



Galveston Chamber of Commerce's...

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **March 10th:** *Island Café New Member Ribbon Cutting; 1017 61st Street, 11:00am*
- **March 11th:** *On Site AM Networking Spotlight; Island Engineering, Home of the Inspector General; 1407 39th Street, 7:30am*
- **March 13th:** *Galveston County Fair and Rodeo Ribbon Cutting to celebrate new entertainment pavilion; Fair Grounds, 2:00pm*
- **March 16th:** *Galveston Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors Meeting; Chamber Board Room, 7:30am*
- **March 17th:** *ADT Security Ribbon Cutting; 519 25th Street (Chamber office), 5:00pm*
- **March 18th:** *After 5 Business Mixer; Gaido's Seafood Restaurant, 3800 Seawall Blvd*
- **March 23rd:** *Chamber Night at Chili's; Chili's Restaurant, 500 Seawall Blvd*
- **April 1st:** *Galveston Council and Mayoral Candidate Forum Breakfast; Hotel Galvez, 2021 Seawall, 7:30am. Follow this [link](#) and click "Register Now!" to purchase tickets.*

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

What's happening at the Galveston Chamber...

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- Special Honor Awards, \$450
- Welcome Bags, \$450

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Photos taken by **Manny Chan**. Thank you **Manny!**

164TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE GALVESTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



The Galveston Chamber of Commerce 164th Annual Meeting was held this past Thursday in the San Luis Hotel Ballroom. It was the most attended Annual Meeting on record in the Galveston Chamber's history! The event celebrated businesses that had been in operation for 100 years or more. The following individuals were also honored:

- Ambassador of the Year—**JessieAnn Bradshaw**
- Ambassador Newcomer—**Reece Wood**
- Volunteer of the Year, Advocacy—**Dolph Tillotson**
- Volunteer of the Year, Governmental Affairs—**Vic Pierson**
- Christie Mitchell Beachcomber Award—**Galveston.com**
- Small Business of the Year—**Katie's Seafood**
- Outstanding Event Chair—**Teri Wenglein Callender**
- Entrepreneur of the Year—**Allen Flores**
- Large Business of the Year—**Malin International Ship Repair & Drydock, Inc.**



GET REGISTERED TO VOTE

The Galveston Chamber of Commerce will be facilitating a series of voter registration drives at YOUR businesses, making it convenient for your staff to register to vote!

If you would like the Galveston Chamber to conduct a voter registration drive at your business, please email ekay@galvestonchamber.com.

CORRECTION

The Galveston Chamber of Commerce would like to congratulate **Vic's Jewelry** for more than 75 years in business. Vic's was inadvertently left off of the "over 75" list in our program at the Annual Meeting. Congratulations **Vic's Jewelry!**

Spotlight on Small Business



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Please email ekay@galvestonchamber.com and 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)

