

Calendar of Events

June 10, 2025

Peoria Plates: Food Business Owner Growth Series

Rio Vista Recreation Center

8866 West Thunderbird Road

Peoria, AZ 85381

09:00 AM - 11:00 AM MST

Alex Hernandez, 623-773-7594

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Join us for Peoria Plates for a hands-on workshop designed to demystify the financial side of running a food business.

Brought to you by the City of Peoria & Local First Arizona

FREE | Exclusive In-Person Series

With 2025 nearly halfway through, now is the perfect time to level up your food business! Don't miss Peoria Plates: Food Business Owner Growth Series—a dynamic, hands-on workshop series designed to help you grow, adapt, and thrive in today's food industry.

Topic: Know Your Numbers: Pricing, Costs & Profits for Food Business Success

Whether you're a market vendor, caterer, cottage food operator, mobile food vendor, or just getting started in the food space, this session will equip you with the tools and knowledge you need to succeed.

And yes—coffee and pastries will be provided to keep you fueled while you learn!

? What You'll Learn:

How to price your products strategically and sustainably

The true costs of doing business (and how to track them!)

How to build a simple, effective Profit & Loss (P&L) statement

Smart tips to maximize your profitability

? Perfect For:

Food producers

Cottage food operators

Mobile vendors

Early-stage food entrepreneurs

You'll walk away with practical tools you can apply immediately—plus the chance to sign up for free technical assistance to support your food venture long after the workshop ends.

? Bring your numbers, your questions, and your calculator—let's make your money make sense!

Meet Your Speaker

Gabe Gardner has been working in food since he was 13, washing dishes at his family's

restaurant. A life spent working with food enables him to help small food businesses celebrate the diversity of Arizona produce and flourish in the process. He manages all of Local First Arizona's food initiatives across the state.

June 12, 2025

Unleashing the Power of Renovation Loans! CE Credit Class

Prime Lending

7121 W. Bell Road

Glendale, AZ 85308

10:30 AM - 01:30 PM MST

Leslie Del Maestro, 602.505.0132

ldelmaestro@atsaaz.com

June 12, 2025

Global Credit Union Ribbon Cutting

Global Credit Union

7570 W. Cactus Road

Peoria, AZ 85381

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM MST

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June 13, 2025

The Back Nine Ribbon Cutting

The Back Nine Golf Peoria

9828 W Northern Avenue

Peoria, AZ 85345

05:00 PM - 10:00 PM MST

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DJ Hype Man (Hype Man Entertainment) will be Master of Ceremonies

Photo Booth

Hole In One Contest for \$25,000 cash prize

Closest to the Pin Contest 120 yards

Putting Contest wins a Callaway Odyssey Putter

Raffles will be going throughout the evening for a Callaway Elyte Driver, Callaway Opus

Sand Wedge, Golf Balls, Membership giveaways and B9 Swag

June 18, 2025

June Luncheon

Huntington University

8385 W Mariners Way

Peoria, AZ 85382

11:30 AM - 01:00 PM MST

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June 18, 2025

Peoria Economic Development Coffee and Business Meetup
Sunrise Mountain Library
21109 North 98th Avenue Peoria
Peoria, AZ 85382

09:30 AM - 10:30 AM MST

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June 18, 2025

Passing the Torch: Creating an Estate Plan that Protects Your Legacy

Microsoft Teams

7992 W Thunderbird Road

Peoria, AZ 85381

12:30 PM - 01:00 PM MST

Nicole Di Modica, 6239723133

nicole.dimodica@ampf.com

Hosted By: Affirm Wealth Advisors

Presented By: Mike Gombrich and Garrett Smith, Private Wealth Advisor and Financial Advisor

Q&A With: Matthew Gobbato, Estate Planning/Probate Attorney

Estate planning is more than just a legal process—it's about ensuring your values, assets, and wishes endure for future generations. In this seminar, you'll learn how to craft a personalized estate plan that safeguards your legacy, minimizes taxes, and provides peace of mind. Discover strategies for protecting your assets, navigating complex family dynamics, and planning for unexpected events. Leave with the knowledge to build a legacy that reflects your life's work and secures your family's future.

