# ON THE MOVE

# Milestones

EHC Inc., a construction company that provides pre-construction, earthwork and infrastructure services, recently celebrated its 25th anniversary, having grown from two employees work-



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ing out of an on-site trailer in 1990 to more than 70 employees, a corporate office, a fleet of equipment and a network of partners. Over the years the company has completed hundreds of projects worth hundreds of millions of dollars for municipalities, developers, builders, owners and general contractors from Collier County to Pinellas County. **Jeff Hunt** is the company CEO and a co-owner along with his brother, Greg Hunt, Tony Hamilton and Shane Graves.

### Awards & Recognition

Carolyn Chester of Naples has earned a President's Volunteer Service Award from AT&T in recognition of devoting more than 200 hours in 2014 to volunteer service with the American Cancer CHESTER



Society, the Karene C. Pace Ovarian Cancer Foundation and the National Ovarian Cancer Foundation.

Sanjay Kurian, shareholder in the national law firm Becker & Poliakoff, has received The Florida Bar Construction Law Institute's inaugural Rising Star Award. A board-certified construction lawyer, Mr. KURIAN



Kurian is a member of the construction law and litigation practice group at the firm's offices in Naples and Fort Myers. He represents community associations, owners and developers in a variety of construction and insurance issues. He also is a member of the firm's disaster recovery and rebuilding team and has handled numerous hurricane claims representing condominium associations against their own insurance carriers.

#### **Board Appointments**

Lighthouse of Collier, Inc., Center for Blindness and Vision Loss, announces the following officers for 2015: Art Bookbinder, president; Charles Thomson, vice president; David Varoski, treasurer: David Weigel, secretary.

In addition, Robert Keane has joined the Lighthouse of Collier board of directors. Mr. Keane is the director of conference services at LaPlaya Beach & Golf Resort.

The Florida Gulf Coast University Alumni Association announces the following officers and board members for the 2015-17 term: **Harry Casimir**, chair; Rachel Faramo, development; Ryan Kowadla, membership; and Lauren She earned a bachelor's degree in stu-

as a board member since 2009. While an undergraduate at FGCU, he co-founded Atilus, a web design and Internet marketing firm in Bonita Springs, where he now serves as director of operations. New members of the alumni association board are: Todd Cofer, Meredith Dyer, Dan Harris, Ryan King, Britney Lamb, Andrew Miller, Brian Sanders, Gabriella Santos and Caroline Thomas. Members returning for a second term are: Paul Allen, Rachel Faramo and Corey Smith.

Jill Miller has joined the board of directors for Youth Haven. A native of Detroit, Ms. Miller served eight years as executive director of the SAE Detroit Section, a nonprofit organization with 18,000 MILLER



members and the largest chapter of SAE International. She was awarded the 2007 Crain's Most Influential Women in Michigan award as well as the 2005 Clinton Valley (Michigan) Good Scout Award.

#### Interior Design

Brooke Brimacombe, Amber Caton and Kelly Slater have joined the design team at Wegmen Design Group. Ms. Brimacombe has worked in residential interior design for three years and joins Wegman Design Group to concentrate on commercial clients.

**Schuetz**, awards. Mr. Casimir has served dio art and a master's in interior design from Florida State University. Ms. Caton earned a bachelor's degree in interior design from Kansas State University and a master's in historic preservation from the University of Florida. Ms. Slater will graduate in May from the New England Institute of Technology with an associate degree and a bachelor's degree in interior design. She recently won her school's top award for technical interior design.

## Nonprofit News

Maria Jiminex-Lara has been named CEO of the Naples Children & Education Foundation, the founding organization of the Naples Winter Wine Festival, effective May 1. Ms. Jimenez-Lara pre- JIMINEX-LARA



viously served NCEF as director of foundation services and grants director. Prior to joining the foundation in 2012, she spent 20 years leading programs for underserved vouth, most recently as director of charter schools for the Redlands Christian Migrant Association. She also serves on the board of directors for Susan G. Komen-Southwest Florida. A native of Puerto Rico who grew up in Miami, Ms. Jimenez-Lara earned a bachelor's degree in psychology at Universidad de las Americas, a bachelor's in management at Florida International University and a master's in public administration from Hodges University. She has lived in Naples since 1999. ■











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