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Visit the Chamber calendar to stay updated on the latest events. Register online at www.arlingtonchamber.org or call (703) 525-2400.

chamber calendar

Please check www.arlingtonchamber.org/events for format and meeting locations.

SEPTEMBER

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| <p>1 Thursday
LeadShare Networking Group
11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p>5 Monday
Labor Day
Office Closed</p> <p>6 Tuesday
LeadShare Networking Group
8:45-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>7 Wednesday
Government Affairs & Economic Development Committee
9:00-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>8 Thursday
Breakfast Connection: Nonprofit Focused
7:30-9:00 a.m.</p> <p>12 Monday
Ambassador Committee
4:00-5:00 p.m.</p> <p>13 Tuesday
Membership Development Committee
2:00-3:00 p.m.</p> <p>14 Wednesday
Executive Committee
8:00-9:30 a.m.</p> <p>15 Thursday
LeadShare Networking Group
11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> | <p>20 Tuesday
LeadShare Networking Group
8:45-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>21 Wednesday
Your Chamber Connection
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p>22 Thursday
Your Chamber Connection
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p>23 Friday
Board of Directors Meeting
11:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.</p> <p>27 Tuesday
Education & Workforce Development Committee
3:00-4:00 p.m.</p> <p>28 Wednesday
Membership Engagement Committee
4:30-5:00 p.m.</p> <p>29 Thursday
Community Action Committee
9:00-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>29 Thursday
Small Business Roundtable
12:00-1:00 p.m.</p> <p>29 Thursday
Business After Business
5:00-7:00 p.m.</p> |
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OCTOBER

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| <p>3 Monday
Ambassador Committee
4:00-5:00 p.m.</p> <p>4 Tuesday
Women in Business Master Class
9:00-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>5 Wednesday
LeadShare Networking Group
8:45-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>6 Thursday
Government Affairs & Economic Development Committee
9:00-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>6 Thursday
LeadShare Networking Group
11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p>6 Thursday
Breakfast Connection with the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce
7:30-9:00 a.m.</p> <p>10 Monday
LeadShare Networking Group
11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p>10 Monday
Chamber 101
4:00-5:15 p.m.</p> <p>10 Monday
Gala Committee
5:00-6:00 p.m.</p> | <p>11 Tuesday
Membership Development Committee
2:00-3:00 p.m.</p> <p>12 Wednesday
Executive Committee
8:00-9:30 a.m.</p> <p>18 Tuesday
LeadShare Networking Group
8:45-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>19 Wednesday
Government Affairs & Economic Development Committee
9:00-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>20 Thursday
LeadShare Networking Group
11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p>25 Tuesday
LeadShare Networking Group
11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p>25 Tuesday
Business After Business
5:00-7:00 p.m.</p> <p>26 Wednesday
Education Workforce Development Committee
3:00-4:00 p.m.</p> <p>26 Wednesday
Membership Engagement Committee
2:00-3:00 p.m.</p> <p>26 Wednesday
Community Action Committee
9:00-10:00 a.m.</p> <p>26 Wednesday
Small Business Roundtable
12:00-1:00 p.m.</p> |
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Host a Chamber Event!

Are you ready to welcome people into your space? We are looking for hosts for our Business After Business events, Women in Business Networking events, and business meetings.

Hosts receive great marketing, both in advance and by showcasing their venue. For more information on becoming a host, contact Cassie Bate Hurley, Senior Director of Marketing & Operations, at events@arlingtonchamber.org.

CHAIR'S MESSAGE

Looking Ahead

Another summer is nearly behind us; it goes by too fast! I hope that everyone had fun times with family and friends—BBQs, traveling, hiking, biking or whatever you enjoy. Or perhaps just relaxing by yourself reading a good book on a beautiful summer day! As we head into fall, I hope you'll enjoy the cooler weather and upcoming beauty of the season.

While summer usually means a slower pace, your chamber staff has been busy at work. We've got two noteworthy events coming up in September and October and hope to see you there.



