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February 2019

Sunday Minnich Minnich Productions Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors

Showcase Morgan Hill Business Expo

Chamber Calendar

<u>1st Thursday</u> Good Morning Morgan Hill Breakfast

<u>3rd Thursday</u> After Hours Networking Mixer

Every Monday Let's Do Lunch @ Various Member Restaurants

Committee Meetings

<u>4th Friday</u> Education 8AM Union Bank Tennant Station

<u>Ambassadors</u> 12:30 at the Chamber office

2nd Wednesday Government Relations 8:30 AM Chamber Office

2nd Thursday Economic Development 8AM Union Bank Tennant Station The Morgan Hill Chamber of Commerce is pleased to present the:

Showcase Morgan Hill Business Expo Thursday, April 11, 2019 from 3pm – 7pm Live Oak High School Gymnasiums 1505 E Main Avenue in Morgan Hill.



Showcase Morgan Hill offers a unique and important community-oriented event to encourage attendees to Shop Local when seeking resources and goods & services for personal and business needs in Morgan Hill and the surrounding South Valley area.

Showcasing the best Morgan Hill and the South Valley has to offer, the Expo will feature a variety of vendors providing information, tastings of local flavors, demonstrations, giveaways, and resources to assist the community in making informed choices when shopping for local services needed.

Shop Morgan Hill by visiting various organizations, clubs and groups to learn about services available in our community. Taste delectable samples from our local restaurants and wineries. Meet with local contractors, home based businesses or service providers for your home or business. Looking for places to eat, drink and play? We will have many vendors who provide fun-filled opportunities such as retail, attractions, eating & drinking establishments, spas and much more!

Admission is free with plenty of parking, and the first 500 attendees will receive a swag bag with product samples from sponsors. Hourly raffle prizes and giveaways will be announced in addition to vendors who hold their own individual raffle.



BUSINESS EXPO

The Best in Goods and Services Offered in Morgan Hill and South Valley For more information, contact Sunday Minnich 408-779-9444 ext 561 or <u>Sunday@morganhill.org</u>

You can download the application at <u>www.morganhill.org</u>.

Informational flier on back page

Chamber of Commerce February - April 2019 Events





"Good Morning Morgan Hill" February 7th Breakfast

Sponsored by:



Hosted at: The Community and Cultural Center 1st Thursday 7:30-9:00am \$15 in advance or \$20 at the door

"Good Morning Morgan Hill" March 7th Breakfast

Sponsored by:

TBD

Hosted at: The Community and Cultural Center 1st Thursday 7:30-9:00am \$15 in advance or \$20 at the door

Promote yourself and/or your Company Consider bringing a raffle prize to the Good Morning Breakfast or the After Hours mixers.

After Hours February Chamber Networking Mixer Sponsored by:



18181 Butterfield Blvd.

Thursday, Feb. 21st from 5:30 - 7:00pm Free for Chamber Members!

After Hours March Chamber Networking Mixer

Sponsored by: The Morgan Hill Grange



40 E. 4th St. Morgan Hill, Ca. 95037 Thursday, March 21st from 5:30 - 7:00pm Free for Chamber Members!

After Hours April Chamber Networking Mixer in the Chamber Building Sponsored by: Mushroom Mardi Gras @ **MUSHROOM**



Guglielmo EST. 1925

17485 Monterey Rd. Thursday, April 18th from 5:30 - 7:00pm Free for Chamber Members!

Chamber Events

Let's Do Lunch - every Monday @ Noon

A casual lunch where you have the opportunity to network with fellow chamber members. Everyone orders as they arrive and pays for their own meals.

No RSVP, just show up!

Feb.11th	<u>Sinaloa</u>	17535 Monterey Rd.
Feb. 18th	Presidents Day Observance	
Feb. 25th	Round Table	16740 Monterey Rd.
March 4th	<u>City Fish</u>	16125 Monterey Rd.
March 11th	Nick the Greek	632 Tennant Station
March 18th	<u>Mama Mia's</u>	275 E Dunne Ave .
March 25th	<u>Maroo Korean</u>	16105 Monterey Rd.
See you there!		

