

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Adwear Specialties, *Bob Werneke*, (651) 699-0696.

LeeAnn Chin, *Nancy Palmer*, (651) 698-7522

HBA ANNOUNCES NEW SPRING EVENT!

“GARAGEFEST 2008”

FRIDAY & SATURDAY- MAY 16 & 17

Garage Festival, *sponsored in part by Pinehurst Bank*, is a two day event happening at garages, yards and sidewalks in the Highland Area of St. Paul. Shoppers can take advantage of yard sales going on at homes in the area and deep discounts from local businesses. Garage Festival is the perfect remedy for Minnesotans hoping to get a jump on the yard sale season in the historic and beautiful Highland area. To have your business participate, call 651-259-1204 and leave a message. Participation is FREE, however; to be listed in our Villager ad we require a \$25.00 fee.



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Business
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(651) 699-9042
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If you have an open house or some other event that you would like to include in our next calendar, please contact us at 651-699-9042, or email sharris@highlandba.com.

Thursday, May 8, 8:00 a.m., HBA Board of Directors Meeting; 790 Cleveland Ave. S., Suite 225.

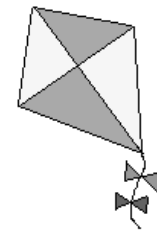
Thursday, May 29, 2008. *Coffee Break at Pinehurst Bank.* 7:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. FREE to attend!

Highland Fest™, July 18 - 20, 2008. For more information, please refer to our website at www.highlandfest.com.

CITY OF SAINT PAUL BAD CHECK DIVERSION PROGRAM BRINGS CREATIVE SOLUTIONS TO ASSISTING VICTIMS

Under the program, the City will contract with Financial Crime Services to work with business owners who receive a NSF or closed account check to contact the offender, investigate and seek restitution. First time offenders will be diverted out of the court system provided they pay full restitution, including fees and entered into a financial counseling program. Offenders who repeatedly write bad checks will be referred to the City Attorney's Office for prosecution.

For a copy of the restitution guide, contact the HBA Office at 651-699-9042.



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WELCOME TO OUR 2008 HIGHLAND BUSINESS ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

OFFICERS:

President: *Chad Curran*, Highland Bank
Vice-President: *Dr. Anne Langford*, Langford Chiropractic
Secretary: *Terry Cullen*, Terrance M. Cullen Law Firm
Treasurer: *Tom Schramer*, Sevenich, Butler, Gerlach & Brazil

BOARD MEMBERS:

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Pastor Duane Hanson, Established Heart Community Church
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Dr. Anne Langford, Langford Chiropractic
Blake Montpetit, Tiffany's Sports Bar & Grill
Jodie Leko, Sociale Gourmet, Highland Park
Michael Robison, R.F. Moeller Jeweler
Sally Staggert, Franciscan Health Community

ADVISORY BOARD:

John Fox, Ford Motor Company
Lisa Hyatt, TeaSource
Sylvia Lee, EmbroidMe
Mark Moeller, R.F. Moeller Jeweler

Our board of directors meets monthly on the second Thursday of each month. They are required to miss no more than three board meetings per year and must either chair or serve on a committee. Thank you to these dedicated people for volunteering to serve as this year's board.

Pinehurst Bank promoted *Marilee Martin Jager*, Credit Analyst, to Officer and *PaNhia Vue* to Senior Teller.

TEASOURCE ANNOUNCES IT'S SPRING 2008 CLASS SCHEDULE!

Pre-registration is required; classes cost \$10.00 for each participant, paid in full at time of registration. Classes run April - May; the next class is listed below:

RARE BASICS:

For the tea enthusiast, this session explores what makes a tea rare. Find out how we classify our teas and why they are considered rare. Try exotic, limited production teas from a variety of regions. Sample the rarest from each category, including our new yellow tea!

Saturday, April 26th, 9-11 a.m. at Highland Park

MOM & ME TEA:

Treat Mom to a Tea Party this Mother's Day!

