As the end of the year comes to a close I just say thank you to all those who have helped make this year a successful one for the FCCACC.

We had a busy year from start to finish with great speakers and events. A big thank you goes to all my fellow board members who were a big part in planning all our events for the year. Thank you to general membership as well who help to make our chamber successful and grow.

I hope everyone has a productive end of the year, but can also find time to relax, enjoy time with their loved ones and recharge so we can make 2019 another successful year for the chamber.

Sincerely,

Josh Stewart
President FCCACC
josh.stewart@edwardjones.com

As the holiday season is upon us, we find ourselves reflecting on the past year and those who have helped to make it a success. It’s been quite a year for us all! We hope that 2018 has been just as memorable for you, your colleagues and your loved ones. We look forward to working with you in the years to come.
Our September 11 speaker is Ms. Heather French-Henry, Deputy Commissioner, KY Department of Veteran Affairs. She won the 2000 Miss America pageant in September 1999, the first Kentuckian to do so. Her platform for her reign was raising awareness of homeless veterans; her father was a wounded veteran of the Vietnam War. She has received numerous awards for her work with veterans. Luncheon will be at the Wildwood Country Club.

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**Luncheon Hosts**

- Wesley Manor  
  5012 E Manslick Road  
  Louisville, KY 40219  
- Mortgage Warehouse  
  2011 Lake Point Way, Ste 101  
  Louisville, KY 40291

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**December Luncheon Guest Speaker**

Our December Luncheon will be a Networking meeting at the Woodhaven Country Club.

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**Luncheon Hosts**

- WoodSpring Suites  
  10400 Brookridge Village Blvd  
  Louisville, KY 40291  
- Habitat for Humanity  
  1620 Banks St  
  Louisville KY 40203

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**2018 FCCACC Special Events**

For this 2018 final edition of the FCCACC newsletter, we’ll reflect back on three special events from the past year and recognize the business members that made them possible with their sponsorships. These events allow our member businesses to gain visibility in the community to promote their business in front of customers, face-to-face, and influence them to think locally and shop locally. Each event has different levels of support offerings with different levels of commitment and return to meet the sponsor’s objectives. We’ll begin with the Fall Festival, work back through the Golf Scramble, and the Business Expo and Taste of Fern Creek.
Of course the first order of business is to give a big thank you to all the volunteers who worked diligently to ensure the success of each event. Their dedication of time, the planning meetings and the execution of the details made it all achievable.

The second order of business is to identify and acknowledge the generous support of the sponsoring organizations.

The annual FCCACC Fall Festival was a tremendous success. It was estimated more than 1,000 people joined in the fun and festivities. FCCACC, the Fern Creek Fire Department and the Fern Creek Christian Church, along with some trick or treat cars at Fern Creek High School, made this a truly community event. Members of the FCHS Marine Corp JROTC and the FCHS football team were instrumental in setting up and taking down the vendor tables. The crowd enjoyed pony rides, games, the FC fire truck, the LMPD Helicopter, bounce houses, pumpkin decorating and face painting, Papa John’s pizza, popcorn, and trick or treating.

A Fall Festival special recognition goes to our Platinum Sponsor, Jefferson Animal Hospital.

Jefferson Animal Hospital, Fern Creek

Our original Fern Creek hospital opened in 1985 on Del Maria way (Intersection of Bardstown Rd and Hurstbourne) as a full service family practice. Then in 2012 we relocated to 6902 Bardstown Rd, in front of Kroger, and thanks to our loyal Fern Creek community, have been growing and thriving ever since.

Our Fern Creek hospital is similar to our regional emergency center, we are capable of the same diagnostic and treatment standards, and add a special emphasis on low stress handling; regularly including a soft touch with our patients and lots of treats to create a special bond. This was the original site of the PNC bank and you'll notice we're now using the bank vault as our "Food Vault".

JAH Fern Creek is open normal business hours (Mon-Sat) with extended evening hours Mon-Thurs. We do work by appointment, and are proud to provide our clients with longer exam times with more attention to our personal touch and education. We offer many routine services such as preventative care vaccinations, spay/neuter and advanced dental procedures. We can also see your pet for difficult diagnostic or surgical emergencies, AND if you need overnight nursing care, we will help transport your pet to our 24 hour hospital for critical care nursing all night. Call: (502) 499-6535; Email: ferncreek@jeffersonanimalhospitals.com; Website: www.jeffersonanimalhospitals.com.

A special thank you also goes out to our Gold Sponsors.

L&N Federal Credit Union is open to everyone in the Louisville Metropolitan Area, as well as to people in portions of Southeastern and Northern Kentucky. With assets over $1.1 billion dollars and an array of products and services, L&N can offer everything necessary for someone's personal or business finances.
River City Bank is proud to be a locally-owned hometown bank. At River City Bank, being a hometown bank means more than citing an address in Jefferson County, it means we are active members of this community. We live where you live, shop where you shop and support many of the same charitable organizations that you are a part of.

