



LEADERS RECOGNIZED AT GALA



Ryan Strom (19) received Chairman Award from Kelly Johnson (19) Past Chairman



Lisa Satur (24) new Chairman presents out going Chair Award to Kelly Johnson.

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Stuart/Martin County Chamber installed their new 2022/23 Board of Directors at their Gala held in Mariner Sands on September 30th.



From the left, Steven Shultz, Jeff Gustafson (30), Zach Gazza (31), Candace Lopes (28), Stephen Quintyne (31), Dan Brady (24), Carol Houwaart-Diez (28), Chuck Geary (4), Jeremy Harris (28), Vice Chair Dan Hulen (20), Chair Elect Dr. Lisa Grassam-Smith, Chair Lisa Satur (24), President Joe Catrambone (6), Past Chair Kelly Johnson (19), Dr. Brian Moriarty, Stacey Hetherington (14), David Dyess (15), Jill Marasa (22), Chris Smith, Vice Chair Eric Kiehn (29), Gordon Proctor, and Dr. Alessandro Anzalone (32). Not pictured Ian Cotner(27), Marshall Critchfield(31), Ryan Huff(27), Sharon Kinane(9), Dr. John Millay, Amber Woods(28).

Youth Taking a “leap of faith”

Martin Youth LEADERship Class 24 participated in COPE Day at Tanah Keela Scout Reservation. The course is designed to help students reinforce self-confidence and build leadership skills. While participation was completely voluntary, most students found that they could accomplish much more than they initially thought possible. The 30-foot high Confidence Pole was the highlight of the day. The students requested **Jeanne Dunn**, program coordinator, make the “leap of faith”, since she would never make students do something she wouldn’t do....lol.

The Cope Day Planning Chair is Alec Connolly (11) facilitator with Gulf Stream Council Boy Scouts of America and volunteers **Laura Haase** (28) and MYL alumnus **Alex Connolly**.





C.O.P.E. Day

Student Comments

Amazing—Please Read

What was the most important thing you learned from participating in C.O.P.E.?

Don't give up

How to work as a team/ how to trust in your team

I trusted in my team, which helped me overcome challenges

Learn to take control in certain situation

How to get out of my comfort zone to overcome problems

I learned that even when I was uncomfortable, I was still successful and the activity was still beneficial

Even if you are strong, it doesn't mean you can be good at every physical task

Think about how important the collective contribution of a group is in achieving a goal.

Some tasks can be intimidating, but if you work together and take charge, you can do it together

Some people don't always listen to others, some girls struggle to be acknowledged)

That being a lone wolf hurts the team, working with the team is more efficient

How to reach a goal while still following the rules

It is important to find the answer as a group rather than focusing on individual gain

I learned to voice my opinions and make myself heard while still trusting others

Communication, confidence and teamwork are all important

I can push myself to my limits

Even if your first response is not the right one, doesn't mean there is not an answer

If your first plan doesn't work out, try again until you find what work

How will you use the C.O.P.E. experience to make yourself a better leader?

Use your team to better accomplish tasks

COPE taught me again to work with/ listen to others

I will push myself out of my comfort zone while working with a team to try and overcome challenges.

Lead others when I may have a good idea, but also listen to others when I am unsure

Always have a positive mindset and take charge when it is needed

Making sure everyone who is on my team is also on the same page with each other

I will try and speak up more in group settings

I will try to make sure everyone on a team is heard

I will take on more challenges and encourage others more

Understand that others are struggling too

Trust others to help overcome challenges

I will grow myself physical while assisting others in mental challenges

Figure out solutions with your teammates

Norman 2022 Realtor of the Year

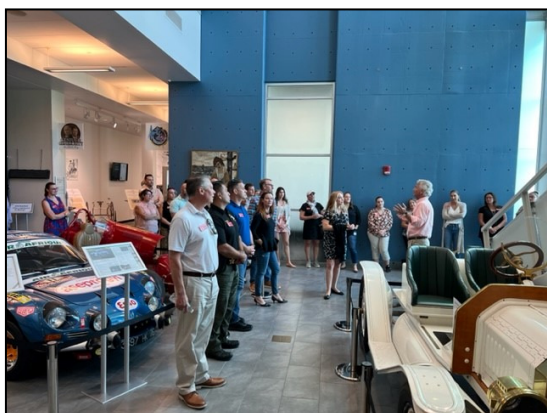
Janice Norman of Water Pointe Realty Group was named **2022 Realtor of the Year** by the **Martin County Realtors of the Treasure Coast**. Janice also was a MCRTC recipient of the 2019 Distinguished Service Award and in 2007 Community Service Award.

As a leader she was awarded the 2021 Charene Hoag Leadership Award, Women of Distinction for volunteerism in 2017 by Soroptimist, Past Chair of the Stuart/Martin County Chamber, graduate of LEADERSHIP Martin County Class 14, as well as past chair of its Alumni Board, Catch the Wave of Hope and founder of the Christian Business Coffee.