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Mushroom Mardi Gras Guglielmo Winery D. R. Domenichini Cherisse's Hair Salon Culinary Academy



We appreciate all who donated to the Breakfast & Mixer Raffles



Click photos to link to our member's website or Facebook page.



MEMBER OFFERINGS checkout "Hot Deals" on the Chamber website



The Ford Store of Morgan Hill- Presidents' Day Sell-a-thon starts this Friday, 2/15 and runs through Monday, 2/18. Our everyday low bottom-line sale prices have been SLASHED for this sales event and all of our Presidents' Day specials can be found here: <u>https://www.fordstoremorganhill.com/new-vehicle-specials-the-ford-store-morgan-hill-ca.html</u>

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The Chamber of Commerce Monthly Breakfast has moved to the CCC. Now catering the breakfast is Opa! Signature Foods



Welcome New Members!



<u>American Cancer Society</u> <u>- Relay for Life</u> (408) 688-0088



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Day Dream Events By Shawna (408) 706-6373



<u>Shannon Wilkinson,</u> <u>CPA-</u> (408) 222-6477

Kelly Brewing

"Kelly Brewing Company is a family operated craft brewery in downtown Morgan Hill. We are founded by a Morgan Hill native and our goal is to provide the community with a fun, family friendly place to enjoy fresh craft beer. We have 12 taps that are constantly rotating, offering plenty of variety. All of our beers are made by using a rare, hands-on brewing technique to produce unique and flavorful beers. Come experience the only place in Morgan Hill where you can get quality craft beer that is brewed on-site. We'd love to meet you!"

American Cancer Society - Relay for Life

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide community-based voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives, and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy, and service. We provide services to cancer patients such as rides to treatment through our Road to Recovery program, and our 24/7 1-800 hotline for questions and concerns regarding a personal cancer diagnosis, or that of a loved one. We have a multitude of volunteer opportunities available in the Morgan Hill community to help provide these services and more to those whose lives are touched by cancer. No matter who you are, we can help.

South Bay Commercial Interiors

South Bay Commercial Interiors is a veteran and female privately owned construction company in Morgan Hill California. Our team works hard to provide quality metal stud framing, drywall, acoustical ceilings and interior finishing. We strive to meet clients' needs with safety quality service.

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Day Dream Events by Shawna

The Dream Team are licensed and safe serve certified. We provide wait staff, bartenders, day of wedding coordination as well as full service wedding coordination. I am an ordained minister since 2012 and would be happy to marry you. I have over 10 years of catering, bartending, as well as DJ experience. Day Dream Events have a truly professional staff with all of our own supplies. Your event will be stress free, well planned, and will run smooth from start to finish.

Shannon Wilkinson, CPA-

After working 20 years at CPA firms throughout the South Bay Area of California, including 3 years with a Big 4 CPA firm, I recently made the decision to open my own Tax and Accounting practice to serve our local community. My clients want to pursue their dream of building an awesome business, and I get excited along with them! I'm a true Tax and Accounting nerd so I pursued a Masters in Taxation at San Jose State University and graduated with honors. Now I share my passion and teach accounting classes at Gavilan College. Being a true hometown girl I grew up in Hollister and now live in Morgan Hill with my husband and two children. I enjoy volunteering with Girl Scouts, quilting and learning the latest tax laws. Joining the Morgan Hill Chamber of Commerce has already helped me feel more connected to our community, and I look forward to building lasting relationships.





Carbon-Free Energy and Wine: A Perfect Pairing (Article from SV Clean Energy)

The family-owned Guglielmo Winery, a local favorite in Morgan Hill, has been in operation since 1925. The winery cut its carbon emissions by more than 35,000 pounds in 2018 from receiving SVCE's carbon-free electricity. We spoke with George Guglielmo, third generation winemaker, to hear more about why the winery chooses clean electricity.

"I've been here all my life, my kids were raised here, I was raised here, so I think anything we can do to improve the environment is well worth what we do here. We've always strived to use less of what we have, not more, and try to conserve as much as we can," says George.

