

# Active Family Wellness Center

The past few months have represented one of the busier - and more rewarding - periods in the life of Dr. Kenyon Godwin, founder and owner of Active Family Wellness Center, a premier holistic practice that helps local residents acquire and maintain good health.

In addition to running his practice, which has two Arlington locations, Dr. Godwin last month was introduced as the new Chairman of the Greater Arlington Chamber of Commerce. That means that he now is not only entrusted with enhancing his patients' well being, but he will also have his hand on the pulse of the local commercial community, as well.

"I'm very excited about this opportunity," Dr. Godwin says of his new Chamber assignment. "When I first joined the Chamber, I just wanted to add value and never imagined I would emerge as chairman."

When Dr. Godwin says he is excited, that's no exaggeration. Rare is the moment that he doesn't have a smile on his face or pep in his step. He says that's simply because he feels called to do all the positive things he does.

"I'm inspired by the God I serve, I am made in His image, and I'm sure it's a positive one," he says. "I love people, and there's so much negativity in the world, we should be intentional on being grateful and spreading love whenever we can."

On the job, his fervor extends beyond fixing "what ails you." He embraces a holistic approach to help each patient take positive steps toward a healthy lifestyle and focuses on enhancing not just the body, but also the mind and soul.

The Facebook pages for both offices feature almost-daily posts that share tips to help you attain/maintain a healthier you, from recipes for delicious and nutritious foods to researched reports on common health challenges and the best ways to deal with them. On his personal page, Dr. Godwin routinely shares stories rooted in faith in action.

So, in essence, his patients - and his many friends in the community - get the best of Dr. Godwin every time they converge, even virtually.

As for the practice, the team at both Active Family Wellness Center offices addresses your body's structure and supports your lifestyle with useful advice and a range of additional services. AFWC offers an effective lifestyle modification program utilizing Functional Medicine. This program incorporates the best of wellness: Chiropractic, Nutrition, Detox, Comprehensive labs, Supplements, Fitness, Mentorship and Meditation / Prayer.

Dr. Godwin is also certified in the Webster Technique for pregnant women.

His devotion to his patients has made him a successful health care practitioner - prior to his recent big Chamber news, his practice was honored as the organization's "Veteran-owned Small Business of the Year."

And the Chamber isn't the only entity to pay tribute to the good doctor. He has been named an *Arlington*

*Today Readers' Choice All Star* nine straight years, including this one.

For Dr. Godwin, the accolades aren't what is important; serving patients is always his focus.

"We believe people should have the freedom to pursue their purpose without limitations!" Dr. Godwin says. "Our catalyzing statement is to make Arlington the healthiest city in the state of Texas."



Dr. Kenyon Godwin

## Active Family Wellness Center

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# Prince Lebanese Grill

While the food fare at Prince Lebanese Grill has been drawing rave reviews for years, there's another element that has earned the popular eatery devotion that borders on reverence. Prince is an Arlington institution in practically every sense of the word.

That's no surprise, given the restaurant's very strong roots. Prince Lebanese Grill was founded by Francis "Prince" Kobty, and though he passed away a little over a year ago, his legacy lives on - in the delicious food, in the unmatched service, and, especially, in the commitment to making sure the community "Prince" loved so much feels like it is part of his extended family.

The restaurant is now managed by his immediate family: his wife Amira, his son Aziz and his daughter Elizabeth. Collectively, they simply "do it right."

For instance, Aziz is not just a restaurant manager; he is an ambassador for all things Prince Lebanese Grill. Recently, that meant preparing Lebanese cuisine for fans of the Dallas Cowboys and Texas Rangers at their respective Arlington Stadiums. It also meant working with the Arlington ISD to help hone high school "chefs to be" at the restaurant in real-world food preparation situations. One of those students, Preston Nguyen, earlier this year became the youngest World Food Champion in history, besting master chefs from around the globe to earn the top prize.

Aziz, Amira and Elizabeth routinely hold special events at the restaurant for local groups hoping to raise funds for their organizations or for projects.

Prince Lebanese Grill even recently participated in the "Best Taco in Arlington" contest. Its Lebanese version of the taco found such favor that the delicacy was featured in the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*.

The next big project at Prince, in conjunction with the Travel & Sports Legacy Foundation, is set for Nov. 15, when the restaurant will pay tribute to its founder by announcing the winner of the Francis Kobty Hospitality Scholarship. The Culinary Arts Scholarship will go to homegrown talent from Arlington Independent School District and Mansfield Independent School District. Details about the event are available via the QR tag in the upper left corner.

Last year, the vastly popular eatery was featured in *Texas Monthly* magazine, Aziz was chosen to serve as the celebrity chef for the Dallas Cowboys' home opener at AT&T Stadium, and the Kobty family was inducted

into the Arlington Highlands Rotary Club as honorary members.

And those were just September 2021 highlights.

All of what the Kobty family does - really, what the Kobty family is - is a testament to the magical bond between the restaurant and the community. So, not unexpectedly, patrons enthusiastically embrace Amira, Aziz, Elizabeth and



This Facebook photo posted shortly before Francis Kobty passed away, epitomizes what Prince Lebanese Grill is all about: family.

