. He has a great relationship with his co-workers, both paramedics and EMT’s in the field as well as the office staff. He is also a seasoned member of the Quality Improvement Committee and is a respected Field Training Officer. Having worked at all 8 stations in the County, Talmadge is always helpful to people who are new to the company and/or our area. He even jumps in and helps with computer problems. The qualities required for the honor of Employee of the Year include integrity, professionalism and capability. Because he handles life and death situations every day, these qualities are most important.

In 2000, he was named “Co-Employee of the Year”. In December 2004, Michael Talmadge, who consistently exceeds the expectations of his position, received the sole honor. In a company where excellence is essential, Talmadge has achieved a special mark of distinction.

CornerStone Real Estate announces its lucky winner of the \$100 gift certificate at McPhee’s in Templeton to Garth Majjala @ Fidelity Loss Control Management. Drawing for our door prize was held at the end of the mixer.

We would further like to thank everyone who came to the March mixer and ribbon cutting for our business! It was a wonderful turn out and we enjoyed seeing familiar faces along with meeting other members and businesses in the community.

DID YOU KNOW?!

Chamber members may submit employee promotions, recent business awards, industry accomplishments, special events and sales to the Chamber newsletter and web page. All admissions must be limited to 100 words or less, e-mailed along with photo, if applicable to: info@templetonchamber.com.

The President's Soap Box.....

Welcome to the first edition of the President's Soap Box. Let me start by introducing myself, I am Fritz Herrmann, owner of Herrmann's Chocolate Lab in Templeton. Like most of you reading this letter, I want to expand my business and have a nice place for my grandchildren to grow up. I want growth that will help the business community without losing its small town atmosphere. I was born in Atascadero, learned to water ski in Atascadero Lake, and spent almost 22 years in the Army. My store will celebrate its 8th birthday on April 18th of this year. What do I mean when I say???.....**I want to expand my business and have a nice place for my grandchildren to grow up. I want growth that will help the business community without losing its small town atmosphere.** I believe it takes cooperation from all members of the community to build a strong community. I believe in supporting the community business before going to Atascadero or Paso Robles. I believe that the business community should strongly support the schools and our future generations. I realize that we will not agree on all things, but I do believe that we all need to stand up and voice how we feel. I believe everyone must be treated with respect, especially if they have different views from ours. Now that you know a little about who I am, lets talk about the Chamber.

This year the Templeton Chamber of Commerce has set 3 major goals:

1. **Improve how we market Templeton.** The Templeton magazine was a good **start**. It was sent to everyone in Templeton, in all info packets and is placed in all businesses that advertised in the magazine, and to other chambers and visitor centers in the area.
2. **Improve how we market Templeton Businesses.** Along with the Templeton magazine, we will

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*****NEW MEMBERS!*****

Please help us in welcoming our newest businesses and friends.....

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(Correction from last issue: Spelling should have read,

Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes)

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused you.

Membership Application

Company Name: _____
 Owner/Manager/Contact: _____
 Mailing Address: _____

 Business Address: _____

 Telephone: _____ Fax: _____
 Type of Business/Service(s) Provided: _____

 Email Address: _____
 Web-site: _____

 Date of Application: _____
 Membership Fee (Amount Paid): _____
 Payment Type: (please select one)
 • Check # _____
 • Visa
 • Mastercard
 • Cash
 Card #: _____
 Expiration Date: _____ (Month/Year)
 Signature: _____

For Office Use Only:

Amount Deposited: _____ Date: _____
 Signature: _____
 Date Entered: _____
 By: _____
 Check # _____ Cash
 Visa Master Card

TEMPLETON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
BOARD OF TRADE
Annual Membership Fee Schedule

Dues are paid annually by fiscal year (July 1 to June 30) and prorated monthly for new members.

Associate Memberships— \$36.00

Members who are private citizens in the community and not conducting business.

Non-Profit Organizations— \$36.00

Service Clubs, Churches and other organizations with 501c3 status.

Small Businesses— \$48.00

Businesses with up to 3 full-time employees or the part-time equivalent

Medium to Large Businesses— \$72.00

Businesses with 4 or more full-time employees or the part-time equivalent

Please complete the application form and return with payment to any Templeton Chamber of Commerce Director or mail to:

Templeton Chamber of Commerce
P.O. Box 701
Templeton, CA 93465
PH (805) 434-1789
www.templetonchamber.com
info@templetonchamber.com

Thank you for your membership!