"I think it's everybody's responsibility to look at the world and realize we're going to have children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and hopefully we can realize that we need to take care of what we have as the population of the world expands."



Red, White, Silver and Gold: Solis Winery Harvests Six Awards in 2019 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Awards

January 15, 2019 (Gilroy, CA): Just a couple of weeks into the new year,

Solis Winery in Gilroy is **already** reaping more prestigious awards for their wines produced in the Santa Clara Valley. Solis Winery was awarded two gold medals and four silver medals in the 2019 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, ranking them among the very best winemakers in North America.

Solis Winery took home two gold medals for the 2014 Reserve Estate Baciami and 2016 Estate Grenache. The winery was also awarded four silver medals for the 2014 Reserve Estate Cara Mia, 2014 Estate Seducente, 2014 Estate Syrah, and 2015 Estate Zinfandel. All wines are grown and produced in the Santa Clara Valley.

Vic Vanni, co-owner of Solis Winery, said, "To receive this number of awards in America's biggest wine competition is truly an honor. Quality always comes first at our family-owned business, and we take great pride in producing some of our region's most outstanding wines and unique varietals. We encourage people to come visit our tasting room and try our award-winning wines for themselves!"

Originally founded in 1983 as the Cloverdale Citrus Fair Wine Competition, the San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition is the largest competition of American wines in the world. In the 2019 competition, a panel of 64 professional judges representing various North American wine regions evaluated over 6,800 wines from over 1,132 wineries in the U.S., Canada, and Mexico.





Security Tips for the Workplace

In a city where small businesses are in close proximity with each other, security should become a group effort. Community meetings and sharing of observations and knowledge are very helpful. Some communities hire roving security, rather than taking on the expense themselves.

Environmental Awareness is one of the first elements to get familiar with. In thinking with a "neighborhood watch" approach, the following are things to stay alert to:

- A person who is seen monitoring or scanning your facility and its activity
- A vehicle making repeated visits to your locations monitoring the activity
- A person approaching your facility who seems nervous, tense, angry
- A person whose body language suggests they are concealing something
- A person who approaches carrying a bag large enough to conceal a weapon
- A person who is dressed in a way to conceal their identity

It is often easier to observe what's happening across the street easier than it is close up. Keep an eye out for each other. Make sure to have phone numbers as a group so that you can alert each other to what you see. Call law enforcement when something looks suspicious.

Being alert and united will do a lot to increase your community's safety.

In safety,

Allen Banks



Friday, March1,2019

__for our 6th Annual Read-in to celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday

We're looking for volunteers to read aloud (in English or Spanish) in one of our elementary school classrooms—Preschool-5th grade—as MHUSD participates in Read Across America Day for the sixth year running.

Choose your school. Choose your grade level. We provide the books!

This event fills up quickly, RSVP now to guarantee your spot! (One spot per person please)

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RELAY FOR LIFE OF SOUTH COUNTY

MAY 18TH - 19TH, 2019 10:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M. MORGAN HILL OUTDOOR SPORTS CENTER RelayForLife.org/southcountyca



Save the Date Career & Job Fair

Thursday, March 14th from 11 AM to 2 PM Gavilan College Student Center



Career / Transfer Center





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Featuring the YouSchool Founder & President SCOTT SCHIMMEL

The YouSchool is a community organization based in San Diego, CA, whose mission is to provide tools for young people to grow quickly in self-awareness, self-confidence and self-direction through guided self-reflection with peers and life advisors.

Thursday, Feb 28th | 7 pm

Morgan Hill Community Center I Hiram Room This is a **FREE event** open to parents of all ages RSVP online at **bit.ly/MorganHillParents**



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Join Pinnacle Bank and help fill Cecelia's Closet!

Please come to the Morgan Hill Chamber of Commerce Mixer at Pinnacle Bank on February 21 and bring new pajamas, underwear and socks (all sizes) to donate to Cecelia's Closet and Food Pantry.

