



You are invited

*Join more than 350 leaders from
business, government, and education
for the Sonoma County Spirit Awards*

Sonoma County Spirit Awards Luncheon

Presented by the Sonoma County Economic Development Board

December 4, 2009, Doubletree Hotel, Rohnert Park

11:30 AM to 1:30 PM

The Boards of Directors of all the major chambers of commerce, business and trade organizations come together annually to honor their group's businessperson of the year. The 23 business and trade organizations participating select the men and women being recognized. Perhaps you know several of the honorees and wish to attend the luncheon to watch them receive the Spirit award for their business and community involvement. The list of the 2009 Sonoma County honorees is below.

This is an exciting event that recognizes the positive contributions these business leaders and entrepreneurs make to the county's economy throughout the area, especially this year as we celebrate the 9th Annual Spirit of Sonoma County awards. Local media throughout the county join forces to support the honorees, as do the major firms that serve businesses here.

Seating is limited. If you wish join us at the luncheon, seats are offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Respond by **November 30, 2009** with the RSVP form below by fax or mail to reserve your seat at this countywide recognition. If you wish to sponsor a table of 8, see more information below.

For more information, please call the Sonoma County Economic Development Board at (707) 565-7298 or email: edbevents@sonoma-county.org.

(The Economic Development Board is closed for Thanksgiving, Nov. 26 & 27.)

Sonoma County Spirit Award Luncheon
Reservation Form

Friday, December 4, 2009, 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM
Doubletree Hotel, Rohnert Park

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/ZIP: _____ E-MAIL: _____

PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

The luncheon cost for individuals in open seating is \$55. A reserved, sponsored table of 8 is \$600.

____ Yes, reserve ____ seat(s) for the *Spirit Awards* luncheon at \$55 each for a total of ____
If reserving individual seats, please list below the names and companies of those attending.

____ Yes, please reserve a table of 8 in the name of _____
(company name)

If reserving a sponsor table, please confirm by November 18 in order to be included in the printed program.
Provide your guest names and company affiliation by November 30..

Guest Name	Company/Affiliation
_____	_____
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Fax or mail form **by November 18 if reserving a sponsor table of 8.** Individuals in open seating, please RSVP by November 30. Fax to 565-7231 or mail with payment to EDB Foundation, 401 College Ave, Ste D, Santa Rosa, CA 95401. For more info, email edbevents@sonoma-county.org. Checks are payable to the EDB Foundation, a 501(c)(3) organization. (FIN 94-3397043). We accept MasterCard and Visa. Seating is limited. **No refunds after November 30 RSVP deadline.**

____ You will receive my check in the amount of \$ _____ by the Nov. 30 deadline.

____ Charge my credit card in the amount of \$ _____ .

Visa MasterCard cc# _____ Exp. Date: __/__/__
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Billing address same as above or include billing address here: _____

Name of Cardholder: _____ Signature: _____

See RSVP deadlines above. Phone: 707 565-7298 Fax: 707 565-7231
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2009 Sonoma County Spirit Award Honorees

The 9th Annual Spirit of Sonoma County Award luncheon on December 4 honors those who contribute to the economic development and enhancement of the communities in which they live and work through donations of their time and expertise in support of local business and in helping others.



Name

Honoring Organization

Neena Hanchett, <i>Cloverdale Reveille</i>	Cloverdale Chamber of Commerce
Steve Maass, Tom Scott, <i>Oliver's Market</i>	Cotati Chamber of Commerce
Keith Lampson, <i>Lampson Tractor</i>	Geyserville Chamber of Commerce
Renee C. Mengali, <i>Mengali Accountancy</i>	Healdsburg Chamber of Commerce
Salvador Sahagun, <i>Taqueria Santa Rosa</i>	Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
Odessa Gunn & Levi Leipheimer, <i>Animal Welfare/ Cycling Supporters</i>	Mark West Area Chamber of Commerce
Herman Hernandez, <i>Frank Howard Allen/Hernandez Realty</i>	North Bay Association of REALTORS®
Don Chigazola, <i>Medtronic CardioVascular</i>	North Bay Leadership Council
Barbara Ragsdale, <i>Knights' Electric, Inc.</i>	North Coast Builders Exchange
Ron Lindenbusch, <i>Lagunitas Brewing Company</i>	Petaluma Area Chamber of Commerce
Jeff Sommers, <i>Sommers, Oates & Associates & LFT Partners</i>	Rohnert Park Chamber of Commerce
Valerie Hausmann, <i>Booker Productions</i>	Russian River Chamber of Commerce
Jim Ward, <i>Redwood Credit Union</i>	SAFE-BIDCO
Bob Reynolds, <i>Innovative Business Solutions</i>	Santa Rosa Chamber of Commerce
Rollie Atkinson, <i>Sonoma West Publishers</i>	Sebastopol Area Chamber of Commerce
Larry L. Wasem, <i>Airport Business Center</i>	Sonoma County Alliance
Art Ibleto, <i>The Pasta King</i>	Sonoma County Farm Bureau
Keo Hornbostel, <i>Hyatt Vineyard Creek Hotel</i>	Sonoma County Lodging Association
Dan Wildermuth, <i>Rodney Strong Wine Estates</i>	Sonoma County Vintners
Sangiaco Family, <i>Sangiaco Vineyards</i>	Sonoma County Winegrape Commission
Bill Nordskog, <i>Hewlett-Packard/Agilent Technologies (retired)</i>	Sonoma County Workforce Investment Board
Family of founder Mary Fazio, <i>Mary's Pizza Shack</i>	Sonoma Valley Chamber of Commerce
Glenda Castelli, <i>Windsor Certified Farmers Market</i>	Windsor Chamber of Commerce

The Sonoma County Economic Development Board salutes the 2009 Sonoma County Spirit Award honorees and the organizations that selected them.

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