Spend quality time with Mom while learning about tea and tea preparation. Enjoy savory snacks, play games, and sample a variety of delicious beverages. **All mothers will receive complimentary flowers.**

This class is intended for all ages. Registration is \$10. Children 10 and under are free.

NOTE: This is NOT a High Tea event. We will not have bone-china or lace, but we will have a lot of fun!

Saturday, May 10th, 9-11 a.m. at Highland Park

NEW TEAS:

Be among the first to taste and learn about our exciting new teas. TeaSource imports a lot of teas directly from the tea estates, so you may not be able to find the same teas anywhere else in the United States! Sample amazing, new teas from the most recent harvest. Try exotic, limited production teas from a variety of tea estates. Explore teas from each category and have all your tea questions answered!

Thursday, May 15th, 7-9 p.m. at Highland Park

ICED TEA BASICS:

Shake off the dull feeling of winter with this popular tasting and preparation workshop. We will demonstrate at least three different ways to make iced tea and discuss the benefits of each. We will also discuss ways to incorporate other ingredients with tea to make tasty new creations. Explore a variety of iced tea drinks and tea traditions.

Wednesday, May 21st, 7-9 p.m. at Highland Park.



**HIGHGROVE
COMMUNITY FEDERAL
CREDIT UNION NEW
BUILDING UPDATE**

Highgrove's new building is close to completion and the anticipated opening will be the first week of June. The new building will be near the intersection of West 7th Street, Lexington Parkway and Montreal Avenue. This new location will allow us to better serve our membership through expanded Saturday service hours, off street parking, and the addition of drive thru service lanes. Highgrove is proud to offer a full line of business services designed to meet the needs of large and small business, as well as non-profit organizations. To learn more about how Highgrove Community Federal Credit Union can help your business. Contact Joe McKenzie at 651-287-8691 or email me at joem@highgrove.org.

EUPHORIA SALON ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

ON SUNDAY MAY 4TH, 2008, FROM 10AM TO 4PM, EUPHORIA SALON IS HOSTING THEIR 4TH ANNUAL HAIR CUT-A-THON FUNDRAISER TO BENEFIT THE BREAST CANCER AWARENESS ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA. WWW.BCAAMN.ORG

FOR YOUR \$30 DONATION, YOU WILL RECEIVE:

- A "GREAT" HAIR CUT & STYLE
- A GIFT BAG – AVEDA & AMERICAN CREW PRODUCTS

APPETIZERS & REFRESHMENTS BY:

PIZZA LUCE', ACME DELI, HIGHLAND GRILL, SHE COOKS, KOWALSKI'S, LUNDS, THOMAS (LIQUOR) PREMIER WINE SHOP

GUESTS ARE REQUIRED TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT: 651-698-6385

WE ARE BOOKING UP FAST, PLEASE PHONE TODAY

MAKE IT A GROUP EVENT WITH THOSE IN YOUR ORGANIZATION

20% OFF ALL PRODUCTS!

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256 SOUTH CLEVELAND AVE
ST. PAUL, MN. 55105

**7TH STREET STORAGE GRAND OPENING
SATURDAY MAY 3, 2008 11:00AM – 2:00PM**

The public is invited to the 7th Street Storage Grand Opening. To assist in fighting identity theft, 7th Street Storage will be sponsoring FREE Shredding of your sensitive personal information. Entrance to the facility is located off Homer 1/2 way between W. 7th Street and Sheppard Road. Stop in and drop off up to 5 bags or boxes for shredding. Shred-It will have a truck on-site to handle all the shredding (no need to remove staples, paper clips, plastic binding, etc).

In addition to the free shredding, there will be prize drawings every half hour, coupons for free rent, literature hand outs, and a self-guided tour of the new 7th Street Storage facility. 7th Street Storage offers temperature controlled storage, drive-up accessible storage, and outdoor RV and boat storage. In addition, 7th Street Storage rents trucks and sells boxes, tape and other moving/packing supplies. 7th Street Storage is located at 2060 W. 7th Street. Entry to the facility for shredding and tours is on Homer between W. 7th St. and Sheppard Rd. Please call the office, at 651-698-5777, with any questions and please visit our website at www.7thstreetstorage.com.