Beth Borowski

The Chamber will be holding the Arlington County Board Candidate Forum on Wednesday, September 14, at the Synetic Theater. Current county board member Matt de Ferranti (D) is running for re-election and will face Adam Theo (I) and Audrey Clement (I) in the general election on November 8. This business-themed candidate forum features a moderated discussion of topics important to the Arlington business community. The candidates will have the opportunity to engage with local business leaders and address key issues impacting the business community. It should be an exciting time for all attendees as we hear from the candidates and reconnect with our fellow chamber members.

October 17-24 is Arlington Restaurant Week. The Chamber is proud to present this event to the Arlington community for the fourth year and it is continuing to increase in popularity and success since the Chamber took the lead for this event. The goal of Restaurant Week is to help local restaurants gain exposure through extensive media promotion and to attract new patrons. This event is different from the average restaurant week in that it is open to all restaurants from fast food and casual spots to five-star dining establishments. We are fortunate that Amazon, a chamber member, is the presenting sponsor. Member restaurants can participate for free, thanks to Amazon's support. So, plan to visit your favorite restaurant or try something new during the week and enjoy a great meal while supporting our local restauranteurs.

Keep an eye out for the Chamber's weekly eblasts to see what else the Chamber staff is setting up for its members or visit the website www.arlingtonchamber.org for a complete list. Or don't hesitate to call the Chamber staff. They are here for you!

Beth Borowski
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CHAMBER 101

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This monthly event offers an educational opportunity to smaller businesses, and members have the opportunity to present on a topic relevant to the business community.

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EVENTS

Continued Engagement for Missing Middle Housing Study

On July 12, the Arlington County Board held a work session where they provided feedback to guide the next phase of the Missing Middle Housing Study. During the work session, the County Board asked County staff to draft zoning text and amendments that could meet several zoning requirements, parking requirements, and building design standards. This work session marked the end of Phase 2 of the study. Phase 3 will focus on additional public engagement and the drafting of zoning text and amendments.



Missing Middle Home in Ballston-Virginia Square

The Arlington Chamber of Commerce supports the goals of the County's Missing Middle Housing Study, and encourages more flexibility on standards to enable more units to be constructed. The production of missing middle housing is critical to making Arlington a place where people of all backgrounds can live, and where workers can find homes near their jobs. On August 17, the Chamber's Government Affairs and Economic Development Committee held a panel discussion regarding the County's Missing Middle Housing Study. The panelists presented their insight and perspectives on Missing Middle, its potential effects on Arlington and the nuances of the study. The Arlington County Board will be hosting a series of community conversations and information sessions beginning September 13 that will help to inform the County Board's next steps on Missing Middle Housing.

End of Local State of Emergency

The local state of emergency ended on August 15, beginning the six month timeline for the expiration of the Temporary Outdoor Seating Areas (TOSAs). Over the next six months, Arlington County will be working to apply the lessons learned in a permanent outdoor dining study. The County anticipates bringing this issue back to the County Board in November, and may request another six month extension at that time, depending on the progress made with the permanent study. The Chamber's support for TOSAs started in May 2020, as Arlington entered Phase One of the pandemic, which limited restaurants to outdoor seating only. During Phase One, the Chamber supported a streamlined process for restaurants to have easy access to necessary permits for outdoor seating. Since then, the Chamber has been a voice for local restaurants through the expansion of TOSAs in the R-C zoning district, encouraging expanded use of TOSAs to retail uses, working with Arlington County to have Temporary Certificate of Occupancy fees waived for restaurants, and supporting the County's work of adapting the TOSAs program into permanent code.



TOSA in National Landing
Photo Courtesy of National Landing BID

The Chamber believes that the adoption of permanent outdoor seating areas will allow continued flexibility and overall success for Arlington's restaurants. The Chamber will continue to engage on this matter to support our member restaurants and the broader community.

