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Member Spotlight:

Brije Custom Homes & General Contractor

The Citrus County Chamber of Commerce is proud to welcome Brije Custom Homes & General Contractor as a new Chamber Legacy Member, bringing a fresh and personalized approach to custom home building in Central Florida.

Brije is a family and friend owned business built on a foundation of integrity, strong communication, and quality craftsmanship. Specializing in new construction, their team works closely with clients to design and build custom homes that reflect each homeowner's unique style, needs, and vision.

What sets Brije apart is their hands-on approach and commitment to transparency throughout the entire building process. From initial consultation and design to final construction, clients are guided every step of the way,



ensuring a smooth experience and a finished product that is both functional and beautifully crafted.

Brije quickly built a strong reputation in the industry, earning recognition as the 2025 Marion County Builder of the Year and a 2025 Marion County Parade of Homes winner, including the People's Choice Award and top honors for overall home design, kitchen design, and bathroom design. They now bring that same

award-winning quality and attention to detail to homeowners here in Citrus County.

As a new Platinum Chamber Legacy Member, Brije Custom Homes & General Contractor is investing in both their continued growth and the future of our local community.

Looking to build your dream home or learn more? Contact Brije Custom Homes & General Contractor.

Visit the website at <https://brije.com/>

May Chamber Luncheon:

Mayor Ben Marciano Shares Story of Resilience and Community Impact

The Citrus County Chamber of Commerce will welcome Ben Marciano, Mayor of Ocala, as the featured speaker at its May Chamber Luncheon on Friday, May 8, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Citrus Hills Golf and Country Club. The luncheon will bring together local business leaders and community members for an informative update on transportation and infrastructure impacting Citrus County.

From overcoming a childhood marked by instability and addiction to leading a thriving community as Mayor of Ocala, Ben Marciano brings a powerful message of resilience, purpose, and service. A Citrus County native and Lecanto High School graduate, Ben's journey from personal struggle to transformation is both deeply personal and broadly inspiring. After finding faith and committing to a new path, he built a career dedicated to strengthening others, from revitalizing the local YMCA to co-founding a successful fitness business and actively supporting youth and community

initiatives. Grounded in more than two decades of service, Ben's story reflects the very heart of our Chamber's Prosperity Initiative, demonstrating how perseverance, personal responsibility, and a commitment to lifting others can create lasting impact. Join us on May 8 to hear how one individual's journey can inspire stronger communities and brighter futures.

Networking begins at 11:30 a.m., followed by the program at noon. The event is sponsored by Family Chiropractic Center for Wellness.

Advanced reservations are required. Admission is \$30 for Chamber members and \$35 for non-members.

For more information or to register, visit CitrusCountyChamber.com.



MAY LUNCHEON

MAY 8TH, 2026
11:30AM - 1:00PM

Citrus Hills Golf & Country Club

MAYOR OF OCALA
BEN MARCIANO

Sponsored By:



RECENT RIBBON CUTTINGS

The Chamber is growing every week. We welcome our new members and thank all of them for joining the Chamber. We encourage the community to support their businesses.

Family Resource Center



Welcome to the Chamber, Family Resource Center! This nonprofit organization is a beacon of hope in our community, offering essential resources such as a clothing room, food pantry, and camping gear to families and individuals facing hardship. They also provide programs that promote long-term self-sufficiency, including a Bike-to-Work initiative, job search support, and assistance obtaining vital documents like IDs and birth certificates. Recognizing that every person has dignity and worth, the center strives to uplift and connect our community through compassionate service. You can find them at 3660 N Carl G Rose Hwy, Hernando, FL 34442, or call (352) 344-1001. We're honored to welcome such a mission-driven organization into our Chamber!

Dynasty Land Management



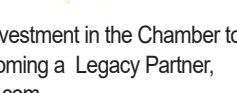
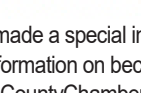
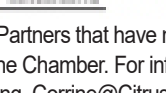
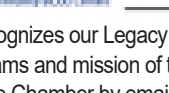
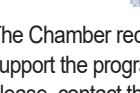
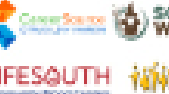
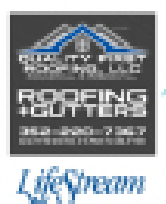
Welcome to the Chamber, Dynasty Land Management! We're excited to welcome a company dedicated to helping property owners enhance, maintain, and transform their land with professionalism and care. Dynasty Land Management provides reliable and efficient land services tailored to each client's needs, ensuring that every project is completed with attention to detail and a strong commitment to quality. Their team takes pride in delivering dependable results that help customers make the most of their property. You can reach them at 727-600-5518 or dynastylandmanagement@gmail.com, and learn more at dynastylandmanagement.com. We're proud to have them as part of our Chamber community and look forward to the value they bring to Citrus County.

Kona Ice of Homosassa/Dade City



Welcome to the Chamber, Kona Ice of Homosassa/Dade City! We're excited to welcome this fun, flavor-packed mobile shaved ice truck to our Chamber family. Kona Ice brings island vibes, steel drum tunes, and their signature Flavorwave, where guests can flavor their own shaved ice just the way they like it. Their treats are allergy friendly too, with many options that are fat free, gluten free, dairy free, sugar free, and kosher certified. From community events to fundraisers and private parties, Kona Ice is all about bringing joy, color, and refreshing fun to every stop. For bookings or more information, you can reach them at mwallen@kona-ice.com or 352 403 0515. We're thrilled to have this community-spirited business join the Citrus County Chamber!

Chamber Legacy Members



The Chamber recognizes our Legacy Partners that have made a special investment in the Chamber to support the programs and mission of the Chamber. For information on becoming a Legacy Partner, please contact the Chamber by emailing Corrine@CitrusCountyChamber.com.

UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENTS

- 04/25-04/26 CCBA Annual Family Fishing Tournament; MacRae's of Homosassa
- 05/08 May Chamber Luncheon; 11:30am – 1:00pm; Citrus Hills Golf & Country Club; Sponsor: Family Chiropractic Center for Wellness; Speaker: Mayor of Ocala, Ben Marciano
- 05/14 CCBA Citrus Showcase of Homes Awards Banquet; 5:30pm – 8:30pm, Copp Winery & Brewery
- 05/21 May Chamber Mixer; 5:00pm – 7:00pm; Jenkins Hyundai of Homosassa