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### **NOVEMBER 2011 BUSINESS CALENDAR / NEWS RELEASE**

# CHAMBER CONNECTION MEETING SCHEDULE

7-7:30 a.m. Networking, 7:30-9 a.m. Meeting <u>Cost:</u> \$1 at the door, no reservations required

Chamber Connection is an informal networking group open to all Chamber members and anyone interested in learning more about the Chamber. Each meeting includes introductions, brief business presentations, and networking.

November 4: Host: Granite City Food/Brewery

@ 2945 2nd St S

November 11: Host: Duet

@ Crossroads Mall Food Court, Crossroads Center, 4101 West

Division St.

November 18: Host: Spirit 92.9

@ Whitney Senior Center, 1527

Northway Dr.

November 25: No Meeting

# TECHNOLOGY AND EDUCATION CONFERENCE COVERS VARIETY OF BUSINESS TOPICS

Tuesday, Nov. 1, 7:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. <u>Location:</u> Holiday Inn & Suites, 75 37th Ave. S

<u>Cost:</u> free and open to the public, registration required

Ask questions of local service providers, register for door prizes, and choose from 12 breakout sessions covering communications, social media, business finance, information technology, and more. For more information, call 251-2940 or email information@StCloudAreaChamber.com.

# WAITE PARK CHAMBER ANNOUNCES MEETING

Wednesday, November 16, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Host: Tully Tube Network

Location: Waite Park City Hall, 19 13th Ave. N.

All St. Cloud Area Chamber members are welcome and encouraged to bring guests who are interested in Waite Park community issues. The program includes lunch and a presentation on "Nutrition at the Holidays" by Rejuv Medical. Register by November 14 online at www.WaiteParkChamber.com, by email to Registrations@StCloudAreaChamber.com, or by calling 251-2940 ext. 126. Unregistered attendees pay \$5 for lunch.

# SAUK RAPIDS ANNOUNCES NOVEMBER CHAMBER MEETING

Thursday, November 17, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

<u>Host:</u> CentraCare Health System

<u>Location:</u> C & L Distributing, 1020 Industrial Dr. S,
Sauk Rapids

All St. Cloud Area Chamber members are welcome and encouraged to bring guests who are interested in Sauk Rapids community issues. The program includes lunch and a presentation on "Financial Literacy" by Roger Rieger, Catholic Charities. Register by Nov. 15 by email to Registrations @StCloudAreaChamber.com, online at www.SaukRapidsChamber.com, or by calling

251-2940, ext. 126.

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# LUNCHTIME LEARNING ADDRESSES NETWORKING

Wednesday, November 2, noon-1 p.m.

<u>Sponsor:</u> Title Professionals and Abstract Company <u>Location:</u> Chamber Office, 110 S 6th Ave., St. Cloud <u>Cost:</u> \$15 for Chamber members, \$22 for general public

Sheri Moran, in business development for Spirit 92.9, will explain some aspects of effective networking and simple ways to make networking more pleasant. Register by Oct. 31 by calling 251-2940, ext. 126 or by email at Registrations@StCloudAreaChamber.com.

# STRIDE ACADEMY HOSTS BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

Thursday, November 17, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

**Host:** STRIDE Academy

Location: 3241 Oakham Lane

Business After Hours is a complimentary networking event open to Chamber members, their employees and guests. Join us for an on-site tour and great food! No registration required.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL:** Gail Ivers, vice president, St. Cloud Area Chamber of Commerce, 320-251-2940, ext. 109.