



Atlantic City



MBCA Community Spirit Award Recipient Honoree Tropicana (accepted by Steve Callender) L to r: Ken Calemmo, Miss America, Cara Mund, Steve Callender and Mayor Donald Guardian.

The 27th Anniversary of the MBCA Installation/ Awards Gala took place on Monday, October 23, 2017 at host sponsor, Tropicana Atlantic City. This event has become the business/social event of the fall season. Over 1,000 guests were in attendance as we honored Tropicana Atlantic City with the MBCA Community Spirit Award. Tropicana Atlantic City is a premier east coast destination that recently invested over \$90 million to bring more innovative and non-gaming excitement to its guests and the local community. Their charitable contributions include the United Way, the Tara Miller Foundation, Hero Campaign, Read Across America, CASA for Children, AtlantiCare, Shore Medical Center and more.

Entertainment was provided by Boogie nights complete with DJ, dancing, and special guest Miss America 2018 Miss Cara Mund. Mayor Don Guardian installed the 2018 Board of Directors including new board members Veronica Morley of Ocean First Bank and Donna Danielson of Tangier Outlets The WALK. Congratulations to the entire Board as we begin our 27th year serving the Atlantic City region. The master of ceremonies was Ken Calemmo of Cooper Levenson, Attorneys At Law. The gala featured the foods from the premiere restaurants at the Tropicana, Olon & Okatshe, Il Verdi and Golden Dynasty.

More gala photos inside

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ANNUAL NEW YEAR KICK-OFF LUNCHEON
Wednesday, January 24, 2018 • Golden Nugget Atlantic City

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Also available new MBCA brochures online.

Membership Application

Form fields for Name, Business Name, Address, City, State, Zip, Home phone, Business phone, Email, and membership options (Citizen \$25, Non-Profit/Governmental \$50, Small Business \$100, Large Business \$150).

Please complete the above application and mail it to:

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or fax it to 609.344.5244
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DUES NOTICE Membership Cards have been sent and all memberships must be paid in full to remain full status.
2018 Membership Dues should be forwarded to: 1616 Pacific Ave. 6th Floor., Atlantic City, NJ 08401.
Casino/Large Business (100+ employees) \$150.00 Small Business \$100.00
Non Profit/Governmental \$50.00 Citizens \$25.00
Dues to join MBCA help area charities, and provide MBCA membership benefits which include newsletters, special events and reduced rates for members. You need to be a full Member to receive ALL benefits!



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WINTER 2018

Wednesday, January 24th, 2018 • 12PM

"Atlantic City Developers Forum"



Featuring Leaders of Investment and Development
Wasseem Boraie - Dave Robbins - Bruce Kaye - Harvey Kesselman

Golden Nugget Casino in the Grand Ballroom Open to the Public
Tickets \$45 (members) \$50 (non-members)
Reserved tables of 10 with signage \$450.00
Priority seating available (Limited Availability)
Call 609.348.1903 or email: comments@acmetbiz.com
For additional information visit mbcanj.com
The MBCA Winter Luncheon is sponsored by FantaSea Resorts

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The Metropolitan Business & Citizens Association (MBCA) is proud to bring our community the Annual "New year's Kick-off Business Luncheon, January 24th, 2018, Noon at the Golden Nugget Casino (Grand Ballroom). We have heard about visions and goals, now hear and see the economic reality from our featured businessman/developers who have invested

millions into Atlantic City and will employ thousands, MBCA's 2018 Developers Forum Panel will feature: leaders in Investment and development including **Bruce Kay of FantaSea Resorts, Wasseem Borarie (The Beach at South Inlet Resident Project), Dr. Harvey Kesselman, Stockton University President on The Gateway Project) and Dave Robbins (new President of South Jersey Gas).**

Hear and see the plans, updates and future development in Atlantic City from the Inlet to Albany Ave. Included will be a question and answer session and never before seen plans., Kick off the new year with the "Movers and Shakers" of development here in Atlantic City for 2018!

Truly new times are ahead for Atlantic City! Be part of the future with us on January 24th.

The New Year's Kick-Off Winter Luncheon is a long city tradition and MBCA is proud to be able to present this economic forum to the community at The Golden Nugget of Atlantic City. We are also proud to be the first area organization to provide this platform in 2018!

Tickets for members are \$45.00 pp /non-Members \$50.00 pp. Reserved priority tables of 10 with signage is available for \$450.00 by calling Gary Hill at 609-348-1903/ Limited seats available. You can go on line to make payments at www.mbcanj.com . RSVP by January 20th 2018. The Winter Luncheon is proudly sponsored by



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INSTALLATION/AWARDS GALA PHOTOS



Bronze Sponsors ANCERO with Boogie Nights entertainers



Radio host Whitney Ulman, Master of Ceremonies Ken Calemmo with Miss America 2018 Cara Mund



AC Day Nursery Members with Miss America 2018 Cara Mund



Holiday Turkey Drop by MBCA and Cooper Levenson

The MBCA delivered over 75 turkeys to area senior and disabled over the holidays. MBCA board member Rick Santoro, Gary Hill and members Ken Calemmo and Jim Kutch again helped distribute turkeys to senior centers. This follows a long MBCA holiday tradition. Special thanks to **Cooper Levenson** for sponsoring this special festive event.

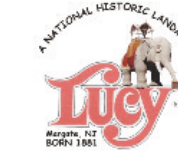


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MONDAY MARCH 19, 2018

Linwood Country Club (under new management) Food, Cash Bar, Entertainment, Free Parking **TO BENEFIT LUCY THE ELEPHANT** Tickets only \$40.00 pp or a MAD Package of 11 tickets for \$400.00. (Come Shake off the Winter Blues) Help support a New Jersey landmark!



MBCA Helping Others This Quarter CONTRIBUTIONS:

Bacharach Hospital Foundation
MS Society
Atlantic County Residents Outreach



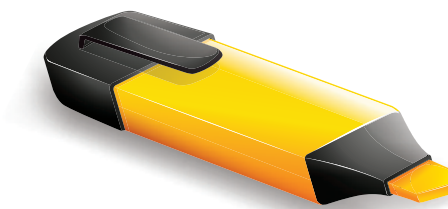
NEW MEMBERS

Business

Liz Casey Law
VA Productions, Inc.

Citizens

Kevin Thomas
Stanley Dobrowski



Business Highlight: FantaSea Resorts

FantaSea Resorts is the premier non-gaming vacation provider in the Northeast United States and one of the largest privately owned hospitality companies established in Atlantic City, New Jersey. Comprised of three signature boutique resorts - La Sammana, Flagship and Atlantic Palace - it develops, markets and sells vacation ownership and hotel accommodations with superior guest services and amenities. The company's three resort properties are located in South Jersey and serve more than 45,000 Owners. FantaSea Resorts is headquartered in the NorthEast Inlet of Atlantic City, employs over 500 people regionally, and has received an A+ rating by the Better Business Bureau.

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