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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Yesterday at the
2017 Board Retreat,
held at the beautiful
Omni Orlando Resort at ChampionsGate
(Thank you Robert Stanfield, General Manager),
elections for the
2018 Board of Directors
were officially ratified.

Congratulations
to the following individuals who have been
Elected and Re-elected to the
2018 CFHLA Board of Directors:

Stephanie Banks
[DoubleTree by Hilton Orlando Downtown](#)
(Re-Elected)

Brad Boland
[CLC World Resorts & Hotels](#)
(Newly Elected)

Honorees

**November Allied
Member of the Month**



Greg Moore
[The Mall at Millenia](#)

**November Lodging
Member of the Month**



Melissa Jean
[Residence Inn by
Marriott near Universal](#)

**2017
CFHLA Executive
Committee**

Chairperson
Dave Bartek
[Loews Hotels](#)

1st Vice Chairperson
Fred Sawyers
[Walt Disney World
Swan and Dolphin Resort](#)

2nd Vice Chairperson
Brian Comes
[Hyatt Regency Orlando](#)

Ross Burke

[Blue Heron Beach Resort](#)
(Re-Elected)

Gina Fedotova

[Residence Inn Orlando Convention Center](#)
(Newly Elected)

Siegbert Kindl

[Crowne Plaza Orlando-Downtown](#)
(Newly Elected)

Jon McGavin

[Ritz-Carlton Orlando, Grande Lakes](#)
(Re-Elected)

Wade Michael

[Quality Suites Royale Parc Suites](#)
(Newly Elected)

Chris Mueller

[Hilton Orlando](#)
(Newly Elected)

Mark Politte

[DoubleTree by Hilton at the Entrance to Universal Orlando](#)
(Re-Elected)

Cheryl Seckman

[Courtyard by Marriott Orlando Downtown](#)
(Re-Elected)

Nina Shirk

[Hyatt Place Orlando Convention Center & Hyatt Place Orlando Universal](#)
(Newly Elected)

Cindy Staley

[Sheraton Lake Buena Vista Resort](#)
(Re-Elected)

Jeff Swirsky

[Holiday Inn Resort Orlando Lake Buena Vista](#)
(Re-Elected)

Michael Wilke

Keith Wolling

Treasurer

Jesse Martinez
[The Alford Inn at Rollins](#)

Assistant Treasurer

Sonja Giselbrecht
[Sheraton Suites](#)
[Orlando Airport](#)

Historian

Peter Kacheris
[Hilton Orlando Bonnet](#)
[Creek / Waldorf Astoria](#)
[Orlando](#)

Immediate Past Chair

Gerald Urquiola
[Caribe Royale Orlando](#)

Partners of the Month:

Board Retreat

[Spectrum Enterprises](#)

**Downtown Area General
Managers Meeting**

[Spectrum Enterprises](#)

Executive Committee Meeting

[Regal Paint Company](#)

**Governmental Affairs
Committee Meeting**

[Spinout Guest Laundries, Inc.](#)

**Quarterly Networking
Luncheon**

[Pirate's Dinner Adventure](#)

**Seminole County General
Managers Luncheon**

[Driveway Maintenance, Inc.](#)

**Silver Partner Board
Installation Luncheon**

[Mid Florida Golf Cars](#)

**Vacation Ownership Council
Luncheon**

[Minuteman Press](#)

(Newly Elected)

Duane Winjum

[Melia Orlando Suite Hotel](#)
(Re-Elected)

Glen Winsor

[Hilton Orlando Bonnet Creek](#)
(Newly Re-Elected)

Brian Wong

[Celebration Suites Hotel](#)
(Re-Elected)

*These professionals will join the following members
serving on the 2018 Board of Directors:*

2018 Executive Committee:

Chairperson

Fred Sawyers

[Walt Disney World Swan and Dolphin Resort](#)

1st Vice Chairperson

Brian Comes

[Hyatt Regency Orlando](#)

2nd Vice Chairperson

Keith Wolling

Secretary

Marylouise Fitzgibbon

[Disney's Grand Floridian Resort & Spa](#)

