

Join Us at the May Luncheon



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▶ THE PROGRAM The Employee Handbook: Important Updates to Protect Your Company

Is your employee handbook an outdated dinosaur? Are your harassment and discrimination policies current and effective? Hunter Amos and Shauna Baker-Karl will share important updates to protect your company and support employee rights from a legal perspective.

▶ THE PRESENTERS

Hunter A. H. Amos is an associate at Tuggle Duggins Attorneys at Law with a background in supporting small and medium-sized businesses. Amos received his JD and his MBA from Elon University and holds undergraduate degrees in economics and international relations from Syracuse University.

Shauna L. Baker-Karl is an associate at Tuggle Duggins Attorneys at Law. She received her JD from the University of North Carolina. She earned her master's in education and her bachelor's degree in English from the University of Virginia.

▶ THE LUNCHEON

WHEN: 11:45 – 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 21, 2025

WHERE: Ovations Lounge, Greensboro Coliseum Complex (map, Page 8)

COST: Free with membership; \$35 for guests

RSVP: Click [here](#) to log in and register for the luncheon

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED; PLEASE NOTE ANY DIETARY RESTRICTIONS

Learn About Cone Merger at June MGMA Event

GMDM members are invited to attend a June 12 breakfast presentation sponsored by the Greater Greensboro chapter of the Medical Group Management Association (GGMGMA). Preston Hammock from Cone Health will explain the Cone merger with Risant Health and the resulting changes that may impact practices and the community.

When: 8:30 a.m., June 12, 2025

Where: Towne Bank, 628 Green Valley Road, Greensboro

Cost: \$15. Cash only (do not have access to a card reader)

How to sign up to attend:

Email Jody Clayton at Jody.Clayton@kiscosl.com with your RSVP by Monday, June 2.



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to Benefit Women's
Resource Center
July 16 Luncheon

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

by Jody Clayton



As we embrace the vibrant spirit of spring, I am thrilled to share the continued success of our group. Our membership is growing, reflecting the increased interest in our mission and activities.

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who participated in our recent food drive benefiting Greensboro Urban Ministry. Your generosity made a significant impact in our community.

Looking ahead, we are excited to anticipate our annual GMDM Charity Classic golf tournament in June. This event not only promises a day of fun and camaraderie but also serves as a vital fundraiser

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Award for Jody

for our initiatives. We invite you to become a sponsor and help us make this event a resounding success!

Our commitment to providing quality educational speakers remains strong, as evidenced by the speakers so far this year.

The future is so bright, I need to wear shades! As we grow, we need your help. Please assist us in finding a new treasurer. In addition, we invite you to bring a prospective member to our next meeting.

Lastly, remember to register for meetings when prompted; an accurate head count is essential. Happy spring!

Do you have questions or comments about GMDM? Email President Jody Clayton at Jody.Clayton@kiscosl.com.

Labcorp Returns as Platinum Sponsor of the GMDM Charity Classic

A big thanks goes out to **Labcorp**, which is returning for a 9th year as the Platinum Sponsor of the GMDM Charity Classic. Labcorp, represented in GMDM by Mark Cheek, is a global leader of innovative and comprehensive laboratory services, serving clients in approximately 100 countries and performing more than 700 million tests annually.

Special thanks also go to our two Gold Sponsors: **Anesthesiology Consultants of North Carolina**, a physician practice that has provided anesthesia services to the community for more than 20 years, and is represented in GMDM by Mario Singleton; and **Cone Health**, a not-for-profit network of healthcare providers serving patients in five counties, which is represented in GMDM by Sherri Isenhour.

We also welcome two Silver Sponsors this month: **Kisco (Abbotswood at Irving Park and Heritage Greens)**, represented in GMDM by Jody Clayton; and **Total Computer Solutions**. They join our already-announced Silver Sponsors: **The Health Insurance Shoppe**, represented in GMDM by Jeff Shell; **Home Helpers Home Care**; **Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Carolina**; **Health Team Advantage**; and **Alpha Omega Financial**.

There's still time to get involved! Print out the tourney brochure on Pages 6-7 for details, and contact bbarton57@gmail.com with questions.



Monday, June 9, 2025
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GMDM Charity Classic Will Benefit Veterans' Organization

The Heroes Center in High Point has been chosen as the charity that will receive a donation from the proceeds of the 13th annual GMDM Charity Classic golf tournament on June 9, 2025.

The Heroes Center is dedicated to empowering veterans through comprehensive support programs that facilitate their transition to civilian life. Their mission is to provide a safe and nurturing environment where veterans can thrive through various initiatives.

Operation Next Step is their transitional program that offers veterans the resources and support they need to successfully reintegrate into civilian life. This includes housing assistance, career counseling and life skills training.

Vet 2 Vet is their recreational fishing therapy program designed to foster camaraderie and mental well-being through fishing activities and peer



FACTS FROM THE HEROES CENTER

Since 9/11:

- over 2.5 million Americans have deployed to fight the war on terror.

The Piedmont Triad is home to:

- over 120,00 veterans and active military duty personnel.

