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American Cancer Society Hosts Open House

The American Cancer Society's new East Coast Area and Brevard Unit office will host an Open House at it's new location on 4450 W. Eau Gallie Boulevard, Suite 280, Melbourne on August 2, from 4:00pm – 7:00pm. Ribbon cutting will be at 4:30pm. The public is invited to visit the new facility and learn about services provided to cancer patients in Brevard. For more information, call 1-800-ACS-2345, or visit www.cancer.org.

Small Business Development Center Presents Employment Law Series: Employment Law 101 with Attorney Myrna Galligano, MG Services, LLC.- Aug. 4th

Be an informed employer. Learn what laws are relevant from proven business leaders. Business planning tools and materials will be distributed. The first of Employment Law series will be conducted on August 4 from 2:00pm - 4:00pm. □ August 11 - Employee Handbook; □ August 18 - Wage and Hour Issues with Herman Garrett, Wage and Hour Consultant. Location: Melbourne Regional Chamber of Commerce 1005 E. Strawbridge Ave. Melbourne, FL. Reservations are required. \$20 per class or \$48 for all three classes. Series CRN 67244. For additional information call SBDC at 433-5570 or 433-5572, or register online at: www.brevardcc.edu/workforce.

Florida Tech Presents Vendor Fair - Aug. 11-13

Florida Institute of Technology is offering an opportunity for service vendors in the Brevard County area to display their services at the university's vendor fair. It will be held during orientation week, Wednesday, Aug. 11, through Friday, Aug. 13, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Set-up will start at 9 a.m., in the Panther Plaza area, off Country Club Drive. Florida Tech will welcome over 2,000 new and returning students and their parents to campus during that week. For information, contact Kimberly Fulks at (321) 309-3836 or e-mail at conference@fit.edu.

BSO Ensemble Performs during Summer Saturday Nights - Aug. 14 & 28th

The Brevard Symphony Orchestra is pleased to partner with the Brevard Zoo presenting two more musical ensembles perform as part of the Brevard Zoo's Summer Saturday Nights, staged in the Café. The performance on Saturday, August 14th, will feature the BSO String Trio. On August 28th, the BSO Woodwind Trio will perform, from 5:30-8:30 pm. Location: Brevard Zoo, 8225 N. Wickham Rd., Melbourne FL 32940 Cost: Admission to Zoo is FREE. For additional information contact: 321-242-2024, fax 321-259-4716, or e-mail: mduagherty@brevardsymphony.com.

Unclaimed Property Workshops - Aug. 19

The Florida Department of Financial Services (Department) will present two workshops on August 19, 2010 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm. The first workshop will assist business entities on issues relating to unclaimed property as prescribed by Chapter 717, Florida Statute, and will be conducted from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., with a break included. The second session will be on the use of unclaimed property reporting system UPEXchange. Location: The Florida Hotel and Conference, Center at The Florida Mall, 500 Sand Lake Road, Orlando, FL 32809. For additional information visit our website: www.fttreasurehunt.org.

Women's Business Expo Coming to Melbourne - Aug. 20

The Third Annual Space Coast Women Business Expo comes to the Crowne Plaza Hotel Melbourne Oceanfront on Aug. 20, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event's main sponsors are the Women's Business Center (WBC) at Florida Institute of Technology, the American Business Women's Association (ABWA) and the Hip Chicks of Brevard. The organizations originated the expo in 2008. The event is a showcase to see vendor demonstrations of products and services. The cost is \$25 in advance and \$35 the day of the event. This includes lunch. For information call (321) 674-7007, or call: (321) 674-7007, or contact The Women's Business Center at Florida Tech at wbc@fit.edu.

Buena Vida Estates Offers Moving and Real Estate Assistance Programs

Buena Vida Estates, Brevard County's only Continuing Care Retirement Community (CCRC) is offering a Moving Assistance and Real Estate Assistance Program to prospective senior residents to help them make a stress-free move into Continuing Care Retirement Community. These innovative programs are offered at Buena Vida, with an in-house team of senior moving specialists managing the programs at Buena Vida and include Harold "Rusty" Melle, Florida Licensed Real Estate Broker with ITG Realty, LLC. and Susan Luisi, Buena Vida's move-in coordinator. ITG Realty, LLC. For more information, or to schedule a tour of Buena Vida, call Doreen Boudreau at (321) 724-0060, or visit www.buenavidaestates.org.

Wuesthoff signs agreement with Health Management Associates, Inc.

Emil Miller, President & CEO Wuesthoff Health Systems announces Wuesthoff Health System's Board of Directors sign an agreement with Health Management Associates (NYSE:HMA). Health Management is scheduled to purchase its two acute care hospitals, Wuesthoff Medical Center – Rockledge and Wuesthoff Medical Center – Melbourne, as well as Wuesthoff Health Services, which includes programs such as hospice, homecare, reference laboratories and physician practices. As part of the larger Health Management system, Wuesthoff Health System will be better aligned to serve the growing needs of patients. Wuesthoff will join the other 58 hospitals located in 15 states that are operated by Health Management Associates. For more information, contact: Johnette Gindling, SVP, Wuesthoff Health System at: johnette.gindling@wuesthoff.org, or call: 321-698-6362.

GRAYROBINSON Attorneys Elected to Brevard County Bar Association's Young Lawyers Division

Three attorneys from the Melbourne office of GrayRobinson, P.A., have been named to the Brevard County Bar Association's Young Lawyers Division Board. Christina Sanchez has been named treasurer, Adam Bird and Brad White were elected board members. In their new roles, they will work together to stimulate the interest of association members, as well as, young and recently admitted attorneys, while serving the public and those outside of the legal profession, through community projects and activities. For more information, visit: www.gray-robinson.com.

US Airways Discount Fares Extended into the Fall One-Way Fares as low as \$79* for travel through Nov. 17

US Airways has extended its discount fares from Melbourne International Airport to dozens of cities across the country with one-way fares as low as \$79.* The \$79* fares include major market destinations: New York, Boston and Washington, D.C., as well as smaller markets, Akron, Ohio and Syracuse, N.Y. The discount fares require a seven-day advance purchase, and must be purchased by Aug. 12.

For additional details, go to www.MLBair.com.

Florida Office of Tourism, Education and Economic Development announces: Western China International Fair - October 17 – 21, 2010

Florida Office of Tourism and Economic Development will be a for-profit corporation having its business office located in Melbourne, Florida, with satellite offices in Beijing and Chengdu, China, along with Sino-American Investment Consulting LLC, located in Melbourne, Florida, that specializes in consulting services for those seeking to establish relationships with companies, customers, and investors within the Peoples Republic of China and the United States. The main office of the Sino-American Investment Consulting (SAIC) will be located at 6300 N. Wickham Road, Suite #128, Melbourne, Florida. John Thomas is a life-long Brevard County, Florida resident and entrepreneur with extensive experience in the fields of education, law enforcement and development for non-profit organizations. For more information, go to: http://www.westernchinafair.org/english/english_index.shtml.

Florida Tech Women's Business Center - Teenate Substance Abuse Seminar

Tetrad Medicolegal Consulting, LLC, will sponsor a free event on Teenage Substance Abuse for teachers and parents on Thursday, Sept. 16 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Topics include: Drug Testing; Abuse and Recovery Programs; Prosecution and Defense Issues, Narcotics Investigations, and Prescription Fraud/Internet Investigations. Location: Florida Tech - Hartley Room 150 W. University Blvd., Melbourne, FL For information call: (321) 914-3461, or visit:

info@tetradconsulting.com.