Treasurer

Jesse Martinez

[The Alford Inn at Rollins](#)

Assistant Treasurer

Sonja Giselbrecht

[Sheraton Suites Orlando Airport](#)

Historian

Peter Kacheris

[Hilton Orlando Bonnet Creek / Waldorf Astoria Orlando](#)

Dave Bartek

Loews Hotels

2018 Board Members serving through December 31, 2018:

Lana Burke

Homewood Suites Orlando International Drive/Convention Center

Charles Fisher

Four Seasons Resort Orlando at Walt Disney World Resort

DeAngelo Hammond

Hampton Inn Orlando – International Drive/Convention Center

Carlton Hudson

Hard Rock Hotel at Universal Orlando Resort

Johann Krieger

Gaylord Palms Resort & Convention Center

Anthony Lazzara

Crowne Plaza Orlando Universal

Craig Leicester

Aloft Orlando Downtown

John McCracken

Marriott Village Orlando

Bruce McDonald

Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport

Ron Nagy

Bohemian Hotel Celebration

Rod O'Connor

Avanti Resort Orlando – Paramount Hospitality

Thomas Petrillo

JW Marriott Orlando, Grande Lakes

Frank Quallen

Renaissance Orlando Airport Hotel

Louis Robbins

Key Performance Hospitality Management

Ralph Scatena

Orlando World Center Marriott

Bruce Skwarlo

Orlando Marriott Lake Mary

Robert Stanfield

Omni Orlando Resort at ChampionsGate

Gerald Urquiola

Caribe Royale Orlando

Appointed Members of the Board:

David Chilton

Emmaculate Reflections Cleaning Services

Allied Relations Council Representative

Marylouise Fitzgibbon

Disney's Grand Floridian Resort & Spa

Disney Representative

Jorg Heyer

Sheraton Vistana Villages

Vacation Ownership Council Representative

Jay Hunt

Massey Services, Inc.

Allied Relations Council Representative

Brian Koivu

Bluegreen Corporation

Vacation Ownership Council Representative

Suzette Noble

Disney's Port Orleans Resort – Riverside

Disney Representative

Keith Odza

Wyndham Vacation Rentals

Vacation Rental Council Representative

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[Disney's Saratoga Springs Resort & Spa](#)
Disney Representative

*CFHLA Thanks the following Members of the Board
as they "retire" from CFHLA Board Service:*

Jay Leonard

[Wyndham and Wyndham Garden Lake Buena Vista Resorts](#)
[Disney Springs Resort Area](#)

Cindy Traenkner

[Domino's](#)
Allied Relations Council Representative

Glen Vlastic

[Sheraton Vistana Resort](#)
Vacation Ownership Council Representative

Bob Walsh

[Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld](#)

SILVER

During the annual Board Retreat, CFHLA hosted a special

Board Networking Luncheon

for the **CFHLA Board of Directors** and the
2017 Silver Partner Members.

This luncheon served as an exclusive opportunity for
Silver Partners to meet the 2017 and 2018 Board Members.

*Please find photos of CFHLA 2017 and 2018 Board Members
with 2017 CFHLA Silver Partners below:*



CFHLA Board Members Glen Winsor, General Manager of the Hilton Orlando Bonnet Creek, Cindy Staley, General Manager of the Sheraton Lake Buena Vista Resort, and Ross Burke, General Manager of the Blue Heron Beach Resort with (center right) CFHLA Silver Partner Jose Pinto of Orlando Prestige Painting & Reconstruction



(left to right) CFHLA Assistant Treasurer Sonja Giselbrecht, General Manager of the Sheraton Suites Orlando Airport, CFHLA Food and Beverage Council Member Stephen Moccio, Director of Food and Beverage at the DoubleTree by Hilton at Universal Orlando, and CFHLA Silver Partner Michelle Lippai of Driveway Maintenance, Inc.