"Prince's" memory.

In August, Prince Lebanese Grill earned its fourth straight *Arlington Today* readers' choice All Star honor. It has been earning - and maintaining - the business of hungry Texans since 1989, providing a veritable home away from home for virtually every one who dines there.

"Our vision at Prince is top-quality food, reasonable prices and a family environment," Aziz says. "Prince Lebanese Grill's philosophy is to take care of others. From the customers to the staff we strive to treat everyone like family."

### Prince Lebanese Grill

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# Kos/Danchak Audiology & Hearing Aids

A seven-time Arlington Today Readers Choice All Star winner and an Editor's Choice winner the past two years, Kos/Danchak Audiology & Hearing Aids owner Dr. Melissa Danchak has been virtually unmatched in achieving the honorable mission of "helping people hear better" - and she has been doing that for more than three and a half decades.

That kind of longevity underscores just how consistently important Dr. Danchak and the stellar team at Kos/Danchak Audiology & Hearing Aids has been for its patients and to the community since the practice was founded in 1985.

"There are not many audiology practices in the North Texas area that can say they've been helping people hear better for over 35 years," says Dr. Danchak. "Our entire staff believes that the hearing health care experience is about making folks feel confident in their decision to address their hearing health care needs first and foremost. We believe in providing an exceptional experience for those with hearing health care needs. An experience that helps people feel confident in their decision to hear the best they can! We believe our patients feel confident in the services we provide - they know we are walking with them on their journey to better hearing!"

Dr. Danchak began working at Kos/Danchak Audiology in 1997 and purchased the practice five years later. She has a passion for providing unparalleled care and service for her patients, and their gratitude for her investment in their lives is on full display in the hundreds of online reviews they have been sharing for years.

While her formal education gave her the book

knowledge needed to become an audiologist, Dr. Danchak certainly believes that learning is a lifelong process.

"Like any small business, we experience change, adversity, success, and a whole host of other 'stuff' on a regular basis," she says. "We try to learn, every day. We evaluate how we help people, and we try to make the hearing health care experience better for the people that we meet with each day. Our goal is for each person to have a better experience with us every time they visit. That is reflected in the reviews that we have online!"

Dr. Danchak and her team live by a fairly simple (professional) philosophy: Do our absolute best to serve our patients and fellow employees to the best of our ability; continue to learn and grow, every day, so that we can accomplish that in the best way possible!

"We make a difference in people's lives," she says. "We see it on their faces when they hear and understand clearly what a loved one is saying. We see it when a spouse or child experiences the

feeling of being able to communicate again without raising their voice or repeating themselves. Patients and their families share with us that their investment in better hearing, and us, has changed their lives. It's not always easy for people to admit that they have hearing loss or that they need hearing aids. We know we make a difference in people's lives because so many of the new patients we meet each day are referrals from current patients that we have been helping for years! It doesn't get any better than that."



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# The Family Law Firm of Donna J. Smiedt

**D**J. Smiedt, principal attorney at The Family Law Firm of Donna J. Smiedt, has been a Board Certified Family Law Attorney since 1991. She leads a team of divorce attorneys that approaches the complexities of Texas law with the help of over 30 years of experience.

Donna graduated from SMU Law School at the age of 21, becoming one of the youngest women to graduate at a time when less than a quarter of practicing lawyers were women. She opened her family law practice as a Solo Practitioner immediately after graduation.

"Since that time," she says, "I have devoted my practice entirely to the area of Family Law, becoming Board Certified by the Texas Board of Specialization."

As one of the state's premier family attorneys, she assists clients suffering divorce and the break up of their families, always seeking to make this process as least devastating as possible. Among the many accolades in her career: Twice selected by her peers as a Superlawyer (an honor reserved for 5% of practicing lawyers in Texas) ... Voted by clients as an Avvo "Top Rated Lawyer" for many years, including 2020 and 2021 most recently ... Voted by peers as a Top Attorney in Fort Worth every year for over a decade. She also was named an All Star by *Arlington Today* readers in each of the past three years.

As an outspoken advocate for the best interest of the children going through high-conflict family law custody battles, Donna and her Non-Equity Partner, Desaray R. Muma, are both specially trained as Collaborative Lawyers, a form of family law litigation structured toward assisting parties in negotiating their own family agreements in private meetings removed from the courthouse application of judicial rulings and or jury decisions that can be arbitrary and unreliable. However, if all alternate dispute resolution methods fail, Donna has built her reputation as a specialist in the area of high-conflict custody litigation, especially with

the explosion of Parental Alienation cases filed against the other parent peppered with false abuse claims in order to obtain an "upper hand" in custody or divorce proceedings.

Not easy cases for the novice litigator, these intense and damaging allegations must be met with the rare but requisite expertise and experience Donna has in this burgeoning area of the law. This specialization coupled with her equally extensive knowledge of separate tracing and characterization cases, as well as representing wealthy clients with large complex estates or closely held family businesses, make her

the first choice for many clients needing this level of superlative representation in the field of family law.