Chamber Supports Funding the Second Entrance to the Ballston Metro

On July 14, the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority unanimously voted to adopt the FY2022-2027 Six Year Program. This program is NVTAs sixth funding program that will be used to invest in regional multimodal transportation projects throughout Northern Virginia. Among these projects is the Ballston-MU Metrorail West Entrance. This project will receive \$80 million in funding. The Chamber and Arlington County have been advocating for the construction of this project for many years. The Chamber supports the investment in this expansion and believes this will be essential to Arlington's economic growth.

7th Annual Northern Virginia Regional Elected Leaders Summit

On August 25, the Arlington Chamber of Commerce hosted the 7th Annual Northern Virginia Elected Leaders Summit with premier partner, the Northern Virginia Chamber of Commerce, and co-hosts, Alexandria Chamber of Commerce, Loudoun Chamber of Commerce, Prince William Chamber of Commerce, and Northern Virginia Regional Commission at George Mason University's Van Metre Hall.

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Front (L-R): Scott Reamy (Dominion Energy) and Kate Bates (Arlington Chamber)
Back (L-R): City of Alexandria Mayor Justin Wilson, Prince William Board of County Supervisors Vice Chair Margaret Franklin, Loudoun County Board of Supervisors Chair Phyllis Randall, Fairfax County Board of Supervisors Chair Jeff McKay, Arlington County Board Chair Katie Cristol, and moderator Jummy Olanbani, NBC4.

More than 200 of Northern Virginia's business leaders were in attendance where they had the opportunity to hear the elected leaders discuss virtual participation in advisory boards and commissions, economic and workforce development, public transportation, and housing affordability in the Northern Virginia region. "This panel discussion touched on issues that are important to all of Northern Virginia and on ways that we can work together for the benefit of our region," said Kate Bates, Arlington Chamber President and CEO. "We are thankful for the support of our partners for putting on this year's summit, and for their ongoing partnership and terrific work they are doing across our region to help maintain Virginia as a top state for doing business."

The event featured elected officials from across the area, including Arlington County Board Chair Katie Cristol, Prince William Board of County Supervisors Vice Chair Margaret Franklin, Fairfax County Board of Supervisors Chair Jeff McKay, Loudoun County Board of Supervisors Chair Phyllis Randall, and City of Alexandria Mayor Justin Wilson. The event was moderated by Jummy Olanbani, Anchor for NBC Washington's News4 Today.



Chamber of Commerce CEOs and Panel



Arlington Chamber President & CEO Kate Bates gives welcoming remarks

upcoming
events



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OCTOBER 17-24

ARLINGTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Join the Arlington Chamber of Commerce and many of Arlington's favorite restaurants for Arlington Restaurant Week! Visit www.arlingtonchamber.org/arlington-restaurant-week for a full list of participating restaurants.

Through this event, diners will enjoy some of the best food the area has to offer at special prices. This event runs differently from your average Restaurant Week in that it is open to all restaurants from fast-casual spots to five-star dining establishments.

Make sure to use

#ARLRestaurantWeek

Sponsoring an event is a great way to get involved in the Chamber and the community. For more information on sponsorship opportunities, contact the Chamber at engagement@arlingtonchamber.org

Arlington County Board Candidate Forum

Wednesday, September 14 | 5:30-7:00 p.m. | Synetic Theater

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Membership Campaign

The Chamber will once again be holding a dedicated three-day membership recruitment effort from September 20-22 through Your Chamber Connection (YCC). YCC has produced unparalleled results for chambers locally and across the country, and also offers a fun opportunity for involvement that is widely praised by volunteers. The YCC model keeps all volunteer time commitments to a manageable amount that fits everyone's busy schedules while making a major impact, with volunteers contributing one three-hour shift. The Chamber held our first campaign in 2018, bringing in 110 new members during the three-day period. After this campaign, we'll evaluate our efforts and focus on engaging all of our new members gained through the campaign.

Our Chamber is proud to introduce our Chairs for this membership campaign. Thank you to these community leaders for their support in this effort!

