



On the Economic Scene



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TANGER OUTLETS GRAND OPENING – A ribbon cutting ceremony for Tanger Outlets Daytona Beach is set for 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 18. Steven B. Tanger, president and CEO of Tanger Outlets, will be joined by local and state officials for the grand opening of this regional shopping destination at the LPGA Boulevard exit off Interstate 95. Look for the grand opening stage near H&M and the Polo Ralph Lauren Factory Store.

DAYTONA BEACH AIRPORT/SOUTH FLORIDA AIR SERVICE SURVEY – Enter for a chance to win a year of free parking at Daytona Beach International Airport. Mid-Florida Marketing & Research is conducting research on behalf of the airport, which offers scheduled flights on American, Delta and JetBlue airlines. The survey will gauge local interest in adding daily service to Fort Lauderdale or Miami from Daytona Beach International Airport. For details, visit http://mid-floridamarketingandresearch.com/Air_Service_Survey_2016.html.

PAYCHECKS FOR PATRIOTS HIRING EVENT – CareerSource Flagler Volusia, in partnership with the City of Deltona, is hosting the fourth annual P4P Hiring Event, which is open to all who served in the U.S. military and their families. The event will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 10, in Deltona's City Commission Chambers, 2345 Providence Blvd., Deltona. Register at www.careersourcefv.com or by emailing vetservices@careersourcefv.com.

VOLUSIA COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL SHOWCASE – The 11th annual High School Showcase will take place from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 8, at the Volusia County Fairgrounds. The event will introduce seventh and eighth grade students and their parents to the outstanding programs and academies available to high school students in Volusia County Schools (VCS). More than 3,000 high school students are enrolled in VCS career academies. School representatives and academy students will be on hand to highlight their programs and answer questions. Thirty-four career academies are integrated into five high schools in west Volusia and five in east Volusia. More than 2,000 students and their families attended last year's showcase. For event details, call Dr. Kristin Pierce at 386-734-7190, ext. 20642.

FINANCING OPPORTUNITIES FOR HOME-BASED BUSINESS – SCORE will present a free seminar titled "Financing Opportunities for Home-based Businesses" from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 10, at Daytona State College, Daytona Beach. Reservations are required; visit www.score87.org or call 386-255-6889.

STARTUP WEEKEND DAYTONA! – The second "Startup Weekend Daytona" will be held Nov. 11 - 13 at the Henderson Center at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. Startup Weekend is the world's pre-eminent technology-focused entrepreneurship boot camp and competition. For details, visit <http://tinyurl.com/hhzprzy>.

MANUFACTURERS SUMMIT – The Manufacturers Summit & Marketplace will take place Nov. 15 - 17 in Gainesville. The summit, organized by the Manufacturers Association of Florida, provides manufacturers, economic developers, educators, service providers and others an opportunity to learn from and network with each other. For more information, go to www.mafmfg.com/summit-agenda.

IEDC INDUSTRY WEBINARS – The International Economic Development Council will host industry webinars from 2:30 to 4 p.m. Nov. 9 and 16. Topics include digital technology and traditional industry clusters such as manufacturing, health care, finance and logistics, and transportation. The fee for each webinar is \$135. Visit <http://tinyurl.com/j69wf55> to register.

SMALL BUSINESS FINANCIAL BASICS WORKSHOP – SCORE will present a free seminar titled "Understand Your Cost and Cash Basics – If You Want Your Small Business to Succeed" from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 17, at Deltona City Hall, 2345 Providence Blvd., Deltona. This easy-to-understand workshop is for people starting their own small business or who are already in business and want to understand small business financial basics. To register or get additional information, call SCORE at [386-255-6889](tel:386-255-6889).

NEWS ITEMS WANTED! – Please send your business news items to Joanne Magley, Volusia County Community Information Director, at jmagley@volusia.org. If you wish to be removed from this weekly broadcast, please let us know.