Schoppenhorst Underwood & Brooks Funeral Home, an independently owned business practicing the Golden Rule. Our professional staff is able to customize services to meet the personal needs of those in our community. Here at Schoppenhorst we consider it a privilege to serve the families of deceased love ones by providing compassionate care during their critical time of bereavement.

Browse Louisville homes for sale from the comfort of your home or schedule a showing from our site. We give you the tools to make buying and selling a home a joy - not a headache. And, we're just easy and fun to work with. We make the home selling and buying experience less stressful. With a Red Edge agent backing you every step, you'll have an edge in Louisville real estate.

And to our Silver sponsors:

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And to our Silver sponsors:
The 2018 FCCACC Golf Scramble, on the Wildwood Country Club Golf course, was another huge success. Wildwood offers a challenging and beautiful golf course with rolling hills and trees surrounding a lake that provides a casual, but challenging round of golf. We would like to thank Reza Abitorabi at Wildwood CC, for hosting this year’s tournament. Also, thanks to Assistant Golf Pro, Josh and Blake, Head Golf Pro, along with their many volunteers, for helping this scramble go off flawlessly. The weather was very comfortable and the afternoon start time was very well received. The FCCACC Golf Scramble is an excellent way to develop new business relationships, nurture partnerships and entertain prospective customers, clients and referrals...or reward your employees with a great day of fun! The winners of this year’s scramble are as follows:

1st Place: Trilogy Health Services Team  
2nd Place: Roger Burkman Team  
3rd Place: Matt Hoagland Team  

A special thank you goes to our Gold Sponsors  

**Sake Blue** is an award winning family-owned restaurant in Louisville. This sleek and modern bistro includes a 15-person sushi bar, 8 large teppanyaki grills, and a dining room and bar. We work daily to create the freshest sushi and Japanese style cuisine possible.

Also to our Silver Sponsors.

And of course, our Hole Sponsors.

Agility Closing & Title; Atria Stonybrook; Beef O’ Brady’s; CareSource; Chick-Fil-A Glenmary; Cincinnati Equitable Life; Fritts Million Insurance; Graphic Ad Signs; Greenscapes; H&R Block; Hatter Insurance; Integrated Pest Management; Keystone Cinemas; Liberty Mutual; Mark’s Feed Store; Mercy Academy; Mortgage Warehouse; Park Community FCU; PNC Bank; State Farm; Stan Sims Attorney; Traditions At Beaumont; Trilogy Health Services.

A big thank you goes to our FCCACC business and restaurant/catering community for giving us another successful Business Expo and Taste of Fern Creek. This annual event offers our local business members an opportunity to network and showcase their products and/or services to the many hundred of visitors in attendance. While the attendees get to enjoy sampling some of the appetizing Fern Creek cuisine and beverages. Natually, it’s my favorite event.

A big thank you to our Silver Sponsor and to our Bronze Sponsors
FCCACC Member Activities

September-October Meetings

The September speaker was Scottie Davenport, Coach, Bellarmine University men's basketball. Bellarmine had yet another extraordinary season under Davenport in 2017-18. The Knights finished 29-3 and captured their second GLVC Tournament title in a row and fourth overall on Davenport's watch. A Louisville native, Davenport and his wife, Sharon, have two sons, Russ and Doug, who are both Bellarmine graduates.

The October speaker was Bob Mueller, Senior VP Hosparus Health. Bob leads fundraising efforts and fosters philanthropy in all Hosparus Health communities to ensure all who want and need our services receive those services regardless of ability to pay. His team's efforts also fund innovative research and program development to advance the hospice care model.

Any little ghost or goblin could trick-or-treat throughout the Atria Stony Brook community to show off their costumes and celebrate Halloween in a family-friendly atmosphere. From trick or treating to pumpkin painting, everyone enjoyed celebrating Halloween with the residents and staff.”

Wesley Manor invited families and friends to their third annual Autumn Festival & Craft Show. Attendees enjoyed food trucks, music and handmade crafts. The craft booths included: Michael Hagan’s costume Jewelry and Hiking Staffs/Canes; Sue’s Rustic Impressions – handmade barn wood home décor; Marquita Orr Handmade Lace & Yarn Necklaces & more; Ade Fashions.
Jared Townes is joining Councilman Robin Engel’s team as the new Legislative Assistant for District 22. Jared is a native of Lexington, KY who previously worked for Belcan Engineering as an Export Compliance Specialist. He also has experience working in a supportive role for an 18-member law firm and has previously served as a district office intern for Congressman Andy Barr. Jared is a graduate of Transylvania University and holds a Bachelors of Arts in History. He is a member of Phi Alpha Theta Honorary Society and was Vice President of Transylvania’s student government.
Much like a family holiday gathering, this special Chamber event allows us to unwind, see each other outside the hustle and bustle of the workday, and cherish the years’ worth of memories we’ve created together. We’re proud of the activities our collective efforts have given our community.
HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS
LOUISVILLE
AIRPORT EXPO CENTER

Sponsoring hotel for Bardstown Rd Aglow
Saturday, December 1st
Dusk till 10:00pm.