Steve Cooper, NextUp Solutions: "Money" Green Team
Lisa Fikes, Leadership Center for Excellence: Red Team
Gautam Gupta, Truist: Purple Team
Kim Klingler, Columbia Pike Partnership: Multi-Color Team
Chris Lipscomb, John Marshall Bank: Gold Team
Jennifer Mulchandani, Arlington Strategy: Light Blue Team
Patrick Phillippi, Amazon: Yellow Team
Kevin Shooshan, The Shooshan Company: Black Team
Diana Waller, Chasing Dragons: Orange Team
Runner Chair: Rick Reinsch, Digital Recollections: Lavender Team



If you're interested in getting involved, reach out to any of the event chairs or Senior Director of Membership, Mike Rosenow at membership@arlingtonchamber.org

members in the news

september & october

MILESTONE ANNIVERSARIES

Chamber Membership



30 Years

Dittmar Company
Peking Pavillion
The Westin Crystal City Hotel

25 Years

Donna Hamaker - Buck & Associates Realtors
Sushi-Zen Japanese Restaurant

20 Years

Arlington Promotional Products, LLC
Corporate Apartment Specialists, Inc.
Kenneth Matzkin, Buck & Associates
Reinsch Pierce Family Foundation

15 Years

FRC Marketing/HALO

10 Years

Arlington Strategy

5 Years

Catholic Charities Diocese of Arlington
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GroupSense
Homewood Suites by Hilton Arlington Rosslyn
Key Bridge
Me Jana

Have news to share?

Let us know! Members in the News article submissions must be emailed to the Communications Manager and received by the first of the month prior to the publication month (i.e., August 1 for consideration in the September/October issue of the *Arlingtonian*), in order to be considered for inclusion.

Members should submit a press release or news article, along with photo options, if available.

For questions, contact Communications Manager, Samantha Ruark at communications@arlingtonchamber.org or (703) 525-2400.

Article inclusion is available on a limited basis and is not guaranteed. Articles printed in this newsletter submitted by members represent their ideas and beliefs and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce.

STRETCH SMART INFARED THERAPY

Supporting the Armed Forces Cycling Classic



On June 5, **Stretch Smart Infrared Therapy** joined the Armed Forces Cycling Classic, the region's premier cycling event, open to cycling enthusiasts of all abilities. During the event, they offered stretching demonstrations under the **Stretch Smart** tent. General Manager, Asia King, presented the flowers to each of the winners of the various races.

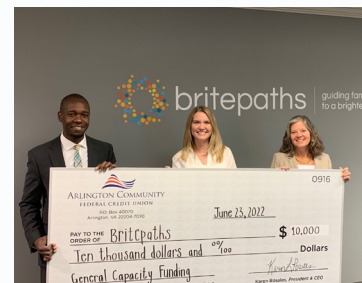
Stretch Smart Infrared Therapy also presented a one-month membership to the winner of the Amateur Race and a gift card for a complimentary stretch and sauna experience to each of the two runners-up of that race.

ARLINGTON COMMUNITY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION (ACFCU)

Reinvesting \$30,000 in Local Organizations

On July 18, **Arlington Community Federal Credit Union (ACFCU)** awarded \$30,000 in grants to local nonprofit organizations, including **Bridges to Independence**. The grants were part of the bank's 2022 community impact strategy and overall commitment to making a positive impact on Arlington community members. Each organization received \$10,000 for general capacity use.

The credit union selected impact organizations in Northern Virginia focused on housing opportunity, financial education, or workforce development for these reinvestment grants.



GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY

School of Business Dean Brings Entrepreneurial Outlook to University

In a recent interview with Virginia Business Magazine, **George Mason University's** Ajay Vinzé shared his ambitions as dean for the School of Business. The "educational entrepreneur" has his sight on addressing the evolving needs of students and the business community. He is a proponent of customizing program offerings allowing students to quickly earn credits directly related to their field and reducing costs. Vinzé joined Mason on July 1. He came to Mason from the University of Missouri's Robert J. Trulaske Sr. College of Business, where he served as dean for five years.



