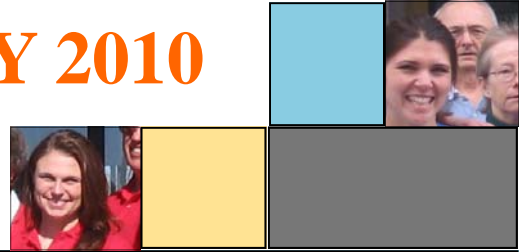




# JANUARY 2010



## AMBASSADOR COMMUNIQUE

**Mission:** Support and advance the economic vitality of the Pikes Peak Region in concert with the Greater Colorado Springs Chamber of Commerce through positive business interaction.

### \*\*\*\*\*NEW LUNCH PROCEDURES\*\*\*\*\*

Starting with our January lunch, everyone is required to rsvp. If you do not rsvp, you will be considered a “no” and lunch will not be ordered for you. You may attend the luncheon meeting without eating (no charge, of course). If you do not rsvp but show up, there is no guarantee of a meal.

You can rsvp by emailing Dj at [dj@csc.org](mailto:dj@csc.org) or responding to the evite that is sent approximately a week prior to the luncheon or registering online (must pay by credit card to use this option). Deadline for responding will still remain 12 noon the Monday prior to the luncheon.

## JANUARY LUNCHEON

to be held on

Wednesday, January 13  
11:30 a.m.—1 p.m.

at



252 E Cheyenne Mountain Blvd, 80906

### Menu:

Fish and Chips  
(Caesar Salad Available)

Price: \$12.00

RSVP by noon on Monday, January 11,  
to [Dj@csc.org](mailto:Dj@csc.org) or

Register on line at:

[www.coloradospringschamber.org](http://www.coloradospringschamber.org), click on  
calendar of events, select January Ambassador  
luncheon

(must pay by credit card to use this option)

## CONGRATULATIONS

NOVEMBER 2009 AMBASSADOR OF THE  
MONTH

TAMMY FOGALL  
COLORADO PUBLISHING COMPANY

NOVEMBER 2009 SPEEDY RABBIT

JOHN VARGAS  
INTELLITEC COLLEGE

## WELCOME

Please welcome the following new Ambassadors:

Becky Cuning  
GE Johnson Construction Company  
Team: Rising Stars

Elizabeth Harrison  
Cheyenne Mountain Resort  
Team: Top Dogs

As we say goodbye to:

John Darling  
Sharon Foster  
Sarah Tucker  
Rob Wenzel

## SANDY'S SANDBOX

Here are this month's events:

Chamber University: Recovering from the Recession - Are You Ready?	January 12 <sup>th</sup>
CRP Professional Development Luncheon- State of the Economy	January 12 <sup>th</sup>
Air Force v. BYU Corporate Night	January 13 <sup>th</sup>
Community Business After Hours	January 21 <sup>st</sup>
Regional Lunch with the Chamber: State of the State-Southern Colorado Working Together in 2010	January 25 <sup>th</sup>

I hope that you can personally attend at least one of these events and remember we always have sponsorship opportunities for any of our events

### JEN'S JIVE

As of December 28, Chamber membership is at 1532! Thank you for all of your member leads and support in our membership efforts!

Events for 2010 are set and will be very outcome driven. If you ever meet people who are looking for more exposure, Chamber events are an excellent and affordable option...just have them give us a call.

Thanks again for all you do for the community and the Chamber of Commerce...here is to a healthy and prosperous 2010!

### CHAMBER ROLLS OUT NEW BRANDING TAG LINE

Belong Connect Prosper

The Chamber will begin using the tag line "Belong Connect Prosper" on all of its collateral and promotional materials starting the first of the year. This will help bring a member-friendly coordination to all of the programs and activities The Chamber already offers. For example, Belong refers to all of our membership initiatives, Connect speaks to our networking and advocacy programs and Prosper refers to the way The Chamber makes you money and saves you money. It is, of course, the final goal of business to create individual and community prosperity. Look for this new tag along with our "Sun" logo as we go into the New Year. (P.S. With an eye on budgets and keeping green, we will not reprint many materials until our current stock is gone.)

### RITA'S RIBBON CUTTINGS

There are currently no ribbon cuttings scheduled for January.

Separate email will be sent as they are scheduled.



FYI-

Amy Van Derbur, Chairperson – 719-360-2058  
Billye Adams-Vice Chair-719-210-8481  
Lori Miller, BAH Volunteer Coordinator: - 719-638-9840  
Gayle Divine, Networking Clinic Coordinator-719-287-4303  
Janet VanOstenbridge, Special Events Coordinator-719-659-9571  
Caryn Becker, Military Affairs Volunteer Coordinator- 719-233-2489  
Carol Pennica, Retention Committee Coordinator—719-572-0447  
Jen Furda, SVP, Member Services – 719-575-4313  
Dj Straight, Membership Division Coordinator- 719-575-4308

### Monthly Team Meetings

#### Dirty Dozen-Bill Coon:

1st Friday after Advisory Board Meeting,  
9 a.m., Coffee Merchants (Tejon Street)

#### Give 'em the Business-Denny McNeill

1st Friday after Advisory Board Meeting,  
7:30 a.m., see team lead for location

#### Rising Starz-Jerry Clark:

1st Thursday after Advisory Board Meeting, 11:30  
a.m., see team lead for location

#### Showing Our Best-Candy Vandenberg

1st Wednesday of month, 4 p.m., see team lead  
for location

#### Top Dogs-Karen Serfass

1st Friday after Advisory Board Meeting, 11:30  
a.m., Hondo's