Hotel rates are $99/night. FCCACC members can email reservation requests to Juliette Grace at juliette.grace@ghs-hotels.com to save an additional 10%. Contact Juliette: 502-456-4411 for assistance.

Mark's Feed Store - Fern Creek Kids Christmas Party

Tuesday, December 11th
5pm to 8pm
Santa will be there

Buy 1 adult meal - get 2 kids meals free
Throughout the year, Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries helps families whom are in crisis. For many of these individuals who are struggling to provide the basic necessities of life, the holidays can be particularly stressful. In order to help families in our community, Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries will once again be conducting our Holiday Cheer Program 2018.

We need families, groups, or organizations who are willing to adopt a family and/or sponsor food baskets! Please contact Renee, Alice or Maria at 762-9611 with questions and to sign up.

**Holiday Meal Items**
- Stuffing Mix
- 1/2 lb. bag of potatoes
- 1/2 lb. bag of onions
- 2 cans of cranberry sauce
- 3 to 5 cans of green vegetables (green beans, peas, etc.)
- 3 to 5 cans of mixed vegetables (corn, yams, etc.)
- Dessert Mix/Pie filling

**Suggested Christmas Buying Guidelines**
- A. 1 to 2 outfits per child (Not to exceed two, please)
- Examples: pair of pants, t-shirts, etc.
- 1 shirt or sweater
- Stockings and undergarments
- Please note if a child has a special need!

- B. 1 to 2 age appropriate gifts per child

- C. (Optional) a gift for parent

Deliver all items to Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries at 9300 Beniah Church Rd. (Corner of Beniah Church & Bardstown Rd. on November 20th, for Thanksgiving and December 12th for Christmas!

Someone will be here between 8:30am -5pm to accept all deliveries. It is extremely important that items are delivered on appropriate days since we do not have extra storage space.

Fern Creek Highview United Ministries

**CHRISTMAS BENEFIT CONCERT**

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, 7:30 PM**

**AT THE BELIEVERS CHURCH**

7905 SMYRNA PARKWAY, 40228

A LOVE OFFERING WILL BE COLLECTED TO BENEFIT FERN CREEK/HIGHVIEW UNITED MINISTRIES

**ARTISTS FROM OUR MEMBER CHURCHES**

For more information call 762-9608

Performing artists can email: execdir@chum.org

“Fighting Hunger – Preventing Homelessness – Caring for the Elderly – Stabilizing Lives”

Historically rooted, foundationally solid, planning for the future.
Fern Creek Library November/December Programs

Adult Programs

Zen Doodling
Monday, November 19, 2018 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Learn the art of zen doodling as a means of both creating and mindfulness. Leave with your own work of art!

Afternoon Book Discussion
Wednesday, November 14, 2018 2:00 PM - 04:00 PM
Please join us in discussing, The School of Essential Ingredients, by Erica Bauermeister.
Wednesday, December 12, 2018 2:00 PM - 04:00 PM
Please join us in discussing Christmas Bells by Jennifer Chiaverini

Computer Courses

Internet Basics
Tuesday, November 6, 2018 9:00AM - 10:00AM
Tuesday, December 18, 2018 9:00AM-10:00AM
This class explores the very basics of the internet. Learn about web browsers, how to enter an internet address, and how to use a search engine. Please call 502-231-4605 to register.

Microsoft Word I
Tuesday, November 27, 2018 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
This is an introductory class to Microsoft Word. Microsoft Word is a program used to type newsletters, resumes, letters and much more. Topics include how to format, edit and save your documents on a flash drive. Please call 502-231-4605 to register.

Computer Basics
Tuesday, December 4, 2018 - 09:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Never use a computer before? Then, this is the class for you! Learn the basic components of a computer, how to use a mouse, and operate in a windows environment. Please call 502-231-4605 to register.

