



Greater Casa Grande  
Chamber of Commerce

## ***BUSINESS UPDATE***

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### **Business of the Week**



Congratulations to Business of the Week, [\*\*David Rafeedie Coaching\*\*](#). David brings life experience and education in leadership, team building, staff development, conflict management, and strategic planning to his coaching acumen. He spent 30 years as a pastor in churches of various sizes coaching individuals and teams.

David has been formally coaching since 2015, has 64 hours of coach-specific training and has his International Coach Federation ACC credential. Along with his ACC credential, he earned an M.S. in Business Organizational Management, two theological degrees, and is a certified Harrison Solutions Consultant.

Whether in the business world or ministry, David's goal has been to help

people around him achieve their goals and to grow personally. If you or your business would benefit from David's professional coaching, please contact him at 520-709-1860 and tell him the Greater Casa Grande Chamber of Commerce sent you.

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# Chamber Networking Events

Register prior to the event on our website by clicking the event links

## October Business After Hours

**Wednesday, October 27, 5:15pm – 7:00pm**  
**Caywood Farms, 841 Highway 287, Casa Grande**

- ~Make Connections and Build Business Relationships~
- ~Enjoy tasty appetizers~
- ~New Member Plaque Presentations~
- ~Raffles - 50/50 CA\$H Drawing~

**No charge for Chamber member representatives to attend!**  
**\$20 for prospective members to attend.**

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**Promote your business, even when you can't be there in person!**

*If your organization would like to donate branded items, swag, gift cards or other goodies as door prizes for our popular evening mixers, please call us or drop items off at the Chamber office.*

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**Last minute registrations still available!**

## Annual Fall Golf Tournament

**Friday, November 5, 2021**

8:00am Shotgun Start



11 Mission Parkway South, Casa Grande, AZ 85194

**Register Online HERE**  
**for Golf and Sponsorships!**



**\* Registration is no longer conducted via email or phone \***  
Instead utilize our convenient online registration and payment feature for members only!  
View the full Chamber Events Calendar any time at [www.casagrandechamber.org](http://www.casagrandechamber.org)

**Haven't set up your online Representative Account to register for Chamber events?**

1. Your USERNAME is your first name or your email address
2. Your PASSWORD can be set or reset by clicking "Forgot your password?" and following the email instructions
3. Once your account login is established, you will have access to the complete description of golf and sponsorships
4. You may choose to be invoiced, or pay with a credit card at the time of registration
5. Once your registration is complete, a confirmation email is sent containing either an invoice or your paid receipt

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## **GOLF: \$100/person or \$380/foursome**

Includes 18 holes of golf, cart, swag bag, drink tickets, and buffet lunch.

On-Course and Fun Hole opportunities! Awards/Prize Ceremony!

**Hole in One Opportunity – Win a 2021 Can-Am Maverick Max x3 XRS Turbo RR**

## **\*\* Additional Team Packages starting at \$480 \*\***

**Packages include valuable, time and money-saving options including:**

EXTRA Drink Tickets

Tickets for Prize Drawings and 50/50 Cash Drawing

Mulligans and Toss-Ups for each player

Team Buy-A-Drive Advantage

Promotional Opportunities

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## **SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

View full details after setting up your Representative Account on our [website](#) Events tab – Chamber Calendar

*19<sup>th</sup> Hole Lunch Sponsor - Includes Golf Foursome - \$1000*

*Tee Sponsor - \$100*

*Hat Sponsor (Exclusive) - Donate 150 branded Hats*

*Prize Sponsor – Donate a prize for our drawing (\$50 minimum value)*

*Swag Sponsor - Donate 150 branded items for Golfer Swag Bags*

**For more information or if you would like assistance setting up your login access to register for golf and/or a sponsorship, please contact the Chamber at 520-836-2125**

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## **Remembering Fernando Cornejo**

We were deeply shocked and saddened to learn of the recent passing of community leader and Chamber member, Fernando Cornejo.



Fernando Cornejo served our community in many ways including but not limited to Against Abuse, Inc., Casa Grande Rotary Club, Valley Humane Society., Cesar E. Chavez Memorial Committee and Honoring/Hiring/Helping our Heroes of Pinal County. Fernando was a member of the Chamber's Board of Directors, and recipient of the Chamber's 2010 Business Leader Award.

He will be missed but not forgotten.

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## Making the most of a Member Moment

We were happy to present Hilary Adams, Licensed Sales Agent with new Chamber Member, [Devoted Health](#), their member Plaque.

Devoted Health offers Medicare Advantage plans, stating "At Devoted Health, we want to make your healthcare easier, more affordable, and a whole lot more caring."

Learn more, call 520-808-5021.



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## Business Briefs

October's Monthly Fly-In Breakfast is hosted by the Pinal Lodge #30 Masons, Saturday, October 30, 7:00am, at the [Casa Grande Airport](#), 3225 North Lear Avenue. Breakfast includes: Biscuits and Gravy, Eggs & Bacon, Pancakes & Sausage, Coffee & Juice. Only \$8 per person. This event is hosted monthly, the last Saturday of the month.

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The [Arizona Commerce Authority](#) has announced the following Boot Camp sessions:

Thursday, October 28 | 9:00am | **Your Business on TikTok** | [Learn More and Register Here](#).

Tuesday, November 2 | 9:00am | **How to Handle Haters** | [Learn More and Register Here](#).

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[CrossRoads Church](#) is hosting their 3rd Annual Casa Grande Thunderfest Custom Car & Bike Show, Saturday, November 6 - 9:00am - 2:00pm, at 3151 North Piper Road, Casa Grande. \$30 per entry, \$40 at the gate - Pre-register NOW. Learn about categories [www.crossroadscg.com](http://www.crossroadscg.com) (space is limited). Sponsorship available, call 520-509-6731.

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The [Pinal Chapter of West & Southeast Realtors® of the Valley \(WESERV\)](#) is hosting the [Pinal 5k Realtor® Memorial Run](#), "Rock for a Cause, 7:00am - 11:00pam, Saturday, November 13, 2021, at Carr McNatt Park, 1115 North Brown Avenue, Casa Grande. This "Rock Band" themed



memorial run is in remembrance of friends and colleagues who lost their battle with cancer. Registration - \$40 for runners.

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[Academy Mortgage - Dawn Svoboda](#) invites you to learn more buying vs. renting. Check out this [comparison flyer](#). Learn more, visit [their website](#) or call 520-316-1341.

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## YTD City and County Stats

### [City of Casa Grande Building Permit Valuation Report](#)



[Pinal County Building Permits](#)

[Pinal County Manufactured Home Permits](#)

[Pinal County Income and Labor Force Stats](#)

[Tax Collections by Municipality](#)

[AZ Taxable Retail Sales by County](#)

[AZ Taxable Remote Seller Sales by County](#)

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## Membership has its benefits!

**Did you know...** The Greater Casa Grande Chamber of Commerce will provide **Certificates of Origin at no cost to Chamber-member businesses?** This is a significant money-saving benefit to our members who are manufacturers, processors, and distributors. For more information, contact the Chamber at 520-836-2125, or [email our office](#).

To learn more about other [membership perks](#), contact Ken Saltzmann at the Chamber, 520-836-2125, or [membership@casagrandechamber.org](mailto:membership@casagrandechamber.org).

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## Meet Your 2021 Chamber Board of Directors

Your Greater Casa Grande Chamber of Commerce is served by a Board of Directors that represents our business members and advocates on behalf of our business community.

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