To reserve a spot: call us at 623.972.3133 or email us at nicole.dimodica@ampf.com. You must RSVP to receive access credentials for this event or seminar.

June 19, 2025

Eterna Wellness MD Grand Opening Event

Eterna Wellness

8765 W Kelton Ln Bldg C1 Suite 101

Peoria, AZ 85382

04:00 PM - 07:00 PM MST

Dr. Priti Singh, 6026501558

Psingh@eternawellnessmd.com

June 21, 2025

Bowlero Via Linda Bowling Fundraiser

Bowlero

9027 E Via Linda

Scottsdale, AZ 85258

01:00 PM - 04:00 PM MST

Jason Bressler, 602-561-2348

jason@phxlegacy.org

June 25, 2025

Military Affairs Committee Meeting

Soldier's Best Friend

14505 N 75th Avenue

Peoria, AZ 85381

Every Wednesday, 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Rhonda Carlson, 623-979-3601

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June 26, 2025

June After Hours Shenanigans

Dillon's KC BBQ Wildlife World Zoo

16335 W Northern Avenue

Litchfield Park, AZ 85340

05:00 PM - 06:30 PM MST

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June 28, 2025

Gateway Classic Cars Caffiene & Chrome Car Show

9451 N 79th Ave #100

09:00 AM - 12:00 PM MST

Gateway Classic Cars, (623) 439-7134

July 1, 2025

Networking Breakfast

Arrowhead Valley Retirement Resort

20025 N 81st Ave

Peoria, AZ 85382

07:30 AM - 09:00 AM MST

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July 10, 2025

Tariffs and Market Volatility: Navigating the Risks to Your Portfolio

Microsoft Teams

04:30 PM - 05:00 PM MST

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Presented By: Mike Gombrich and Garrett Smith, Private Wealth Advisor and Financial Advisor

Trade policies can move markets - are you prepared? This seminar unpacks the impact of tariffs, trade agreements, and global shifts on socks, industries, and investments. Learn strategies to navigate an ever-changing financial landscape.

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July 16, 2025

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July 30, 2025

Military Affairs Committee Meeting

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August 12, 2025

Quarterly Market Outlook

Microsoft Teams

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Peoria, AZ 85381

12:30 PM - 01:00 PM MST

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Hosted By: Affirm Wealth Advisors

Presented By: Matt MacLean and Steve Harnden, Private Wealth Advisors

Q&A With: Alan Alpers, Investment Manager

Join us for a 30-minute call as we discuss the current market outlook. In the interest of making the most of our time, please email any questions you would like us to cover during the Q&A to Nicole Di Modica at nicole.dimodica@ampf.com.

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August 27, 2025

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September 24, 2025

Military Affairs Committee Meeting
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Peoria, AZ 85381

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October 29, 2025	<p>Military Affairs Committee Meeting Soldier's Best Friend 14505 N 75th Avenue Peoria, AZ 85381 Every Wednesday, 4:30 - 5:30 PM Rhonda Carlson, 623-979-3601 rcarlson@peoriachamber.com <i>Our Military Affairs Committee recognizes that importance of providing opportunities that serve and support active-duty military, veterans, and their families. It focuses its efforts on programs and events that provide advocacy and promotion of veteran-owned businesses, outreach and mentorship to veterans transitioning into the workforce, and support of various veterans-focused needs in the community.</i></p>
November 14, 2025	<p>Phoenix Legacy Foundation's 8th Annual Charity Gold Tournament Palm Valley Golf Club 2211 N Litchfield Rd Goodyear, AZ 85395 08:00 AM - 03:00 PM MST Jason Bressler, 602-561-2348 jason@phxlegacy.org</p>
November 14, 2025	<p>Phoenix Legacy Foundation's 8th Annual Charity Golf Tournament Palm Brook Golf Club 9350 W Greenway Road Sun City, AZ 85351 08:00 AM - 03:00 PM MST Jason Bressler, 602-561-2348 jason@phxlegacy.org</p>
Coming Soon	<p>Redstone Orthodontics Ribbon Cutting Redstone Orthodontics 10006 W Happy Valley Pkwy Peoria, AZ 85383 04:00 PM - 05:30 PM MST Peoria Chamber Events, 623-979-3601 memberservices@peoriachamber.com</p>