CFHLA Silver Partners Devon Hunter of CoolThings Sales & Services with Mike Lewis of Foliage Design Systems



CFHLA 1st Vice Chairman Fred Sawyers, Complex General Manager of the Walt Disney World Swan and Dolphin Resort, CFHLA Silver Partner Peter Woodruff of Southeastern Laundry Equipment, and CFHLA Board Member Frank Quillen, General Manager of the Renaissance Orlando Airport Hotel



(left to right) CFHLA Board Member Bruce Skwarlo, General Manager of the Orlando Marriott Lake Mary with CFHLA Silver Partners Keri Burns of Edlen Electrical Exhibition Services of Orlando, and Ron Silveira of F.P.I.S, Inc. Brochure Distribution and Travel Marketing

HOGAN

CFHLA shall honor

Steve Hogan

CEO, Florida Citrus Sports

with its most prestigious and highest honor, the

**2017 CFHLA Charles Andrews Memorial
Hospitality Award for
Community Leadership.**



Mr. Hogan will be honored at the
CFHLA Hospitality Gala,
the Industry's largest annual Holiday Gala event, on
Saturday, December 16
at the beautiful
Hyatt Regency Orlando
(Thank you Brian Comes, General Manager).

The Charles Andrews Memorial Hospitality Award for
Community Leadership is presented to an individual whose actions
have positively contributed to both the Central Florida Tourism Industry
and the Greater Orlando Community.

Congratulations Steve Hogan!

HONORS

The
2018 Allied Relations Council Board
Election Results were announced during the final 2017
Allied Relations Council Breakfast
at
The Sharks Underwater Grill
in
SeaWorld Orlando.

2018 Allied Relations Council Board

is as follows:

2018 ARC Board Officers:

Chairperson

Jay Hunt

Massey Services, Inc.

Vice Chairperson

David Chilton

Emmaculate Reflections Cleaning Services

Immediate Past Chairperson

Cindy Traenkner

Domino's

2018 Returning ARC Board Members:

Miguel Botto

Landscape Maintenance Professionals, Inc.

Keri Burns

Edlen Electrical Exhibition Services of Orlando

Linda Grier

Greenery Productions, Inc

Maureen Haggerty

Spinout Guest Laundries, Inc.

Michael Hanley

Wealth Management Strategies of Central Florida

Beth Neal

Disney Destinations

Steve Vinciguerra

SeaWorld Parks & Resorts

April Walker

ABM Building Services, LLC

Amy Walsh

Darrin Whipple

[Blue Squid Solutions, Inc.](#)

Peter Woodruff

[Southeastern Laundry Equipment](#)

2018 Newly Elected & Re-elected ARC Board Members:

David Baird

[Vermana](#)

Jacqueline Bozzuto

[Lowndes, Drosdick, Doster, Kantor & Reed, P.A.](#)

David George

[BrightView Landscape Services](#)

Steve Kliamenakis

[Barker Specialty Florida](#)

Mike Lewis

[Foliage Design Systems](#)

Laurayne Madden Weeks

[Balloons by Renee](#)

Rick Patterson

[Associated Planners Group](#)

Vicki Petersen

[Waste Management, Inc. of Florida](#)

John Wood

[RAM Striping](#)

Per the CFHLA Allied Relations Council Bylaws, each ARC Board Member may serve a total of 2 Two Year Terms. After completion of those 2 Terms, the Board Member must step down for a minimum of two years.

The Council Leadership recognized the following four Allied Relations Council Board Members who will term out on December 31, 2017.

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[Awnclean USA, Inc.](#)

Debra Ray

[Florida in Motion Realty](#)

Steve Dobbins

[Harper Building Systems](#)

Bill Droste

[Orlando Brewing](#)

The Allied Relations Council Board thanks these members for their dedication and support of the Council during their terms.



(left to right) Debra Ray of Florida in Motion Realty, Bill Droste of Orlando Brewing, CFHLA VIP Member Amy Diehl of Awnclean USA, Inc., and CFHLA VIP Member Steve Dobbins of Harper Building Systems

Additionally, CFHLA salutes

Cindy Traenkner

of [Domino's](#)

for her exceptional leadership as the
2017 ARC Chairman.