Children and Family Programs

Magic Tree House Book Club
Thursday, November 8, 2018 4:45 PM - 5:45 PM
This month we are reading Dark Day in the Deep Sea. Join us for a book discussion, related activities and a snack! Copies of the book can be picked up in advance at Fern Creek. To register, call 231-4605. Ages 5-11
Thursday, December 13, 2018 4:45 PM - 5:45 PM
This month we are reading Eve of the Emperor Penguin. Join us for a book discussion, related activities and a snack! Copies of the book can be picked up in advance at Fern Creek. To register, call 231-4605. Ages 5-11

A Party with Moana
Saturday, November 24, 2018 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Enjoy storytime, a sing-along, face painting and meet and greet photo opportunity. All ages

Shakespeare in the Libraries: The Taming of the Shrew
Saturday, December 8, 2018 - Starts at 2:00 PM
Characters are brought to life in this amazing two-person, one hour performance of Shakespeare’s famous comedy The Taming of the Shrew. The audience will be engaged with professional actors from Kentucky Shakespeare. Ages 6+
**Nutcracker Storytime with Louisville Ballet**
Wednesday, December 12, 2018 - Starts at 6:30 PM
Children of all ages and their families are invited to a special Nutcracker Family Storytime with Louisville Ballet. The event features a Louisville Ballet dancer reading the classic holiday story The Nutcracker, followed by Nutcracker-inspired crafts and activities. Plus, one lucky family will receive 4 tickets to see the Louisville Ballet’s production of The Brown-Forman Nutcracker. Registration is required. Call 502-231-6140.

**A Visit with Santa Pat**
Saturday, December 22, 2018 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Join the Derby City Kringle for stories, an interactive activity, and Selfie opportunity! Santa will share information about reindeer and build a reindeer team. All children will receive a holiday sticker to remember their visit. All ages

**Storytimes Every Wednesday Morning!**
Toddler at 10:15AM  
Preschool at 11AM  
The Library – at the crossroads of knowledge and know-how. Visit www.LFPL.org to learn more.

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Send your business events information to info@ferncreek.org, or contact Jean at 239-7550.

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**Membership News**

**Welcome New Member(s)**

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Louisville, KY 40291 | Tracy Murray  
14103 Harbour Place  
Prospect, KY 40059 |

| Red Edge Realty  
Tony Santora  
6801 Sherry Lane  
Louisville, KY 40291 |

Thank you for becoming a member of the FCCACC.

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**Want to be an Active Member?** Then become a volunteer. If you’re a member that enjoys the monthly luncheons, please think about what else you can do. We need you and your ideas, Join a committee and contribute your skills and talents. Anyone can volunteer for an event or committee.

To volunteer for an event or Committee (Building & Maintenance, Membership/PR, or Programs), please send your contact and availability information to: info@ferncreek.org or contact Jean at 239-7550.
If you are interested in being a Spotlight Business in the Communicator, please give Jean a call at the Chamber 239-7550. You can write up your own insert for the newsletter and send it to info@ferncreek.org, or you can give us the information and we will get it done for you!

**Holiday Closure**

**FCCACC Office Closure**

I observance of the Thanksgiving and Christmas Holidays, the FCCACC Office will be closed on the following days:

- Thursday, November 22nd
- Friday, November 23rd
- Monday, December 24th
- Tues, December 25th

**Holiday Closure**
Special Holiday Message From the FCCACC

The Chamber’s Board of Directors wishes our members, our friends and their families the happiest of Holiday Seasons and a bright, healthy and prosperous New Year!

It’s the Season to say Thank You. As the year comes to a close, we would like to express our appreciation for your continued support.

Happy Holidays
Peace Love Joy

Thank you for being a member of the Fern Creek Community Center & Chamber of Commerce!
JOIN THE FCCACC!

The FCCACC is comprised of individuals, businesses, civic and civil servants, volunteers, retirees and students who live, work and play in the Fern Creek, Highview and Buechel areas. Together we represent a cooperative and collective effort to maintain and enhance the business and social climate of our combined communities.

MEMBER BENEFITS

As a member of the FCCACC you’ll participate in many benefits, of which the following are a few:

🌟 Participation in a forum for addressing your business and community needs.

🌟 Interaction with other business associations.

🌟 Become part of a unified voice to utilize the services of government and public agencies.

🌟 Business associations are eligible for matching grants and technical assistance through NCD.

🌟 Increase the awareness of your business services.

🌟 Regular monthly events such as luncheons and other social activities.

🌟 Involvement in zoning actions, land and other proposed development activities in our area.

🌟 An annual online Membership Directory.

MEMBERSHIP FEES

- Business or Organization Annual membership dues — $150.00 per/yr.
- Individual membership dues — $40.00 per/yr.

As a first time member, you may join at any time of the year. Our membership year is January through December. Dues are pro-rated based upon the joining month! Beginning in July your dues are the remainder of the current year, and a full membership for next year.

**Complete the Application on our web page at:** http://www.ferncreek.org/join.php

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