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## UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **May 6th:** *AM Networking; Moody Memorial First United Methodist Church—2803 53rd Street, 7:30am*
- **May 6th:** *Ribbon Cutting—Capital Q BBQ and Bar; 1228 Seawall Blvd, 5:00pm*
- **May 8th:** *General Election to elect the Mayor and 6 Council Members by district*
- **May 13th:** *On*

## What's happening at the [Galveston Chamber...](#)

### HAVE YOU LOGGED ON LATELY?

Did you know that you can log on to [www.chamberlogin.com](http://www.chamberlogin.com) to update your Galveston Chamber information?

Take advantage of these great features:

- **Business Directory Listing**—your business information is available to consumers through the Chamber's website. Visitors can search by category, keyword or alphabetically.
- **Online Informational Brochure**—your own page on [www.GalvestonChamber.com](http://www.GalvestonChamber.com)! For FREE you can include the following:
  - Description of your business
  - Hours of operation
  - Driving directions
  - Up to 8 keywords (These help identify your business when a website visitor does a keyword search on the business directory.)
- **Event Posting**—add your business' events to the Chamber's online events calendar. Chamber website visitors can add your event to their calendar on Outlook, email the details to a friend and even request an automatically generated email reminder for your event!
- **"Email to a Friend" Link**—visitors to your Online Informational Brochure may select a link to email your business information to a friend

Site Spotlight

AM

Networking;

Kilgore

Attorney &  
Mediation—

2501 65th  
Street Suite B,  
7:30am

- **May 20th:** AM  
Networking;  
Moody  
Memorial First  
United  
Methodist  
Church—2803  
53rd Street,  
7:30am

- **May 20th:**  
After-5  
Business Mixer  
at Texas State  
Optical; 515  
22nd Street,  
5:00pm

- **May 27th:** AM  
Networking;  
Moody  
Memorial First  
United  
Methodist  
Church—2803  
53rd Street,  
7:30am

business information to a friend.

Please email [ekay@galvestonchamber.com](mailto:ekay@galvestonchamber.com) if you do not have your login name and password.

\*\*\*The information for the 2010-2011 Membership Directory and Guide has already been sent to the publisher. If you would like any changes you make to your information to be reflected in these publications, please advise the Chamber office immediately at (409) 763-5326.

## AFTER 5 BUSINESS MIXER AT TSO

Join us Thursday May 20, 2010 at Texas State Optical (515 22nd Street) for May's After-5 Business Mixer.

Free for members, yes that's YOU! If you're receiving this email, then you are encouraged to attend for free!

\$50 for non-members (Join within 30 days and this will be applied to your membership dues!)

After-5 Business Mixers are a great way to make connections in the Galveston business community.

## ELECTION DAY THIS SATURDAY

Don't forget to fulfill your civic duty this Saturday May 8, 2010! Let your voice be heard in the process of selecting our new Mayor and City Council.

Click here to view the [Notice of General Election](#) issued by the City of Galveston in English and in Spanish. This includes news about the election, a list of polling places and early voting information.

Click here to view the Election [District Map](#)

Click here to view the [Candidates' responses to the Chamber's questionnaire](#), [video footage of the Chamber's Candidate Forum](#) and the [Chamber's Grade Card](#)



June 7th.

Ribbon  
Cutting—SMI  
Agency; 1802  
Broadway,  
Suite 118,  
4:00pm

- **July 22nd:**  
After-5  
Business Mixer  
and Ribbon  
Cutting at Bar  
None; Located  
in the Diamond  
Beach  
Condominiums  
at 10327  
Seawall Blvd,  
5:00pm

Click [here](#) to view  
the Galveston  
Chamber of  
Commerce's  
Calendar of Events.

# Spotlight on Small Business



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include the following:

1. A small paragraph describing what services/products your business offers
2. Contact information you would like to include
3. Your logo (optional)

