



BREAKING NEWS !!!

Exciting News!! Coach's Bar & Grill Finds Reported New Home near Old Location.

(As reported by KSHB-TV 41 last evening)

KANSAS CITY, Kan. — A metro bar devastated twice by flooding over the past year is trying to reopen on a familiar Kansas City street.

Coach's Bar & Grill wants to reopen at 92nd and Wornall, a mile and a half from its previous home of 35 years.

The catch is — until 2013 the building was occupied by All Saints Episcopal Church, and not everyone is on board with the move.

There was a community meeting 7 p.m. Tuesday at Trailside Center where Coach's owner Brian Darby hoped to win over naysayers.

"We would say 90 percent positive, 10 percent negative," said Darby, describing the feedback.

Some neighbors worry noise, LED lighting, traffic, falling home values and irresponsible drinking will be issues.

The bar would be a fresh start for the Darby family after a tough year.

The original Coach's was owned by Mike Darby, Brian's father. He was murdered in 2017 along the Indian Creek Trail.

This past summer, historic flooding put the bar and whole shopping center at 102nd and Wornall underwater, twice.

Darby and his business partner were trapped in the kitchen overnight and had to be rescued.

But Darby never wanted to close the bar that employed about 50 people and helped him keep his father's memory alive.

"I want to continue his legacy, and I want to adapt it in this neighborhood. I'm willing to do that," said Darby.

Darby said the new space is bigger and he could employ about 75 people.

There is a Facebook group called Stop Coach's but there are only seven members.

Flyers opposing the move were also left on people's doors. One thing it says is that the bar is open until 3 a.m.

However, Darby said they would close early, around midnight. He said it is semantics, but they want to be a neighborhood restaurant.

The building still has to be approved for rezoning from residential to office or retail space. That meeting is with the city on March 6.

"We've talked with Coach's. They plan to make this a family restaurant. It's not going to be a honky tonk or dancing on bars," said Mike Crist, who owns the old building.

Crist said it is part of the building agreement to give certain elements like the stained glass windows back to the Archdiocese.



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That may help the building transform from church to bar and help the Darby family move forward.

"It's been an emotional rollercoaster. The other is a happy experience and my family and I need the happy," said Darby.



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

SPEAKERS SCHEDULE

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ALL THANK YOU'S

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UPCOMING

SPEAKERS

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 Sean Felton, our Membership Chairman a call at 816-258-3774 or email at DrSean.Felton@gmail.com before you visit our group so we can make sure there are no category conflicts with our current members.

March 1 – Zach Bovard of Tight Solutions at Deer Creek CC.

March 8 – Jennifer Shelton of Jennifer Shelton Balance at Deer Creek CC.

March 15 – Doug Airey of Doug Airey Home Care at Deer Creek CC.

**IMPORTANT REMINDER –
ESPECIALLY FOR NEW MEMBERS:-**

WINTER STORM POLICY

If the **Blue Valley School District** cancels classes on the Thursday of our meeting, there will be **NO MEETING THAT DAY.**

Please check late the night before or early the morning of our meeting date for school cancellations.

Trivia Question:-

What liqueur(s) makes a Black Russian black ?



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All Saints Episcopal Church at 92nd and Wornall Rd., KCMO

QUOTES OF THE WEEK



The humpbacked bell ringer of the Church of Notre Dame was Quasimodo.

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

If you have any causes you are supporting this spring, please pass them along to the newsletter editor.

From Erin Brown – Dolce Bakery –

Hi Prospectors,

Please refer someone you know that might fit these two positions below:-

Dolce Bakery is looking to add enthusiastic people to our growing Front of House team! **The Pastry Counter Position** is a customer service position with part time hours available.

Join our upbeat team of passionate people that strive to give our customers the best product and experience possible. Applicants should enjoy connecting with people as a member of a dynamic small business with loyal customers.

We are centrally located in the Village Shops!

