



# BUSINESS to BUSINESS

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## Nevada County Leadership Institute taking applications for upcoming class

The 12th class of the Nevada County Community Leadership Institute will begin in September with a kick-off retreat on Friday, Sept. 19 and Saturday, Sept. 20. NCCLI is a special series of one-day classes that look into a variety of issues, topics and institutions that are significant to Nevada County.

What makes the class unique is that it brings together a cross-section of residents from

throughout the county, who experience the sessions together. These are business people, government officials, and community members who seek a role in our community's future.

The program begins with a two-day retreat, held at the Nevada County Rood Center and then meets one Friday each month excluding December, from September until June.

Topics covered during the year-long program

include Business, Industry and Economic Development, Land Use and Environmental Planning, Local Government, Arts, Education, Health and Human Services and Criminal Justice.

"The vision of NCCLI is to help create a strong committed community of leaders, working together to enhance the lives of Nevada County citizens, and to increase communication and cooperation between

organizations and individual participants," Steering Committee Chair, Mary Ann Mueller said.

### HOW TO APPLY:

Applications can be picked up at the Grass Valley/Nevada County Chamber of Commerce at 248 Mill Street, Grass Valley or call the Chamber at (530) 273-4667 to have one mailed. For more information contact Mary Ann Mueller at (530) 273-1479 or NCCLI Program Director Lori Burkhart-Frank at (530) 478-9803.

## Mark Your Calendars

### Spring and summer mixers are the best!

#### May 15

Nevada City Tech Center  
350 Providence Mine Road, Nevada City,  
5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Visit the new Liberty Hill Building at the Nevada City Tech Center as the host a spring "Business After Hours" Chamber Mixer. You will have the opportunity to view this very special and unique phase of the 210,000 square-foot NCTC Development. Enjoy great food and beverages as you enjoy this lovely setting.

#### May 29

Foothill Theatre Company & The Nevada Theatre Commission  
Nevada Theatre, Broad Street,  
Nevada City, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Come and enjoy the food and wine. Meet members of the Foothill Theatre Company and the Nevada Theatre Commission. This is their way of thanking the business community for their years of support. Enjoy meeting business folks, from Grass Valley and Nevada City, in a relaxed and casual environment and above all have a great time!

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# MEMBERS AT WORK



**Lock Richards, exclusive Real Estate Agent for The Nevada City Tech Center,** is pleased to announce

that Edward Jones, a leading investment brokerage firm will be the first occupant of the brand new Liberty Hill Offices, located at 350 Providence Mine Road, just off Zion Street in Nevada City. "I am very excited about moving into our new office, it is a beautiful property in a fabulous location," Peter McDonald, Financial Advisor of the new Edward Jones's Nevada City office said. Edward Jones will occupy about 1,302 square feet in one of the seven available suites. Visitors are welcome to Liberty Hill at the "Business After Hours" Mixer on May 15 from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. at 350 Providence Mine Road. For more information contact Lock Richards at (530) 470-1740.

**The "Perfect Place" Retreat,** a 3 bed/2bath home on 2-plus acres on the outskirts of Grass Valley, is an ideal getaway. It is Fully furnished with all you will need to enjoy your stay. A "Perfect Place" to get away and enjoy all that the scenic foothills has to offer and a "Perfect Place" for your visiting out-of-town family and friends as well as the business traveler or anyone needing short-term occupancy. Contact them at (530) 477-8777.

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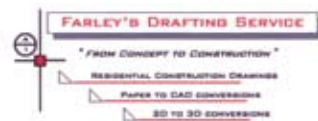
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**Sierra Services for the Blind** will host a golf tournament on June 11 at the Ridge Golf Club located at 220 Golf Course

Drive in Auburn. This fundraiser, for Sierra Services for the Blind, will feature Mitch Juricich, of "Hooked on Golf" fame, as MC. Cost is \$125, which includes all golf fees, lunch and dinner. Winner of "hole in one" will be awarded \$10,000. At the dinner, there will be an auction and raffle. For information or tickets contact Sierra Services for the Blind at (530) 265-2121.



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**First Horizon Home Loans, Paula Settle,** is a new member of the Chamber and looks forward to becoming involved with the community. Paula has been in the mortgage business for 25 years. She has now decided to have her own business, working from home. Paula is a visionary loves people and likes helping others with loan needs. You can contact Paula at (530) 274-0326 or e-mail her at [psettle@firsthorizon.com](mailto:psettle@firsthorizon.com).

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**LeTip of Grass Valley/Nevada City** has inducted a new board of directors for 2008-2009. Mary Anne Davis is the new president and Gil Griego is the new vice president.

Other board members are: Secretary Grant Weiss; Treasurer Caroline Machi; Membership Machen MacDonald; and TipMaster John Burke. LeTip is an international organization designed to increase business for its members through lead generation and networking. The GV/NC Chapter meets Tuesdays, 7 a.m. at the Holbrooke Hotel. Contact Mary Anne at (503) 477-4777 for information or to join their weekly meeting or a wine-tasting mixer at Burch Hall Tasting Room, May 13, 6 p.m.

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