History, Arts and Culture Day

LEADERSHIP Class 32 was introduced to the unique history, arts and culture of Martin County, through several informative presentations, tours and hands-on participation. Special thanks to the committee, consisting of Nancy Turrell (4) Martin County Council for the Arts, Debbie Banta (10) The Elliott Museum, Francine Beckstead (9) The Barn Theatre, Denisha Bonds (28) Clark Advanced Learning Center, Eric Kiehn (29) C&W Technologies and Tim Kinane (1) Coaching.



“Take-Off” on November 11-13, 2022

Celebrate aviation and the 75th Anniversary of the US Air Force in the best way possible at the Stuart Air Show. Thrilling, gravity-defying, jaw-dropping and award-winning are just a few ways to describe the military and civilian aircraft and performers at the Stuart Air Show. Go to StuartAirShow.com for the latest information on performers, rides, attractions, upgrades and the magical Twilight & Fireworks Show on Friday!



In recognition of what LEADERSHIP brings to our community, the Stuart Air Show would like to extend a \$5.00 discount off the current ticket price of General Admission tickets. Just go to www.stuartairshow.com/tickets and enter the word LEADERSHIP when checking out to receive your discount. Hope to see all my fellow Alumni and future Alumni at the Show. Cindy Groover (30) Air Show Treasurer and Vendor Coordinator.

It's that time of the year – Again! - By Cindy Groover

Greetings fellow LEADERship Alumni!

It has been several months since the Annual Dues email/invoice was shared with you to cover the 2022/23 year. Did you see the notice? Did you pay your dues? It isn't too late. We are saving some trees, so everything is digital, unless of course your business requires a hard copy. In that case, no worries. We can accommodate that as well. Just let us know @ info@leadershipmcalumni.com

To pay your dues online go to the **LEADERship Alumni [website](#)** and select "Pay Dues" or go directly to this website:

https://www.flipcause.com/hosted_widget/hostedWidgetHome/MTMzOTg1

While you are thinking about LEADERship Alumni, look at your online profile. Is it current? Need any updates? No worries. We can accommodate that as well. Just let us know @ info@leadershipmcalumni.com. It is important that we stay current with your contact information, so you are in the information loop about all things LEADERship.

Your \$75 Annual Dues helps fund the following:

- ◆ Networking events
- ◆ Lunch & Learn Educational Opportunities
- ◆ Monthly Newsletter
- ◆ Youth LEADERship Program
- ◆ College Scholarship for Youth LEADERship graduates

The best part is this is a business expense paid to a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit! If you have to pick a Non-Profit to donate money to, let it be your own LEADERship Alumni organization!

Help us continue our good work by paying your dues. It is truly a win/win for all involved.

Hope to see you at the next LEADERship event!

UPCOMING Stuart/Martin Chamber Events – 772-287-1088

Nov 1, Tues., 7:45am, Business Before Breakfast , <i>Cushing Claims</i> , Chamber Conference Center, 1650 S Kanner Hwy., Stuart
Nov 2, Wed., 11:45am, Business At Lunch , <i>Waste Management</i> , <i>Twisted Tuna</i> , 4290 SE Salerno Rd, Stuart
Nov 10, Thur., HOLIDAY TRADE SHOW -- Expo & BAH – 4:00-7:00pm, St. Mary's Pettenger Center, 701 SE Ocean Blvd, Stuart
Nov 29, Tues., 7:45am, Business Before Breakfast , <i>My Living Media</i> , 2081 SE Ocean Blvd., Suite 4, Stuart



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Melissa Corbett (12) sold The MilCor Group to Haley Ward Inc. The MilCor Group is a Certified Woman-Owned multi-discipline engineering firm with offices in Port St. Lucie and Hobe Sound, Florida. She will still be running day-to-day operations for the local offices.



Eric Kiehn (29) has advanced to become the president of the Business Development Board of Martin County. He is with C&W Technologies which is a computer sales and service business.



Phillip DeBerard IV (25) awarded Best Personal Injury Attorney on the Treasure Coast. Treasure Coast Newspapers conducted a survey in June 2022 "Best of the Best" with readers voting on different categories in businesses. Other accolades include "Top 40 Under 40" and "Best Car Accident Lawyer".

Jay Spicer, Class 26 wants to tell the Alumni about the Fair Pageant for Queen

MARTIN COUNTY FAIR Scholarship Pageant

The pageant is a stepping stone forward in empowering young woman to become leaders of tomorrow.
Contestants must be in 9th, 10th, or 11th grade to enter.
Entry forms can -be found on our website www.martincountyfair.com
Deadline for entry forms is November 11, 2022 by 5pm.

Alumni Purpose

The purpose of LEADERship Martin County Alumni is to support the LEADERship Martin County Program; to provide education and networking opportunities for our members; and to enhance community awareness of our members by providing opportunities to evaluate and act on issues affecting the community.

Note: Our monthly newsletter can now be viewed on our website www.LeadershipMCalumni.com

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