Retail or Sales experience is preferred, but we will train the right applicant! You will need a willingness to work weekends and holidays to meet business needs.

To apply, please go to <http://www.dolcebakes.com/joinourteam/> and submit the application form.

Dolce Bakery is looking for a **full time cake and sugar cookie decorator** as part of our growing team! Our decorators create beautiful, delicious products to fill our pastry case and special orders, including weddings.

Join our committed team of passionate people that strive to give our customers the best product and experience possible. Applicants should be organized and excited to create delicious desserts with detail and care.

Pastry decorating experience is preferred, but we will also consider applicants with artistic experience or abilities! You will need a willingness to work Saturdays and holidays to meet business needs.



See Ken Eidson of RBC Wealth Management, one of the sponsors of the event. He has a table of 10 reserved for any Prospector members that wish to purchase tickets (see below for details). Please contact him at 913-451-3543.

Join us for an enchanted evening

We promise you that this is not your typical gala. Grab your favorite storybook character and come join us for Phoenix Family's 15th Annual Un-Gala. We promise that this year's gala will be just as spectacular as in years' past, featuring an open bar, a gourmet seated dinner, and dancing, as well as live and silent auction items.

EVENT INFORMATION

2018 DISTINGUISHED COMMUNITY LEADER

Jonathan Cohn, Chief Executive Officer, The Yarco Companies

AGENDA

- 6:00-7:00 PM: **Cocktail Hour**
- 7:00-8:00 PM: **Gourmet Dinner**
- 8:00-9:00 PM: **Community Leaders Award Ceremony and Live Auction**
- 9:00-11:00 PM: **Dancing and Entertainment**

PARKING

We provide all of our guests with complimentary valet parking. The valet station will be located on the corner of Wyandotte and 16th Street. To take advantage of the complimentary valet parking, please arrive on 14th Street and turn south on Wyandotte. *NOTE: Wyandotte will become ONE-WAY for the night of the event.

COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS

IS IT AN OPEN BAR?

Absolutely.

WHAT SHOULD I WEAR?

Fairytale-chic.

While we love it when our guests join us in fun costumes that reflect our theme, if costumes aren't your thing, come as you are. We want you to be comfortable and have a great time.

CAN KIDS OR TEENAGERS ATTEND?

Please call us at 816.612.8841 to discuss.

WHAT DO I DO IF I HAVE FOOD ALLERGIES?

Please contact us at eotto@phoenixfamily.org or at 816.612.8840 to communicate any food allergies or special accommodations needed.

6TH ANNUAL
JAZZ
TROOST & SOUL
EXPERIENCE

SAVE THE DATE APRIL 28, 2018

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THE 6TH ANNUAL TROOST JAZZ & SOUL EXPERIENCE
will be at the historic Arvest Bank Theatre at the Midland on
SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 2018 AT 7PM

Get dolled up and don your dapper duds for Reconciliation Services' swinging jazz gala, featuring live entertainment, dancing, silent auction, dinner, cocktails, live painting, wine pull, and more!

JOIN US IN CELEBRATING THE STRENGTH AND BEAUTY OF OUR COMMUNITY ALONG TROOST AVENUE AND LEARN ABOUT OUR NEW DONATE-WHAT-YOU-CAN CAFE OPENING THIS SUMMER, A GATHERING PLACE WHERE ALL ARE WELCOME!

Space is limited. For information on sponsorships and to get discounted early bird tickets visit:
www.RS3101.org/TroostJazzandSoul or call 816-931-4751 x.106

This charity event benefits Reconciliation Services at 31st and Troost. Our mission is to cultivate a community seeking reconciliation, to transform Troost from a dividing line into a gathering place, revealing the strength of all.

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Leigh Wagner of KU Integrative Medicine is looking for a highly organized, conscientious, personable, hard-working, and detail-oriented patient service representative. (I hear those are super easy to find!) I appreciate any leads. Thank you! 913-945-6809.