Veterans face staggering challenges in returning to civilian life:

- The divorce rate of veterans has gone up over 42% since 9/11.
- The bureaucracy veterans face in getting benefits/care is unacceptable.
- 22 vets commit suicide every day, with many more attempted suicides.

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support. It helps veterans build strong, supportive relationships with fellow veterans.

Through their **Community Outreach** initiatives, they work closely with local partners, such as the Elks Lodge, to provide veterans with job placement services, welcome home kits and monthly coffee events.

These efforts aim to create a sense of community and belonging for our veterans.

The Heroes Center believes that all veterans deserve the opportunity to thrive after they served their country selflessly – and the organization is committed to making that a reality.

The Puzzler???



A patent received on May 20, 1873, by Levi Strauss and Jacob Davis resulted in what popular clothing item?

Look for the answer in one of the ads. Then click [here](#) to email the answer and the ad in which the answer appears to newsletter editor Deanna Thompson (deanna@thompsononline.biz).

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Jody Clayton Receives Top Sales Award

Congratulations to GMDM President **Jody Clayton**, the business development director for Kisco Senior



Living in the Greensboro area, who was honored with the Outstanding Achievement in Business Development award at the

company's recent sales conference in Washington, DC. "I am beyond honored and thrilled to receive this prestigious award," Jody said. "It truly takes a team!"



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Thanks, GMDM members, for your generous donations to our Greensboro Urban Ministry Food Drive at the April GMDM luncheon. Special thanks to Skylar Maddox, (center), GMDM Community Service chair, for organizing the event.

Congratulations to the April GMDM luncheon winners (left to right):

Kristin Gilbert of Guilford Orthopaedic and Sports Medicine Center, winner of the Puzzler Prize, a \$50 Quaintance-Weaver restaurants gift card from Piedmont Printing & Graphics, and winner of a Member Table prize provided by ComForCare; **Ginny Wilson** of Caring Hands Home Care, winner of the 50-50 Raffle; and

Jarcee Hersey of Choice Care Navigators, who won a prize from ComForCare.



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About the Proceeds

Proceeds from this year's GMDM Charity Classic golf tournament will benefit:



The Heroes Center, a nonprofit organization based in High Point that helps veterans make the transition into civilian life, has been chosen as the charity that will receive a donation from this year's GMDM Charity Classic.



SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Guilford Medical & Dental Managers is invested in the future of our medical and dental practices and the care they provide to our community. Each year, GMDM provides scholarships to high-achieving local college students pursuing medical and dental careers.

To learn more about the Guilford Medical and Dental Managers and the GMDM Charity Classic, visit www.gmdm.org.

Event Information

The 2025 GMDM Charity Classic will be held at the Greensboro Country Club's Carlson Farm Course, 5121 Hedrick Dr., Greensboro, NC 27410.

Format: Captain's Choice

Registration & breakfast: Begins at 7:30 a.m.

Shotgun start tee-off time: 9 a.m.

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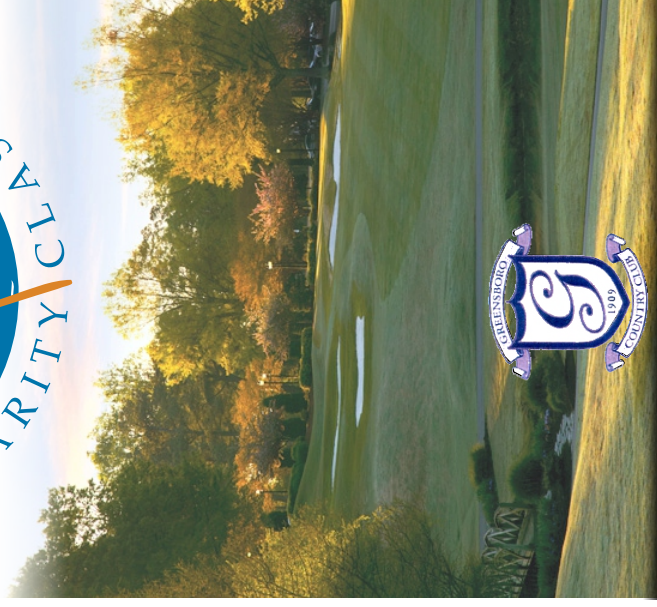
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Greensboro Country Club's
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Monday, June 9, 2025

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Questions? E-mail bbarton57@gmail.com or contact Bruce Barton at (336) 944-2969

DRIVING/PARKING DIRECTIONS FOR OUR LUNCHEON LOCATION:

Ovations Lounge at the Greensboro Coliseum Complex
1921 W. Gate City Blvd., Greensboro, NC 27403

WHICH COLISEUM PARKING ENTRANCE TO USE:

Ovations Lounge (entrance circled in **RED** on the map below) is located near the corner of Gate City Boulevard and Coliseum Boulevard, next to the Terrace Room in the Coliseum complex.

If you are traveling to the Coliseum on Gate City Boulevard, you may use the North Entrance (circled in **GREEN** on the map below).

If you are coming from Chapman Street/Coliseum Boulevard, you should use the Service Drive entrance (circled in **BLUE** on the map below).

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