# **Calendar of Events**

September 18, 2024 - December 13, 2024 Goldman Sachs 10,000 small Businesses Fall 2024 Cohort Houston Community College Alief Hayes Campus 2811 Hayes Rd Houston, TX 77082 08:30 AM - 05:30 PM CST

YOU BUILT YOUR BUSINESS, WE'LL HELP YOU GROW IT!

The Greater Houston area is home to many small businesses. If you are ready to stand out amongst other small businesses and have an economic impact in your community, then apply to the Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses program and take your business to the next level.

#### **EXPECTATIONS**

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12-week program focused on business growth

No cost to participate

Weekly Classes on Fridays, 8:30am - 5:30pm

A few Wednesday Clinics - 3:00pm - 6:30pm

Classes held at Houston Community College (HCC) Alief Hayes Campus

WHO SHOULD APPLY

Minimum Requirements

Must be the owner or co-owner

Business in operation 2 years or more

Business with a minimum of two employees

HOW TO APPLY

Application Process

Step 1) Apply online via 10ksbapply.com

Step 2) If application meets minimum program qualifications, applicant is invited to interview.

Step 3) In order to guarantee an interview, applicant must submit supporting financial documentation that validates they meet the minimum program criteria.

Step 4) Final candidates to participate are selected following the interview.

FALL 2024 Cohort

The application deadline is:

June 4, 2024 https://www.houston10ksb.com/

November 21, 2024

State of the Pilots
Marriott Houston South at Hobby Airport
9100 Gulf Freeway
Houston, TX 77017
11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST
Amy Skicki, 8327710773
a.skicki@baytran.org

Captain Matthew Glass representing the Houston Pilots and Captain Mark Saunders representing the Galveston-Texas City Pilots will join Economic Alliance Houton Port Region's President & CEO, Chad Burke, for a captivating panel discussion on thier mission and needs to continue to safely navigate and protect our region's ship channels.

November 22, 2024

#### ?? HRVCC ?? Weekly Meeting

Virtual - Zoom

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM CST

Houston Regional Veterans Chamber - Weekly Virtual Zoom Meeting

Members & Guests

Zoom Link for 2024

Zoom Meeting -- \*\*\* Best to Keep your Confirmation Email so you will not have to

re-register again for future meetings.

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Meeting ID: 892 8812 3579 Passcode: VetBiz2023

November 22, 2024

#### **Phoenix Rising Friends-Giving**

**Derby Houston** 

13150 Breton Ridge Street

Houston, TX 77070

08:00 PM - 11:45 PM CST Megan Marsh, 832-326-2468 info@phoenixrisingmythics.com

Join Phoenix Rising for a Friends-Giving Event. The car club is hosting an evening filled with festive food, drinks, entertainment, and the chance to get an up-close-and-personal look at the current inventory of giveaway cars. A portion of Phoenix Rising membership fees benefit various causes, including Camp Hope to support veterans battling PTSD.

November 29, 2024

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December 5, 2024

2024 Meet The Buyer Procurement Forum George R. Brown Convention Center (Hall E) 1001 Avenida De Las Americas

Houston, TX 77010

09:00 AM - 01:00 PM CST

December 6, 2024

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Stories That Connect: Authentic Marketing In The Age Of Al Impact Hub Houston 808 Travis Street #Suite 102 Houston, TX 77002 11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST

Stories That Connect: Authentic Marketing In The Age Of Al

Learn how to refine your marketing approach and empower your storytelling in an age where authenticity matters more than ever!

Date and time: Friday, December 6 · 11:30am - 1pm CST

Location: Impact Hub Houston 808 Travis Street #Suite 102 Houston, TX 77002

Join the Houston Marketing Alliance for an insightful and engaging lunch and learn session that will revolutionize your approach to marketing in the AI era. In this workshop, we'll explore how companies can maintain human-centric authenticity and create meaningful connections through storytelling – even as artificial intelligence reshapes the marketing landscape.

??Workshop Highlights:

In this session, we'll explore how to harness the power of authentic storytelling to create meaningful connections with your audience. Our expert facilitators will guide you through:

Simplifying Authenticity: Learn how to express your true brand identity without overcomplicating your message.

Building Marketing Confidence: Gain practical insights to bolster your confidence in marketing strategies that resonate.

Aligning Purpose with Profitability: Discover how to effectively connect your organization's mission to financial success.

Framework for Storytelling in 2025: Develop a comprehensive framework for crafting authentic narratives that engage and inspire your audience in the coming years. FREE Lunch!

?Who Should Attend:

Purpose-driven organizations
CEOs of medium-sized businesses (\$10 million - \$1 billion)
Marketing professionals and executives
Individuals looking to sustain marketing momentum
Fractional CMOs, CEOs, and COOs
Fast-growing businesses seeking impactful strategies

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December 7, 2024

4th Annual Pearl Harbor Veterans Dinner WaterGrove Event Center 3920 Gulf Fwy Dickinson, TX 77539 06:00 PM - 09:00 PM CST

The Annual Pearl Harbor Veterans Dinner is an annual event falling on pearl harbor day that supports our local veterans, their families, and honors those who have given the ultimate sacrifice for freedom.

