



Win a fill-up for a year this Sunday at Gulfstream Park

Gulfstream Park can help you beat the high cost of fuel... This Sunday at 2 p.m., 6 p.m. and 10 p.m., Gulfstream will randomly select a winner to receive a year's worth of free gasoline. Player's Club members using their card will be eligible. Rules and restrictions apply; see the Player's Club desk for details. Also on Sunday, Player's Club members can earn \$25 BP gas cards with 50 points.

Every Friday from noon to 3 p.m. until the end of August, Gulfstream Park will hold a Free-for-All slot tournament in the first-floor Finish Line Casino with total prizes of \$3,000 in cash and free play. There will be 20 prizes awarded each week, with a weekly grand prize of \$1,000. Each player will have 10 minutes to score as many points as possible. It's free to enter, but first come, first served. To play in the free tournaments, contestants must be members of the Good Luck Player's Club. Club enrollment is free.

Members of the Casino's Player's Club are eligible to take part in the following daily promotions: Monday Bonus Bucks: Check your mailbox to see if you qualify for bonus bucks. Seniors Tuesdays: Player's Club members over 55 can receive \$10. In addition, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, members have a chance to win \$55 in free casino play every 20 minutes. Scratch & Win Gulfstream Gold on Wednesday: Cash in

Gulfstream Gold tickets for cash or free play every Wednesday this month. \$500 winners every Thursday: Every Thursday this month, Gulfstream Park will award \$500 in cash every 20 minutes from 2 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Gulfstream Park, South Florida's home for championship thoroughbred racing is pleased to announce that it is now simulcasting and taking wagers on



That thundering sound you hear is the world-class racing from Del Mar and Saratoga that Gulfstream Park hosts every day and evening

two stakes-rich race meets: Del Mar's, which opened July 16th, and Saratoga's, which starts Wednesday, July 23rd. Every day brings stakes race excitement, and the weekend's feature races include the Diana, Jim Dandy and Whitney Handicap from Saratoga and the San Clemente and Big Crosby handicaps from Del Mar.

For more information, call 954-454-7000 or visit gulfstreampark.com

Finance Placements & Consulting specializes in finding the perfect fit

BY LYNN CARROLL

Quality financial institutions, investment banking and private-equity firms, and not-for-profits seeking the right candidate to fill executive positions in their ranks should use a proven expert. Finance Placements & Consulting Inc. provides the one-on-one attention to clients to do the job right.

With Finance Placements & Consulting, financial institutions are getting more than a position filled. They're getting a partner in business development.

"Our goal," says President Lisa D. Gaeta, "is to understand our client's management team, the firm's philosophy and its long-term goals so we can find the perfect executive fit. We like to meet face-to-face with more than one member of a firm's management team so we have a good understanding of their culture and where they want to be over time.

"We're pro-active rather than reactive with our clients. We meet with a company executive on a monthly or quarterly basis so that we can be updated on growth and expansion plans. We want to be part of the family, not a one-hit wonder; and we don't just throw resumes at clients. We get to know our candidates and do our own due diligence."

Matching candidates to open positions is a kind of courting process, Gaeta says - and to ensure a perfect match, she maintains good

relationships with selected other high-quality executive search firms.

Another thing that sets Finance Placements & Consulting apart, she says, is its very handsome referral program.

"That's one of our unique features," Gaeta says. "Many executive search firms do not give referrals."

Not only does her firm place executives, she adds, but it can also bring potential business and joint-venture partners to the table.

Finance Placements has recently been branching out into the not-for-profit sector as well, and recently found a CFO for ChildNet in Broward County.

Proof of client satisfaction is that most new business for Finance Placements is from client as well as candidate referrals.

Gaeta, a former Wall Street executive, says she's been determined since arriving in South Florida about three years ago to give back to the community. Her most recent accomplishments include creation of a Women's Empowerment Workshop at the Jack & Jill Children's Center for low-income working families. She was also recently named 2008 Woman of the Year by the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society for South Florida.

To contact Finance Placements & Consulting located at 1 E. Broward Blvd, Suite 700, Ft. Lauderdale, call 954-745-7515 or visit finance-placements.com



Lisa Gaeta, president, Finance Placements & Consulting

Michael Ann Russell Jewish Community Center plans expansion

BY LYNN CARROLL

An arts center and a café are among features of a continuing expansion planned over the next three years at the Michael Ann Russell Jewish Community Center on the Sanford L. Ziff Campus, 18900 NE 25th Avenue, North Miami Beach.

Gary Bomzer, the center's executive director, said that in the first phase is a café with food service that will overlook the center's newly renovated outdoor athletic complex. "The idea," he says, "is to give parents a place to sit while they watch and wait for their children to finish their sports activities."

"We then plan to build an arts and cultural center," he said. "It will include a theater, art rooms, dance studios and space for different kinds of exhibits, as well as a lounge for parties." Also planned is a new building for after-school programs from kindergarten through high-school. "Hopefully," Bomzer says, "we'll eventually be able to build a parking garage, too."

The Michael Ann Russell Jewish Community Center offers programs for

everyone from infants aged 2 months to people who have reached the age of 102.

"We offer a great many family programs. We're very committed to the family," Bomzer says. "We do events such as carnivals, festivals and trips designed to keep the family together."

"We have pre-school for children 3-5 and are on the same campus as the Hillel Community Day School, which uses our sports and recreation center," Bomzer says. "We also have a sports and recreation program we do with Temple Sinai."

Membership categories cater to every member of the family, Bomzer says, and people can join either as a family unit or an individual. "The fees are reasonable," Bomzer says, "and can be paid on a monthly basis."

The Center gets support from the United Way of Miami-Dade County and the Greater Miami Jewish Federation. "Based on our current fees," he says, "we still need additional dollars to help underwrite the costs for participants in financial need. We try not to turn anyone away because of an inability to pay."

For more information, call (305) 932-4200 or visit marjcc.org

The Continental Group promotes Bill Worrall to vice president

The Continental Group, the largest property management company in Florida, announced the promotion of Bill Worrall to vice president. In his new role, Worrall will oversee sited management properties throughout the company's South Central Florida region, which encompasses 11 counties including Palm Beach, Martin, Collier and Lee.

In addition to general property management, Worrall will focus on the management and financial stabilization of distressed properties, including individual units, fractional condos, and bank-owned properties.

Worrall was previously a senior area manager. He originally joined Continental in 2002. A Sunny Isles Beach resident, Worrall graduated from University of Maryland with a bachelor's degree in economics. He recently completed Leadership West Palm Beach and is a member of Urban Land Institute.



Founded in 1990, The Continental Group's corporate headquarters is located in Hollywood, Fla. It also has regional offices in Kendall, West Palm Beach and Orlando. The company is the largest manager of multifamily rental communities and condominium and homeowner associations in the state, and one of South Florida's leading private sector employers. Guided by its Florida focus, the company has grown to approximately \$300 million in annual business with 6,000 full-time employees.

Today, The Continental Group manages and maintains more than 1,200 condominium and homeowner associations in Florida, representing over 250,000 residential units.

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