Press Release:

2018 El Dorado Hills Chamber Business Awards

The El Dorado Hills Chamber of Commerce held their annual business awards and installation dinner on Feb. 21st at the Serrano Country Club. During the event, six awards were given out and owners or representatives from each organization or business were there to accept. It was an evening of friendly business conversations and mingling. More than 190 business leaders, elected officials and community members were in attendance. Along with the installation of Chamber 2019 board members the business award winners were announced. Mark S. Allen was MC. making the night full of celebration and “FUN”. Kevin Barri newly appointed Chairman of the Board spoke of being excited to be a part of this great organization and that his goal was to support EDH business leaders but also to promote fun this year. Each table setting was equipped with clown noses and bright silly glasses to make sure we weren’t taking ourselves too seriously and to have a good time. To start off the night Sheriff D’Agostini started the swearing in by saying, “You have the right to remain silent”… which was hilarious! The El Dorado Hills Chamber is about advocating and supporting our local businesses. Which is always the goal but this year it will be done with just a little more flair. The Chamber wants to congratulate the 2018 business award winners. This community is more vibrant and well rounded with these hard working individuals in it! Attendees included Kevin Kiley, Joe Harn, John Hidahl, Shiva Frentzen, Brian Veerkamp, Sheriff John D’Agostini, Directors of the CSD, EID plus many more.

Winners:

**Small Business of the Year 2018**was awarded to Fortis. The award was accepted by David Ciapponi, Peter Oliver, David Little.

**Start-up Business of the Year 2018**was awarded to Gold Rush Energy Solutions. The award was accepted by Jordan Lykins and Daniel Ramirez.

**Home-Based Business of the Year 2018**was awarded to You’ve been Served. The award was accepted by Cindy LaCasse & David Koff.

**Excellence in Business 2018**was awarded to Doug Veerkamp. Doug Veerkamp General Engineering.

**Young Extreprenuer Award 2018** was awarded to Micah Smith owner of Tailored Tree.

**Aspiring Entrepreneur 2018** was awarded to Cade Richard.