



A Place Where Everybody Knows Your Name – Or At Least They Think They Do.

There are not many establishments that you want into, and the minute you are there, you feel the warmth and are welcome as if you were family.

But there are two places that this happens every day – Coach's Bar & Grill, one in KCMO and in OPKS, both run by Mike Darby and Chrissy Carle, and Brian Darby.

It is always such a treat to get a chance to visit Coach's when it's closed to the public (which is a rarity) because that really gives you a chance to appreciate the quality of their food, and to take a minute to look around at all the memorabilia that adorns the walls and beyond.

Mike led us into a part of his life he has rarely shared with us in the past, by explaining to us "Why I am Who I am and the Way I Am." Several things have shaped his life. 1) Smallest and least athletic of 6 siblings (he never uses or takes drugs unless necessary), he always tried to keep up with those older and bigger, and made a big impact trying to keep up.

2) In 8th grade he was late for football practice, and ran laps for punishment. Now, today, he is NEVER late to anything he attends.

3) The loss of a brother has made his whole family a much tighter and closer family.

4) They have two favorite Holidays – Thanksgiving and St. Patrick's Day. The entire fam gets together to bowl on Turkey Day evening, and now Irish breakfast on 3/17 has grown to a tradition of only 6 years.

They (Mike and Chrissy) Opened in 1983 as the Bum Steer, and a year later they were hit by a brutal flood from Indian Creek, destroying most of the business and they did not have flood insurance. But somehow, they seemed to persevere. More floods followed, and it became their mantra – "That's who we are and what we do!"

They headed to a second location at 148th and Old Metcalf in about 2005, but found it to be too big and always looked empty, even when 75% full.
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Weekly Newsletter

www.prospectorsclub.com

April 9, 2015



**WE ARE AT DEER CREEK CC,
7300 WEST 133RD ST., OPKS;
MEET UP AT 7 AM; BREAKFAST
AT 7:25; SPEAKER AT 8 AM.**

SPEAKERS SCHEDULE

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**REFERRALS, IDEAS,
SUGGESTIONS, AND
"POSITIVE
REINFORCEMENTS"**

**Mike Mellott of MEM
Accounting and Tax Service**

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UPCOMING SPEAKER SCHEDULE

Here is a list of our upcoming speakers. Please note some events are evenings or away from Deer Creek CC.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING PROSPECTORS?

Give Chris Pickering, our Membership Chairman a call at 913-647-9019 or email at cfp@pickeringlawfirm.com before you visit our group so we can make sure there are no category conflicts with our current members.

April 9 – Rich Sirna of Sirna Bros. Hauling and Junk removal at Deer Creek CC.

April 16th – Zach Bovard of Tight Solutions at Deer Creek CC.

April 23 – Kathleen Cussen of Hangers Cleaners at Deer Creek CC.

April 30 – To Be Announced

May 7 – Alan Heriford of Johnson County Automotive AT HIS LOCATION.



REFERRALS, IDEAS, SUGGESTIONS, AND “POSITIVE REINFORCEMENTS”

THIS SPOTLIGHT MEMBER OF THE WEEK is Mike Mellott of MEM Accounting and Tax Service LLC. Let’s change our focus a bit and give a member each week at least *one referral, or a suggestion or idea to help them improve their business*. Really try and give mIKE the best information you can. New ideas, thoughts, or referrals. And Mike - *you be OPEN to accepting all the benefits we are ready to give you*. Here’s his info: - phone is 913-269-6585 and email is memats@me.com

Trivia Question:-

What fruit is used in the dye for government inspector’s meat stamps?



QUOTE OF THE WEEK



The actor that said in *A Day at the Races* : « *Either he’s dead or my watch has stopped* » was Groucho Marx.

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They could not wait for their 5 year lease to end, and stop the bleeding.

It was just a few years ago Mike and Brian were sitting talking to a friend and fellow land owner talking of a new restaurant they were looking to do. This friend offered to build them a building at the corner of 135th and Eby, now Coach's 2.5. It has a full bar and dining restaurant, as well as a complete rooftop section for dining, drinking watching the game(s), or keeping an eye on the kiddos that are playing soccer just across the street.

Mike says that every week he learns something from all of you at a meeting. It is amazing what he has learned and incorporated into his business.

The one area that he continues to hone is his catering business. He knows that the name Coach's Catering is not as well received as more elegant or Foo-Foo names, but he knows that the quality, service, and reputation that he has created more than represents who they are and how they do it. It is a well kept secret, but is becoming more talked about each year.

Mike, Thank You for ALL you do each week, each day, to help all of us with places to gather, entertain, meet, and yes, enjoy a beverage or two, because without Coach's we would be lost in a sea of the same old – same old. Here's Cheers to YOU!