Morgan Hill Chamber of Commerce Mixer Thursday, February 21 • 5:30–7:30 pm Pinnacle Bank • 18181 Butterfield Blvd, Morgan Hill Special thanks to Catered by Diana



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A Walking Tour of Morgan Hill's Historic Downtown

2nd Saturday of the Month

10:00 AM to Approximately Noon Park at the Community Garage [Enter on 4th Street] Meet at 50 E. 3rd Street [Garage Exit]

Reservations suggested, but not required. Call the Morgan Hill Historical Society – 408-779-5755 FREE Tour – Donations Welcome

> Walking distance about 1.5 miles Wear comfy shoes!

Tour starts at 3rd Street Plaza under the Poppy Jasper Glass Panel at the Community Garage, proceeds to Dunne Avenue, works its way up to 2rd Street and over to Depot Street with highlights on the history of some of our City's oldest buildings and homes.

The Tour Guide will weave in general information on area history. A great end to the tour would be a walk or drive up Monterey to visit Villa Mira Monte, the historic home of our City's namesake.

Come join us and get a little exercise!

Before or after, treat yourself to coffee, breakfast, brunch or lunch at one of our charming local eateries. VALENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL EVENT THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH, 5PM-10PM

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Trivia Night @ The Grapevine





Morgan Hill's New Club for Prime Lifers (the new term for Active +50 Adults)

This club is just getting started, and we are interested in brainstorming our ideas and getting your ideas too. Watch for our column in the Morgan Hill Life!

Anthony Quartuccio, Music Director and Conductor

NextGen 2019

Individual tickets for NextGen 2019

Adults & Seniors \$25 Kids and students (with valid ID) admitted free Group rates for 5 adults or more, \$22 each

- Glazunov: A Landscape Covered with Flowers
- Holst: "St. Paul Suite" for String Orchestra
- Holst: "Suite #2 in F" for Wind Symphony
- Rutter: "Gloria," Orchestra and Choir
- Mozart: "Ave Verum Corpus," Choir

Get tickets at one of our local outlets: Morgan Hill: BookSmart or Chamber of Commerce Hollister: Postal Graphics • Gilroy: First Street Coffee or Porcella's Music

Or visit online at **southvalleysymphony.org** for tickets, season passes, and upcoming concerts

Saturday March 9, 2019 7:30 p.m.

Gavilan College Theater Gilroy

Christopher **High School** Chamber Choir



Coyote Creek Concours d'Elegance

June 23rd 10AM - 4PM on the 18th green of the Coyote Creek Golf Club.

For 2019 we are proud to announce our featured marques: Ferrari and Corvette. Proceeds from the event will benefit local nonprofit organization <u>Operation Freedom Paws!</u>



DESIGN MATTERS Awarded Best Of Houzz 2019

Awarded by Community of Over 40 Million Monthly Users, Annual BOH Badge Highlights Home Remodeling & Design Professionals with Top Ratings and Most Popular Home Designs

January 24, 2019 – DESIGN MATTERS has won "Best Of Design, Customer Service, Design Photography" on <u>Houzz</u>.

The Best Of Houzz badge is awarded annually, in three categories: Design, Customer Service and Photography. Design awards honor professionals whose work was the most popular among the Houzz community. Customer Service honors are based on several factors, including a pro's overall rating on Houzz and client reviews submitted in 2018. Architecture and interior design photographers whose images were most popular are recognized with the Photography award.

"Best of Houzz is a true badge of honor as it is awarded by our community of homeowners, those who are hiring design, remodeling and other home improvement professionals for their projects," said Liza Hausman, vice president of Industry Marketing for Houzz. "We are excited to celebrate the 2019 winners chosen by our community as their favorites for home design and customer experience, and to highlight those winners on the Houzz website and app."

Follow **DESIGN MATTERS** on Houzz <u>https://www.houzz.com/pro/juliedesignmatters/design-matters</u>

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Registration is open HERE!

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Morgan Hill Grange 40 E. 4th St. Morgan Hill, CA 95037





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For More Information Contact the Morgan Hill Chamber of Commerce Sunday@morganhill.org www.morganhill.org 408-779-9444 ext 561

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