

# The GOOD News

Greater Orlando Organization Development Network



November - December, 2016

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Coaching Community of Practice -- Friday, November 18th

*Topic for November: Cultural Diversity Coaching and Tools*

[Registration is now open](#) for all members interested in Coaching, and we invite you to attend this meeting.

Location: UCF Business Incubator Downtown Orlando, located 3218 E. Colonial Dr, Suite G, FL 32803; 11:30 AM - 1 PM Feel free to bring a brown bag lunch.

### Join Us for GOOD Times -- November 30th at 5:30pm

Don't miss this opportunity to mix and mingle with other GOOD Network members. Our social networking event is open to both members and non-members. Bring a friend that may be interested in becoming a GOOD member. When you register, please add your guest, so we have a good head count for our reservation.

We will enjoy happy hour an assortment of appetizers provided by the GOOD Network and purchase our drinks at happy hour prices.

[Click here to register.](#)

**Location:** BJ's Restaurant & Brewhouse, 4151 Conroy Rd, Orlando, FL 32839; 5:30 PM - 8 PM

## MEMBERSHIP NEWS

### Membership Dues Renewal

In mid-December, we will begin our membership renewal drive for those memberships that expire on 1/1/2017. Each expiring individual member will receive a renewal notice and invoice that will **offer you our Early Bird Renewal special dues rate of \$75.00**. You will have until January 31st to take advantage of the savings. If you have not renewed by the end of January, your membership will lapse on February 1 and you will have to rejoin at the regular dues rate.

We hope our Early Bird incentive will encourage your early renewal and help us lock in our budget for 2017 programming. It helps to know our dues income to decide how much we can afford to spend on travel for inviting out-of-town speakers.

Corporate members are handled manually. We contact each corporate group to see if the organization wants to renew and who will be a part of the 2017 group. Members of the corporate group will also get email reminders but no invoice. If the corporate group fails to renew, we invite corporate members to become individual members at the Early Bird Rate.

## Implications of Gaming and Virtual Reality on OD Interventions -- December 2nd

Increasingly, companies are being challenged to use innovative principles and technologies such as gamification and VR to improve bottom line outcomes. Unlike previous disruptors, video games and Gear VR powered by Oculus have the potential to take OD interventions to the next level. Because of their influence on behavior change, gaming and VR should not be overlooked by OD Practitioners and business leaders alike.

[Click here to register for the bi-monthly event.](#)

**Location:** Goodwill Industries of Central Florida, 7531 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando, FL 32809; 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

## GOOD Doing Good at a Gift for Teaching -- December 3rd

Save the date for our **GOOD Doing Good** service project on Saturday, December 3, 2016 from 8:00 to 12:00.

More details and logistics will be posted closer to the project date.

Members are welcome to bring guests. You can add them when you register.

[Click here to register](#)

**Location:** A Gift for Teaching, see registration for details.

## Technology Consulting Community of Practice Offers Two Interesting Webinars

1. [Mastering Performance Management](#): The Power of Focused Conversations on November 30th at 12pm

## Welcome our Newest Members!

Please welcome these new (and former) members who have joined us since October, 2016:

Sean Chin  
Robert Lowe  
Lisa Moore  
Priscilla Oliveira  
Gregg Okaiwele  
Kevin Phillips  
Maria Twitchell  
Stephanie Zappasodi

## Jim Aubele - RIP



We note with sadness that Jim Aubele, a GOOD Network member from the Florida Hospital corporate group, has passed away. Jim lost his battle with cancer and our thoughts go out to his family, colleagues and friends.

## From Rob Rogers, President

We have a lot to celebrate. But first let me say as we close out the GOOD Network year for 2016, what a pleasure it has been to serve you. We have ended the year with a membership of over 180, we have multiple, active Community of Practice groups meeting often, and relationships being formed and developed through our regular socials and mentoring program. Our 2016 member survey told us that you are very satisfied with our bi-monthly programs and that you continue to find this organization of great value.

I want to say thank you to the entire group of leadership team members and volunteers who have made this a fantastic year for the GOOD Network. We recently voted for the 2017 Leadership Team and I have recently met with them. Let me say that they are fabulous and talented people who really love this organization. As I lead us again in

2. [Motivate or Medicate](#): Getting Staff to Do What You Want! on December 14th at 1pm

## 2017 Board Of Directors

**President** - Rob Rogers  
 VP for Bi-monthly Programs - Laura Gallaher  
**VP Membership** - Margo Hamel and Michelle Tunsil  
**Secretary** - Krystena Sterling  
**Treasurer** - Michelle Lauren  
**Communications Director** - Kamaria Scott  
**Hospitality Director** - Jennifer Crowell  
**Director of Special Programs/Events** - Kirsten Cooper and Isabella Johnston  
**Advisory Board** - Vicki Lavendol, Kristin Chase, Pat Brown, Nicole Baker Rosa, & Carol Emmett

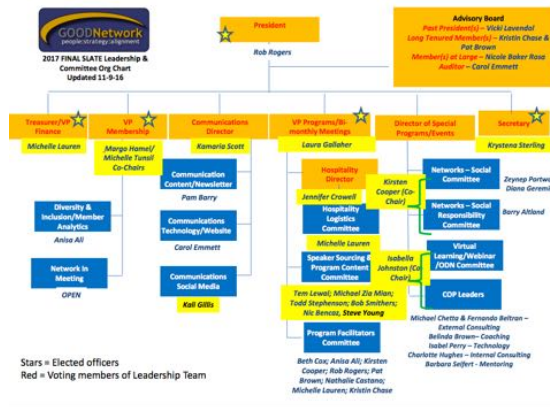
2017, please know that we are open to your suggestions and feedback and we hope that you will invite your friends and colleagues to visit a bi-monthly meeting very soon.



## Membership Survey Results

Thanks to all members who completed the membership survey. Results of the survey (with any member personal data removed) have been posted on the website. The Leadership Team reviewed the results at the November Board meeting and will incorporate it into our 2017 decision-making.

A drawing for a free membership to reward those who completed the survey will be made at the December 2nd bi-monthly meeting.



[Link to the Org. Chart on Governance Page of the website.](#)