BE A PART OF THE BEST NETWORKING GROUP IN JOHNSON COUNTY – COME JOIN YOUR FELLOW PROSPECTORS THIS THURSDAY

UPCOMING EVENTS:-**June 20th – Our Annual Progressive Dinner – Save The Date !!****Bowling and Bocce at Pinstripes****T-Bones Family Night****Christmas Party Saturday, December 5th, 2015 – SAVE THE DATE****PROSPECTOR EVENTS / NEWS / CHARITABLE CAUSES****Office Space for Rent**

Jim Bell of James Bell CPA LLC has a nice office space for rent (formally the offices of The Pickering Law Firm). Located at 601 N. Mur-Len, Olathe, KS Here is a link to Google Maps -

<https://www.google.com/maps/place/601+N+Mur-Len+Rd,+Olathe,+KS+66062/@38.891262,-94.78005,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m2!3m1!1s0x87c095880d0fb44b:0x31b391decde10ad8>

- **Office Condo**
- **\$1000 / month rent**
- **Utilities Included**
- **500 sq. feet**
- **Signage available**
- **Private entrance**

Contact Jim Bell at 913-853-0359 for more info or to see or refer someone you may know.

You are cordially invited by Cliff O'Bryan of Benefit Brokers to a cause near and dear to his heart:-

MAY 31ST, 2015 - RECONCILIATION SERVICES' 2015 ANNUAL BANQUET

Event to be held at the following time, date, and location:



Sunday, May 31, 2015 from 5:00 PM
to 8:00 PM (CDT)

28 Event Space
1300 W 28 St
Kansas City, MO 64108

The evening will feature cocktails, live and silent auction, live jazz by MMF musicians, and dinner catered by local soul food restaurants. It is going to be a blast! FAQs If you have any questions please simply email Events@RS3101.org. If you buy tickets and have to cancel, no problem. We are glad to refund the ticket portion of your purchase within a week of the event. There is no need to...

Tickets are \$75 per person. You will meet wonderful people and learn more about their missions. See Cliff if you have any questions.

Saturday, April 11th - Erin Brown of Dolce Bakery is having a POP-UP Shop

It is a POP-UP shop at **Anthropologie on the Plaza**. 531 Nichols Rd, Kansas City, MO 64112 (near Country Club Bank) - We will be there from 12-4 selling delicious spring treats! Come see us!! Here is a link:-

<https://www.google.com/maps/place/531+Nichols+Rd,+Country+Club+Plaza,+Kansas+City,+MO+64112/@39.0411742,-94.5945181,17z/data=!3m1!4m2!3m1!1s0x87c0efb79901771b:0x74ecc650290d2bc7>

Phoenix Family Foundation

As you have heard mentioned at breakfast, I am working with the Auction Committee for the Annual Celebration with dinner, and silent and live auctions. This year's theme is "Party like it's 1999". It should be a fabulous evening and I encourage you to consider attending.

Phoenix Family Housing is a great organization. They provide transitional housing for many low income families, and seniors. Please go to www.phoenixfamily.org to find out more about the event and the organization.

I hope each of you will join me in donating to the auction for the event. Any gift card, or creative sponsorship is appreciated. First National Bank is providing a KU jersey signed by Bill Self, Chris Pickering has donated a gourmet dinner, and I will be working with Buckley's Wine market to donate a private wine tasting.

If any of you have a second home that you would consider donating for a few days or a week, that is always greatly appreciated!!!!

At the moment, I just need the commitment, along with the value of the donation. In April, I will arrange to pick up the donation.

Thank you so much for your help and generosity!
Ann Wilkinson

Brew-To-Brew Run

WHEN: Sunday April 12th, 2015

WHAT: B2B is a Kansas City to Lawrence 10 leg relay event. This event benefits Cystic Fibrosis! The Prospector's Club has had a team the last few years. You can run/walk as little as 2.6 miles, or as much of the 43.4 miles you want. Visit website, <http://brewtobrew.com>, for more information.

TIME: We will be starting early. Exact time will be determined after we know our scheduled start time. We usually return mid-afternoon.

REGISTRATION: I will cover the registration cost. Your only cost is a donation to Cystic Fibrosis if you wish.

Jennifer Shelton

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5th Annual Max Jewell Golf Tournament



When: Saturday, April 25th, 2015
Registration begins at 8:00 am
Tee Time: 9:00 am

Where: Minor Park Golf Course
\$90/Player (\$75 if you sign up by March 13th,
2015)

This is a Charity as well as a Memorial Golf
Tournament. All proceeds go to Leukemia and
Lymphoma Society.

Ways to be involved:
Playing in the tournament, helps the day of,
sponsorship, donating raffle or silent auction
items.

If you have any questions please call Niki Savage
at 816-941-2286!



Check our "Max
Jewell Memorial
Golf Tournament"
Page on

facebook

You can contact Mike Darby for more information, too.

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Prospector's Breakfast Club

Attendance and Thank You's Meeting Date: APRIL 2, 2015

PLEASE PLACE "X" IN FRONT OF NAME IF ATTENDING MEETING

Adams, Linda ^{Jeff Morgan, Steve Morlock, Gen Sketh, Sam Skelton} Beverly, William, Alan Boyard, Alan Goodheart, Pat Beckner, Mike Lopez, D.

