

## **GOOD NEWS and announcements about our Members...**

### **APRIL**

Have fun and learn something new at **Radiance MedSpa of Birmingham** Monday, April 7, 2008, Self Defense Boot Camp starts at 6 p.m. and Thursday, April 10, 2008 Laser Hair Removal Seminar at 6 p.m. Take advantage of this opportunity to mingle. All ages are welcome. For reservations, contact (248) 723-7188.

The **American Cancer Society** announces the Relay for Life of Birmingham to be held June 28 – June 29, 2008, at Seaholm High School. The Kick Off Meeting is April 10, 2008. Registration begins at 6:30 p.m. following a program. For more information regarding sponsorship, volunteering, or forming a team, please contact Kari DeCarlo at (248) 663-3423 or [kari.decarlo@cancer.org](mailto:kari.decarlo@cancer.org).

**Clavenna Vision Institute** has teamed up with The Pink Fund for a frame trunk show fundraiser on Friday, April 25, 2008 from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Featured vendors include BCBG, Calvin Klein, CK and Cole Haan. A percentage of sales will go directly to the Pink Fund to financially support families as they battle breast cancer. Call Kate Seng for more information (248) 646-3733.

**Dream Players Productions of Project DayDream** opens its 2008 theatrical season with auditions for the epic musical, "Les Miserables." Auditions will be held at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs School in Beverly Hills. Teenage students from Metropolitan Detroit are welcome to schedule audition appointments at (248) 219-7644.

**Bloomfield Township's Clean Sweep** – On the weekend of April 19-20, 2008, Bloomfield Township and Rizzo Services will be sponsoring the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Clean Sweep. The program is intended to clean up debris from the safety paths and roadways. Bloomfield Township is calling upon all community members to volunteer and lend a helping hand. For more information, contact the Bloomfield Township Department of Public Works at (248) 433-7709.

On April 27, 2008, the **Metropolitan Consolidated Association of REALTORS® and Detroit Media Partnership** presents The Big Open House, a region-wide open house designed to showcase the area's outstanding homes and neighborhoods. Business leaders are encouraged to participate by teaming with representatives in local municipalities to entice attendees to sample the area's fine restaurants, shops, etc. Visit [thebigopenhouse.com](http://thebigopenhouse.com) and [mcaronline.com](http://mcaronline.com) or call (248) 879-5730 for more information.

### **OTHER NEWS & OFFERS**

**The Capital Grille** celebrates two new locations in Stamford, CT and Seattle, WA. Congratulations on your business expansion!

The law firm of **Miller Canfield** announces that Michael P. Coakley, a principal in the Detroit office, has been named leader of the firm's Litigation and Dispute Resolution Group. Coakley is listed in Michigan Super Lawyers 2007 edition for his work in litigation.

The “**Jewelers of Birmingham**” announced the 2008 High School Jewelry Scholarship Competition, open to area Junior and Senior high school students. Students from Cranbrook, Detroit Country Day, Groves, Seaholm, Berkley, Andover/Lahser, Southfield Lathrup and Troy High are invited to submit designs between March 17 and April 5, 2008. Applications are available at [www.jewelersofbirmingham.com](http://www.jewelersofbirmingham.com) or any participating Birmingham jeweler. For more information call (248) 647-4414.

**Gerry Weinberg and Associates**, an affiliate of the Sandler Sales Institute, is a sales force development organization that helps corporations and individuals achieve new levels of personal and professional success. Sandler Sales Institute has been ranked #1 in comparison to all other training programs in Entrepreneur Magazine’s top franchises for 2008. Contact Merry Beth Schubert at [merrybeth@gerryweinberg.com](mailto:merrybeth@gerryweinberg.com) or call (248) 353-4030 x225 for more information.

**The Radisson Hotel Detroit Bloomfield Hills** has been awarded the prestigious President’s Award from Radisson Hotels & Resorts. The hotel was one of 56 hotels selected from the more than 215 Radisson hotels. The award was presented during the recent 2008 Carlson Global Business Conference in Las Vegas.

**Core3 Solutions** announces new office expansion! The project will be a redevelopment of over fifty percent of the building’s lower level into what is best described as an “electronics boutique” with a customer lounge and easy-access service desk. Core3 Solutions is located at 801 S. Adams, Suite 204, Birmingham. Contact (248) 530-1000 for more information.

Let the **Birmingham Conference Center** make your meeting planning simple. Rooms are fully AV and Wi-Fi equipped. Continuous food service is included and prepared on site. A full computer lab is also available for training needs. When holding a program at the Birmingham Conference Center, the proceeds go the Birmingham Public School system. Call (248) 203-3670 or visit [www.trainhere.com](http://www.trainhere.com) for more information.

Rita Yono a creative stylist at **Luigi Bruni Salon** in Birmingham is offering first time clients a FREE HAIRCUT with any color or highlighting service. **Luigi Bruni Salon** is located at 706 N. Old Woodward in Birmingham. Call Rita at (248) 723-1500 to schedule an appointment or if you’re looking for raffle items for your next auction or fundraising event.

**Share your good news!** Send us news about promotions, new products, awards, specials, any news you would like to share with fellow Chamber members. Drop a couple of lines (maximum 50 words) to Andrea Foglietta at [andrea@bbcc.com](mailto:andrea@bbcc.com).