**TEMPLETON CHAMBER NOW OFFERS ADVERTISING
IN ITS NEWSLETTER!**

Ads will be business card size only. Must be submitted electronically by end of the month as specified in our newsletters. We will be starting this for next months issue and the due date for ads will be April 25th.

Rates:

Members \$300/year or \$30/month

Non-members \$420/year or \$35/month

For more information e-mail us at: info@templetonchamber.com

BUSINESS FLYERS:

- 200 copies
- 8 1/2 x 11 only
- 20# or 24# paper (thicker paper additional fee \$30)
- Cost: \$30 members/\$40 non-members. First time TABS are free!

Flyers are due by April 25th for next newsletter!

Drop off to:

Cindy Warren @ Mid-State Bank & Trust located at:

1025 Las Tablas, Templeton

OR

Stacie Ormonde @ CornerStone Real Estate located at:

100 S. Main Street, Templeton

APRIL CALENDAR OF EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

1st April Fools Day!

Templeton Women's Civic Club will be having a night of cards and good conversation. Drop by at the Women's Civic Club Center located at 601 S. Main Street, Templeton at 7:00PM for the card party! For more information please contact: Silvia Nerelli at #434-1040.

4th-8th- Chipping Week. Contact TCSD at #434-4900.

5th- Templeton Community Service District (TCSD) Board of Directors meeting will meet at 7pm in the TCSD board room located at 5th street next to the fire station.. www.templetoncsd.org.

EVERY SATURDAY Templeton Farmers Market at the park from 9am-12:30pm. Come by to enjoy the wonderful selection of locally grown fruits, vegetables, organic produce, herbs and flowers. You will also find homemade crafts and gifts. Fun for the whole family! For more information please call #239-6535.

EVERY FRIDAY Templeton Kiwanis Club will meet at 7am @ McPhee's Grill located at: 416 S. Main St., Templeton. For information contact: Horst Wintemeyer at #239-8435 or Dick Reddick at #238-2316.

EVERY MONDAY Templeton Lion's Club hold Bingo at 5:30PM at the American Legion Hall located at 8th and Main Street, Templeton. For more information please contact: Joe Watje at #434-2811.

EVERY TUESDAY Templeton Rotary Club meets at 7am @ McPhee's Grill located at 416 S. Main St., Templeton. For More information please contact President Susan Needleman-Brown at #239-2072. www.templetonrotary.org

-Templeton Library Association will be having its garage sale this month. For more information please call #434-1535.

-Templeton Education Foundation will be holding its Golf Classic this month. For more information please call #434-2844.

Other Important Dates to remember.....

April 11-Property Taxes Due

April 15-State & Fed Taxes Due

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Any questions, comments, or corrections please contact us at

#434-1789 or by email at:
info@templetonchamber.com

Have a wonderful April!!!

MISSION STATEMENT...

"The Templeton Chamber of Commerce promotes economic vitality, quality of life, and encourages cooperation within our community"

WHAT'S GOING ON?

- Chamber Mixer & Ribbon Cutting @ Kent Eimers Photography located at 315 S. Main Street, Templeton.
- The SLO County Dept. of Public Works reports construction of the Las Tablas Road underpass in Templeton. On March 15, 2005, the SLO County Board of Supervisors awarded a \$1,067,370.53 contract to A.J. Diani Construction Company, Inc. of Santa Maria for the reconstruction of the existing concrete underpass under State Hwy 101. In addition, the four on-ramps and off-ramps will be realigned to better accommodate large truck traffic. Traffic signals and street lighting will be installed on both sides of the freeway to facilitate the increasing traffic volume on Las Tablas Road. The work will begin in late April 2005 and is expected to be completed by October 2005. Steven Frank of the County's Dept. of Public Works, Resident Engineer on the project, said motorists should anticipate congestion when approaching the area during the weekday daylight hours and are urged to use extreme caution when traveling through the site.
- **DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR CLOCKS FORWARD ON APRIL 3RD!!!!**
- April is SPECIAL! Property taxes due April 11th/ State & Fed taxes due April 15th

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be having monthly "After Five" mixers, Business to Business luncheons, and more.

3. **Increase Membership.** The Templeton Chamber Board Members will walk the streets talking to all businesses and encouraging membership. We hope to have a medical directory printed this year also, with an on-line edition.

Our goals can only be achieved with the help and cooperation of everyone. Please, if you have time to volunteer contact us. We welcome your suggestions on how to better market Templeton and ***your*** business. We want to work with you. Please visit **www.templetonchamber.com** for more information.

We will make every effort to contract with Templeton Chamber members first, then non-member businesses before contacting outside of Templeton.

-Fritz Herrmann, President