Airey, Douglas ^{Kevin Darby, Cliff O'Byrne, Kevin York, Jamie Tierstrap, John Kennedy,} ~~Kevin Darby, Cliff O'Byrne, Kevin York, Jamie Tierstrap, John Kennedy,~~

Ashurst, Chase & Amy

Beckner, Pat

Bell, Jim ^{Bev W, Chris P, Eren B, Jenna S, Keith S, Paul F}

Belzer, Dan

Boehringer, Kevin

Bovard, Zach

Brosseit, Mike ^{Alan Heriford, Esu@Dolce}

Brown, Erin ^{Rick W., Keith, Rick C, Jeff H, Felici, Mike Darby, Sheri X10,} Alan G, Alan H, Mike Koppin, Sean, Janine, Chris P, Linda

Cocherl, Stephanie

Cunningham, Rick ^{Dent D., Sean F.}

Cussen, Kathleen ^{Cliff O'Byrne, Linda Adams}

Darby, Mike

Dayal, Vivek ^{Phil G, Cliff O.B., Kevin B., Rich S., Chris P}

Douglas, Kyle

Eckinger, Bill

Eidson, Ken

Emerson, Bill

Felton, Dr. Sean ^{JFK, RICK CUNNINGHAM, RICK WOODBURN, RICH SIRNA, LINDA ADAMS} STEVE MORLOCK, COACH DAN, JEFF MORGAN, PHIL GIBRAN, JEFF MORGAN

Foster, Rod

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Giordano, Phil Thank you! Everyone!!!

Goodheart, Alan LINDA ADAMS, CHAD TRONDSON, ERIN BROWN
ANN WILKINSON

Goodheart, Bruce

Hardin, Das Darby, Heriford, Pickering, Janet Stone & Rich Coleman
Sirna Paros, Oettmeier

Hawkins, Darryl NEIL S. KEVIN Y. DOUG L.

Heriford, Alan Mike Bross, Das Hardin, Eric B, JFK, Keith S, Linda A, Matt P
Mike D, Pat B, Rick S, Rick W, Bob F, Sheri, M, Neil S

Holk, Dan Rick Nowason, Kevin York, Keith Steinichen

Holland, Ed

Hutchison, Ed M. Ke D, Janet S, Rev

Kennedy, John F. Dr Sean Alan Heriford, Linda Adams, JAA Morgan, Mike Darby
Felici, Neil Spencer, Kevin York

Kopplin, Mike Rich Sirna, Kevin York, Linda Adams
Edw Brown, Alan Goodheart

Mellott, Mike

Morgan, Jeff Phil G

Mortko, Sheri Jeff M, Kathleen, Rick S, Rick W, Keith Pat R, Felici, Janine,
Linda, Sean, Rick C, Chris P, Mike D, Alan H, ~~Janine~~ Erin

O'Bryan, Cliff Vivick Dayal, Ed Hutchison, Linda Adams,

Oettmeier, Dr. Bert Rick Cunningham, Das Hardin

Phar, Matt

Pickering, Chris KARDON, DARBY, DOUGLAS, MORELAN, BELL, MORTKO, RAPP, SHELTON
AIREG, WILKINSON, STEINICHEN, HAWKINS, TERSTRIP, BOYER, ROSE, EDISON
Rapp, Bryan

Runyan, Joe

Shelton, Jennifer Terstrip, Bell, Adams, Stanger, Sirna, Wilkinson,
Darby, Williamson, Pickering, Ryan

Sirna, Richard Heriford Goodheart Rick Steiger Bell Coach Jew Dayal Mellott
Janine Boyer Stone Mortko Timoney, Anthony Darby, Mortko, Daniel Koplin, Spencer

Spencer, Neil Kyle Douglas, Phil Giordano, Darryl Hawkins, Alan Heriford
JF Kennedy, Kevin York

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- Stone, Janet BER, ANN (S), JANINE, DAN B, RICH S, Mike D.
- Terstriep, Janine Steenager, Miller, Grodzko, Shalson, Pickett, EKIN, Dorey, Stone, Goodhart, Wolvaton, Moritko, Adams, Cunningham, Benning
- Trondson, Chad _____
- Webb, Tyler _____
- Wilkinson, Ann Mike Darcy, Pat Beckner, Janet Stone, Jennifer Shalson, Jeff Morgan, Pat Ryan
- Williamson, Beverly _____
- Wolverton, Rick RICK C. MORGAN, MILLIE, JEFF M., PAT RYAN, PULG, SHERIM, SEAN F., KEVIN B., CHRIS P.
- York, Kevin DOUG, NICK S, MIKE P, MIKE K, JEFF M., PULG, ROLF, MIKE D, LINDA A., KEITH

GUESTS

Name	Name of Business	Your Position (owner, sales, etc.)