December 7, 2024

Breakfast with Veterans and Santa Katy Elks Club Katy Ft Bend Rd Katy , TX 07:00 AM - 10:00 AM CST Sandy Krum , +1 (832) 549-9501 commander@legionpost164katytx.org WHO:

Everybody is welcome, bring your family!

WHEN:

Holiday Breakfast with Santa

December 7 2024

7:00 AM—10:00 AM

WHERE:

Katy Elk's Lodge

1050 Katy Fort Bend Rd.

Katy TX 77493

\$10 Adults

\$5 for kids under 12

FREE for kiddies under 3

December 11, 2024

Greater Houston Business Procurement Forum (GHBP) ?Where Business Takes Place?
Houston Community College West Loop Campus
5601 West Loop South
Houston, TX 77081
07:30 AM - 11:00 AM CST
Milton Thibodeaux, 832-216-2185

Please Join Us Wednesday, Dec 11th, 2024

For the Greater Houston Business Procurement Forum (GHBPF) Breakfast Meeting scheduled from 7:30 am to 11:00 am
Houston Community College West Loop Campus
5601 West Loop South, Houston, TX 77081

The Forum will feature Key Representatives from some of our more active Educational Institutions including Independent School Districts, Community Colleges and Universities as they discuss upcoming Projects, Initiatives and related business opportunities.

Admission
Free
Registration
At the Door with Business Card
No Pre-Registration Required
Parking

## Free in the Parking Lots adjacent to the Building as well as the attached Garage

GHBPF - About Us

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Website

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Events - Presentations

Calendar

Become a Sponsor

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Contact Info

# GHBPF - 2024 Calendar

January 30, 2024

February 20, 2024

March 26. 2024

April 23, 2024

May 28, 2024

June 18, 2024

July 23, 2024

August 20, 2024

September 24, 2024

October 22, 2024

November 20, 2024

December 11, 2024!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Invite Your Colleagues

December 13, 2024

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December 20, 2024

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December 27, 2024

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????HRVCC???? Conroe FOB Monthly Meeting Honor Cafe' - VOB & HRVCC Member 103 N Thompson St Suite 101 Conroe, TX 77301 06:00 PM - 09:00 PM CST Lou Rosado & Chris Sadler, 832-205-8872 Irosado@houveteranschamber.org

Monthly HRVCC Members Meeting Conroe FOB
- First Thursday of every Month (except January 2025)

Open to HRVCC Members, Veteran & Military Spouse Owned Businesses and First Responder & Passionate Patriot Businesses (All Business Owners that want to support Veteran Business Owner & Entrepreneurs.)

Where: Honor Cafe, 103 N Thompson St Suite 101, Conroe, TX 77301, VOB & HRVCC

Member

When: 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Attire: Business Casual

More info Coming Soon.

Agenda: Connections & Success Stories

Event mission is to bring those Veteran Owned Business & Passionate Patriot Businesses in Conroe area together and create opportunities with in Conroe & connect them to other opportunities in the Houston Region.

Houston Regional Veteran Chamber of Commerce Making Houston Region # 1 for Veteran Business Owner & Entrepreneur support!

Register here:

January 10, 2025

Triad Infosec Presents Range Day Renaissance Shooting Club 22633 Farm to Market 1774 Todd Mission, TX 77363 10:00 AM - 02:00 PM CST Joshua Wathen,

Friday, January 10

Triad Infosec Presents Range Day

Date and Time: Friday, January 10, 2025 · 10am - 2pm CST

Location: Renaissance Shooting Club 22633 Farm to Market 1774 Todd Mission, TX 77363

Agenda

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Safety Brief - Introduce sponsors - Guest Speaker - Range

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Guest Speaker

1:45 PM - 2:00 AM (+1 day)

Contest Winner Announcement

January 20, 2025

31st Annual MLK Grande Parade Midtown Houston

Midtown

Houston, TX 77004

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM CST Charles Stamps, 7135608328 mlkgrandeparade@earthlink.net

The MLK Grande Parade will be held on Jan 20, 2025 in Midtown Houston originating on San Jacinto Street & Elgin Street beginning @ 10A (CST). The parade's theme is "Unity Through Diversity" and will feature culturally diverse performance groups from across the nation. Watch live on Houston's CW 39 or to learn more visit us @ www.mlkgrandeparade.org

January 20, 2025

**Annual MLK parade Houston-2025** 

Midtown Houston 1200 Holman Street Houston, TX 77004

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM CST Charles Stamps, 7135608328 mlkgrandeparade@earthlink.net

The MLK Grande Parade is a nationally recognized multicultural event that is produced annually in Houston, Texas and is a free event to the public, It's sole purpose is to promote racial/cultural harmony annual is managed by local veterans.

February 6, 2025

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May 21, 2025 HOUSTON BUSINESS EXPO

**Norris Conference Center** 

816 Town and Country Blvd #210

Houston, TX 77024

05:00 PM - 09:00 PM CST

Coming Soon HRVCC Regional BNI Collaboration

United Way 50 Waugh Dr. Houston, TX 77007

09:00 AM - 03:00 PM CST

HRVCC Regional BNI Collaboration Must be BNI member to Attend

Details to follow Dec. 11 2024 9 to 3p