



An Update from the Central Florida Development Council

Polk County's Economic Development Partnership

COUNTYWIDE COLLEGE CAREER FAIR

Are you looking for a way to connect with **qualified candidates to strengthen your workforce**? Are you interested in visiting with students from **multiple colleges and universities within Polk County at one event**?

As a way to further connect Polk employers with the available talent pipeline supplied through Polk's schools, a joint initiative of Polk Vision and CFDC, is hosting a **Countywide College Career Fair**, Friday, September 28th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. This event has been organized by a collaborative group from several Polk County higher-ed institutions and we encourage you to attend. Registration is \$50 (\$35 for public service & non-profit agencies).

[Register](#)



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH

9AM-1PM

POLK STATE COLLEGE LAKELAND CAMPUS

2018 ANNUAL MEETING

Tues., October 9, 2018

*Featuring Keynote Speaker
Rowdy Gaines*

*Olympic Gold Medalist &
Winter Haven native*



Nora Mayo Hall in Winter Haven

6:00 p.m. Reception

6:45 p.m. Program

Reservations required. \$85 per person & \$680 for reserved table of 8

**Make Your
Reservation**

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY EVENT

Wednesday, October 31, 2018



7:30 - 9:00 a.m. Breakfast & Industry Panel

Hosted in collaboration with Polk County's Manufacturing & Supply Chain Association and Polk State Corporate College

Manufacturing Technology Fair immediately following

Polk State College Corporate College

2018 PRIMARY

VOTE
to make your voice heard
VOTE
to make your choice count
VOTE

Tuesday, August 28th marks the final day of voting in the 2018 Primary Election. Your vote matters! To find out ballot information and your voting location click on the link below.

**Polk County Supervisor of
Elections**

IN THE NEWS

Saddle Creek named Top 3PL for two decades.

Pair of Lakeland Projects show strength of Polk County industrial market.

Florida among the best states for manufacturing.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New 150-room hotel in the works by [LEGOLAND Florida](#) Resort.

[LRH Oncology Program](#) Earns It's First Gold Accreditation from Commission on Cancer.

[Bartow mayor](#) becomes Florida League of Cities President.

If you have news you want to share in our monthly newsletter please send headlines and links to lindsay@cfdc.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

<i>Mon., Sept. 10</i>	CFDC Board Meeting 4:00 PM, CenterState Bank
<i>Wed., Sept. 12</i>	CFDC Community Stakeholders Committee Meeting 3:00 PM
<i>Fri., Sept. 21</i>	CFDC Competitiveness & Advocacy Committee Meeting 9:00 AM, Citizens Bank & Trust, Bartow
<i>Mon., Sept. 24</i>	CFDC/Polk Vision Education & Talent Pipeline Committee Meeting 11:00 AM, BB&T Bank, Bartow
<i>Fri., Sept. 28</i>	Countywide College Career Fair 9:00 AM, Polk State College Lakeland Campus

[View All Upcoming Events](#)



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