# **Signature Event Dates**

### Friday, March 18 | Chamber Annual Meeting

Join us as we bring you The Chamber's 79th Annual Meeting in person at the Carolina Club. Help us celebrate the strength of our local business community and get a preview of exciting developments for 2022.

### Thursday, April 21 | Community Bocce Derby

This fun-filled tournament draws up to 150 participants for a lighthearted competition with great food.

### Thursday, June 16 | Business Excellence Awards

This luncheon & awards ceremony honors exceptional businesses and leaders for their great achievements in the Greater Chapel Hill-Carrboro business community. Nominations open in February.

### Thursday, September 1 | State of the Community Report

## Presented by: PNC & Triangle Community Foundation

In its 15th year, this annual briefing will feature a comprehensive presentation with the latest data analyzing the well-being of Greater Chapel Hill-Carrboro across social, economic, and environmental indicators.

## Thursday, September 15 | Celebrate Local Market & Expo at Carrboro Town Commons

Come celebrate and support our local business community. This event is Orange County's largest business showcase featuring up to 80 independent businesses and community organizations.

Monday, October 10 | Hendrick Golf Classic at Governors Club Presented by: Hendrick Southpoint Auto Mall This day-long tournament traditionally draws 100+ golfers. Golfers enjoy 18 holes in a "captain's choice" format with breakfast, lunch, and post-tournament awards.

### Thursday December 15 | Local Government Appreciation Reception

A festive December event recognizing and thanking the public servants who are committed to making Chapel Hill-Carrboro a thriving, healthy, and sustainable community.

# **Chamber Programs & Networks**

#### 2022 Critical Issues Series

A series of thoughtful virtual forums convening business and community leaders on critical issues facing the Greater Chapel Hill-Carrboro community.

Presented by: Chapel Hill Media Group, Durham Tech. Glen Lennox, Servpro of South Durham & Orange County, & SBTDC

- February 24: The Economic Outlook Forum
- April 28: The Candidates & Elected Officials Forum
- September 29: The Economic Development Forum
- December 8: The Legislative Forum

#### Women's Networking Events

Quarterly learning, relationship building and networking opportunities for women.

#### Presented by: The Women of State Farm

- February 22: Networking Social
- May 4: Luncheon At the Chapel Hill Country Club
- July 19: Rizzo Center Networking Social
- November 10: Luncheon at the Carolina Inn

### **Business Networking Events**

- January 25
- June 30
- February 17
- August 18
- March 24
- September 15
- October 20
- April 21
- May 19
- December 15

# **Chapel Hill Young Professionals**

The Chapel Hill Young Professionals (CHYP), serves member employees ages 40 and under. Educational and networking events are held monthly. CHYP nurtures our youngest members to enhance their professional development and build active community members.

• 2nd Tuesday of each month from 5:30-7:00 p.m.

### **Industry Leader Calls**

Check the Chamber's calendar for these gatherings of local professionals in your industry designed to share the information, resources, and support you need so that you don't have to lead your business alone.

- Real Estate Professionals (virtual 1st Monday)
- Nonprofit Leaders (virtual 1st Thursday)
- Retailers, Restaurateurs & Hoteliers (virtual 2nd Wed)
- Sales Professionals Summit (in-person 7/26/22)

# **Ribbon Cutting or Milestone Celebrations**

It is a Chamber tradition to celebrate and acknowledge member business grand openings, anniversaries, or other special milestones with a ribbon cutting ceremony. Email Aury St. Germain at astgermain@carolinachamber.org to schedule your promotional celebration!