**COLLEGE NANNIES & TUTORS
SUMMER PROGRAMS**

College Nannies & Tutors will be offering 20 hour programs in typical 1:1 fashion out of the St. Paul Learning Center. They will be in the following areas:

- * Math Building – Foundations, Life-Applications, and Enrichment (3 separate programs)
- * Literacy Promotions – New Readers, Reading Comprehension, Summer Book Club (3 separate programs)
- * Writing – Art of the Essay, Creative Writing
- * College Prep – SAT/ACT
- * Study Skills – Become a Better Student
- * Summer Bridge – review last year's work and proactively explore next year's material
- * Various Electives – Diverse programs including: North African Film, Poetry, Finances 101, Science Fiction Lit/Film, Philosophy, Mad Scientist

Beginning June 15th through Sept 1st. Interested parties can call 651-209-3095 for more details.

**SUPPORT HIGHLAND CATHOLIC SCHOOL BY
SHOPPING HI-CBAY: SWING ONLINE AUCTION
GOING ON APRIL 17- 28!**

BIDDING CLOSES AT 8 P.M. MONDAY APRIL 28TH.
GO TO WWW.HIGHLANDCATHOLIC.ORG.

HERE'S A SAMPLING OF THE ITEMS
UP FOR BIDDING....

- IPODS AND BOSE DOCKING STATION
- SPORTING EVENT TICKETS
- GREAT GETAWAYS
- GIFT CERTIFICATES TO AREA RESTAURANTS,
CAR WASHES AND FAMILY ADVENTURES

NO LINES.

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PROCEEDS GO TO SUPPORT THE TEACHERS AND CHILDREN OF
HIGHLAND CATHOLIC SCHOOL.

MERCHANDISE CAN BE PICKED UP AND PAID FOR AT
HIGHLAND CATHOLIC SCHOOL OFFICE OR BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS.

TO REGISTER AND SHOP, GO TO
WWW.HIGHLANDCATHOLIC.ORG AND CLICK ON THE
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Around the corner.**

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Plan to visit the *Park Midway Bank* booth at the Living Green Expo on May 3 & 4. The Expo will be held in the Grandstand at the State Fairgrounds.

The *Living Green Expo* is Minnesota's largest environmental event. The event is free to visitors and features over 200 exhibitors who showcase environmentally sound products, services and practices, and offers dozens of workshops on topics ranging from choosing "green" building products to do-it-yourself organic lawn and landscape care. For more information go to www.livinggreen.org.

VIP SEATING AT THE SAINTS!

Buca di Beppo has partnered with the *St. Paul Saints* to create a unique dining experience for guests while they watch the action of the game. Interested? Read below for more details!

- Complete with Buca's signature décor, this table for six is located behind first base and between the visitors' dugout and the bullpen- up close and personal to the action on the field!
- Guests are treated to a full meal, served by Buca di Beppo wait staff to complement the pace of innings. This mouth watering, family-style Italian meal includes red wine, a cold antipasto platter, Italian bread, mixed green salad with Italian vinaigrette, your choice of two amazing pasta dishes and, of course, our famous garlic mashed potatoes and tiramisu!
- The Buca Table is a fun, unique and laid-back setting, perfect for your next corporate outing, family get-together, birthday or anniversary celebration, or if you just want to eat really good food while catching a Saints game!
- Game dates available on a first-come-first-serve basis throughout the entire summer (May-August).
- Available to purchase for only \$450.00 (roughly \$75 per person). Includes game admission, full Buca di Beppo meal served by accommodating wait staff and some of the best seats in the entire ballpark.
- Interested? Contact Chris Tierney (manager) or Melissa Hill (event coordinator) at Buca di Beppo- St. Paul; 651-772-4388 OR stpaul@bucadibeppo.com If you are unable to reach Chris, please contact Melissa Hill @ 651-269-4363.