Senior Vice President Sarah Gabriel Named Partner

Sarah Gabriel, longtime furniture consultant and Senior Vice President at **Washington Workplace**, has been named a Partner of the award-winning commercial furniture dealership and longtime Arlington Chamber member. Gabriel started at **Washington Workplace** in 2005 and specializes in working with small and mid-sized organizations providing quality furniture and accessories for their existing, new or expanded space. Gabriel serves on the Dealer Advisory Board of furniture products and manufacturing leader AIS, and also holds a leadership position with the Commercial Real Estate Brokers Association (CREBA). “These leadership positions are not just about ensuring continued success for Washington Workplace, but also about setting the highest standards in the commercial furniture industry,” Gabriel says. Gabriel grew her **Washington Workplace** team from 2 to 10 since 2005 and has annual sales of \$10M. She also mentors new sales people as they join the company.



EMBRACING ARLINGTON ARTS

2022 One-Stop Library Database Released



Embracing Arlington Arts is proud to release its revised one-stop library database of 100 study links providing evidence of the health benefits of the arts for every community sector, and providing the scientific evidence. “We have updated our online library to ensure that no study cited is more than 5 years old,” stated Janet Kopenhaver, the organization’s president. The **Embracing Arlington Arts** Board of Directors wanted to create this library with links to peer-reviewed studies on the health benefits of the arts in order to make it easier for those interested in learning more about this topic without having to search hundreds of different websites.

welcome to our NEW MEMBERS!

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Industrious Court House
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Communications & IT
EarthOptics
Green Powered Technology

Financial Services
Generations Wealth Management
Matthew Melton - Edward Jones
Tassara Financial

Health & Fitness
Azure Dream Day Spa

Home & Personal Services
Shirlington Kitchen and Bath

Hotels
Hampton Inn & Suites, Reagan National Airport
Hilton Garden Inn Reagan National Airport

Real Estate & Construction
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Industrious Ballston Quarter
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Yayla Bistro

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www.arlingtonchamber.org
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Your Chamber in the Community

The success of the Arlington Chamber is tied to its membership base. This is why the Chamber's Directors, staff, and members are dedicated to supporting community events and programs.



Ribbon cutting at Amazon Fresh Crystal City



Restaurant Association of Metropolitan Washington's RAMMY Awards



Association of Chamber Executives Annual Convention



Washington Business Journal 40 Under 40 Event

Below is a sampling of events that Chamber staff participated in:

June 30: Cassie Bate Hurley attended Arlington Independent Media's Coming Out Party

July 6-7: Kate Bates attended the Crystal City Amazon Fresh Store Pre-opening Tour and Will Mulligan attended the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

July 13: Cassie Bate Hurley attended the Arlington Public Art Committee meeting

July 12: Kate Bates attended the Arlington Economic Development Commission meeting

July 14: Kate Bates attended the Washington Business Journal 40 Under 40 event as a guest of Tom Bartlett with 20 Degrees

July 24: Kate Bates and Cassie Bate Hurley attended the Restaurant Association of Metropolitan Washington's RAMMY Awards

July 26: Kate Bates attended the Tourism/ARPA Quarterly Update hosted by Arlington Convention and Visitors Service

July 26-29: Mike Rosenow attended the Association of Chamber Executives Annual Convention

July 31-August 4: Cassie Bate Hurley attended the US Chamber of Commerce's Institute of Organizational Management

August 18-19: Kate Bates and Mike Rosenow attended the Virginia Association of Chamber of Commerce Executives Executive Leadership Conference; Kate named Chair of VACCE Board

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The mission of the **Arlington Chamber of Commerce** is to strengthen businesses and the economic environment for those who work, live, and do business in Arlington.

The vision of the **Arlington Chamber of Commerce** is to be the essential partner for business success.

thank you!

- **Hilton Garden Inn Arlington/ Courthouse and Washington Workplace** for hosting Business After Business
- **Intercoastal Mortgage LLC, Monument Home Loans, Washington Workplace, and VIDA Fitness** for donating door prizes at Business After Business