Lastly, CFHLA wishes to thank

Steve Vinciguerra

and the staff at

SeaWorld Parks & Resorts

for hosting this end of the year breakfast.

Please find below photographs of CFHI A Allied Members







The 2018 Allied Relations Council Board

HANLEY

CFHLA would like to THANK
CFHLA Silver Partner Member

Michael Hanley

of

Wealth Management Strategies of Central Florida

for serving as the

Allied Member Testimonial

for the

2017 New Member Orientations.



Thank you for your support of New Members!

VIP

Meet the VIP Member:



Harper Building Systems has been in business in Central Florida since 1901.

As a part of the Limbach, Inc corporation, Harper is one of the largest Design Build Mechanical HVACR, Plumbing & DDC contractors in the State of Florida.

Fun Fact:

Harper worked on the upgrade to the new Camping World Stadium with all the HVAC & Plumbing. It was a challenging yet rewarding project!

***THANK YOU
Harper Building Systems
for your Dedication to CFHLA!***

NOMINATIONS

In January, CFHLA will produce the annual
Golden Pineapple Awards Dinner
to recognize the
Outstanding Customer Service
provided by
**Front Line / Hourly/ Non-Supervisory /
Non-Management Lodging Employees**
of Central Florida.

This year's recognition event is currently accepting
nominations for the following service categories:

Back Office

(Accounting, Administrative, IT, HR)

Bell Person / Concierge

Community Service

Convention Center / Banquet

Culinary

Engineering

Food & Beverage

Front Office

(PBX, Reservations, etc.)

Housekeeping

Laundry

Recreational

(Pool/Spa/Golf/Kids Activities)

Security / Loss Prevention

Steward / Dishwasher

To download the official nomination

Please note, the deadline for these nominations is

Friday, December 15.

If you have any questions regarding this process,
please contact Kim Gordon - specialevents@cfhla.org.

PARTNERS IN ACTION

Recently,

Massey Services, Inc.

presented the "Talk of the Town" Restaurant Group's

"Teacher of the Month" Awards

to their

Adopt-A-School Partner

Killarney Elementary.

Each of the recipients also received a \$50 gift certificate.



CFHLA Board Member Jay Hunt of Massey Services, Inc. with September Teacher of the Month,



CFHLA Board Member Jay Hunt of Massey Services, Inc. with October Teacher of the Month, Rebecca Holcomb - Kindergarten Teacher



CFHLA Board Member Jay Hunt of Massey Services, Inc. with November Teacher of the Month, Brandi Bowser - Kindergarten Teacher

***THANK YOU MASSEY SERVICES, INC.
FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF
THE CENTRAL FLORIDA COMMUNITY!***

HOSPITALITY OPPORTUNITIES

***Below please find current employment opportunities
in the Central Florida Hospitality Industry:***

**Banquet Captain, Director of Catering,
Housekeeping Manager and MORE!
Crowne Plaza Orlando Universal
[CLICK HERE](#) to view open positions.**

**Barista, Front Office Host,
Recreation Attendant and MORE!
Hyatt Hotels of Orlando
[CLICK HERE](#) to view open positions.**

**Specialty Restaurant Chef
JW Marriott Orlando, Grande Lakes
[CLICK HERE](#) to view position.**

**Concierge, Operations Supervisor,
Guest Experience Specialist and MORE!
Marriott International
[CLICK HERE](#) to view open positions.**

**Leisure Sales Manager
Melia Orlando Suite Hotel
[CLICK HERE](#) to view position.**

**Director of Housekeeping, Hotel Manager,
Assistant Guest Services Manager and MORE!
Paramount Hospitality Management
[CLICK HERE](#) to view open positions.**

**Chef De Cuisine, F&B Coordinator,
Leisure Sales Manager and MORE!
Reunion Resort & Spa
[CLICK HERE](#) to view open positions.**

**Assistant Director of Food and Beverage
Ritz-Carlton Orlando, Grande Lakes
[CLICK HERE](#) to view position.**

**Assistant House Manager
Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central Florida
[CLICK HERE](#) to view position.**

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