Donna is very active in the community, serving on the board of the Arlington Animal Shelter, as President of the Arlington Bar Association and of the Arlington Business and Professional Women's Association.

She says it has been gratifying to grow her career in such a positive community.

"It has been inspiring to watch the metamorphosis of Arlington from a

small town to a vibrant, cosmopolitan city," she says. "I attribute the success of this city to the dedicated public servants who have labored ceaselessly to attain this goal. But what is truly amazing about Arlington, notwithstanding the amazing stature that the city has now accomplished, is that it has never forgotten that it started as a small town between Dallas and Fort Worth."



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## Frost Bank

**F**rost is a rapidly growing financial services company with locations across the Metroplex. Founded in 1868, Frost provides a full range of banking, investments and insurance services across Texas.

While other banks have been closing branches, Frost is expanding. We plan to open 28 new locations in the Dallas area over the next two years, and we have built the largest ATM network in Texas. With overdraft grace protection, early payday for direct deposit customers and our 24/7 customer care line, we work every day to be a force for good in people's everyday lives. And to meet the growing needs of our communities, Frost is developing a process that will lead to us offering consumer mortgage loans in accordance with our award-winning levels of customer service.



Maria Morales, Brittany Carnes and Cassandra Wills of Frost Bank

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## Jim Ross Law Group, P.C.

**T**he Jim Ross Law Group, P.C. prides itself on excellent service to its clients and to its community. Jim Ross and his stellar team comprise a family-owned law firm that treats its clients with three major hallmarks: loyalty, honesty, and respect.

"If you are looking for a law firm that will be on your side through difficult times in your life, you've come to the right place," says Ross, who is also owner of the popular local restaurant, Mercury Chophouse.

This firm was established by Ross, a former Marine, Texas police officer, and Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) task force officer – and Arlington's current Mayor. Jim supervised local offices for some of the country's most prestigious law firms before opening his own practice in Arlington. Having developed a strong tradition of service to his community and country as a Marine and police officer, he brought that tradition to his law practice.

The firm focuses on five major practice areas: family law, personal

injury, business litigation, and wills and probate. "Our lawyers have decades of experience in these areas and have seen just about everything there is to see in a courtroom," Ross says. "You will get straight answers and a clear plan of action after meeting with our attorneys.

"We believe that a successful business should give back to the community that helped make it successful. Our firm donates time and money to several charitable causes in the Arlington/Dallas area. You may have seen our logo on the back of a 5k race t-shirt or on a flyer for a fundraiser."

Jim Ross Law Group offers free consultations, and Ross's team can meet with you in person or help you over the phone, even on a Saturday if you're busy during the week. The firm has offices in Arlington, Dallas, and Fort Worth.



### Jim Ross Law Group

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# Great Skin Spa & Facial Club

Great Skin Spa & Facial Club owner Brenda Cureton-Hunt began her career in the skin care and beauty business as the first U.S. franchisee of Canadian-based Faces cosmetics. Taking that experience, she founded Great Skin, which has evolved into one of the area's premier day spas and skin care providers.

At Great Skin Cureton-Hunt has championed the practice of receiving professional spa services as part of personal care, as opposed to a special occasional visit or gift due to affordability. Great Skin Facial Club members receive a wide range of treatment options at the spa, as well as guidance and products they can use at home.

"I developed the concept of Great Skin based on the goals of the thousands of clients - men and women - wanting to have more beautiful skin and manage the signs of aging skin through treatments, knowledge and skin care," Cureton-Hunt says.

Great Skin offers a full line of award-winning skin care products for anti-aging, acne, hyperpigmentation and general skin care, as well as skin and body care for men, women and teens, and waxing, teeth whitening and massage.

Services also include microneedling, non-needle lip plumping and enhancement, non-surgical Brazilian Butt Lifting and contouring, cellulite and fat melting treatments, along with body contouring, foot detoxing and an extensive line of skin and body care.

Cureton-Hunt offers "Hemp Healing Cream" for skin and body care to pay homage to her mother, Mattie, who was afflicted with Alzheimer's.



Great Skin is also known for its instant slimming treatments, and it now offers Care Credit, which is a credit card for health and beauty.

"We specialize in treating every skin type, tone and texture with excellent results from knowledge, education and experience," Cureton-Hunt says. "It's about partnership at Great Skin. Our slogan is 'Relax, Rewind, Renew!'"

Customers rave about the calming and happy atmosphere, services, results and knowledge of staff - "A gem in Arlington!"

## Great Skin Spa & Facial Club

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# Women's Health Services

Women's Health Services is an all-female OB/GYN practice that delivers compassionate, comprehensive care to women throughout the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex. With two convenient locations in Arlington, WHS offers a wide array of innovative treatments, therapies, and in-office procedures.

When Dr. Joan Bergstrom first launched Women's Health Services, in 1986, it was her mission to build an all-inclusive practice designed by women for women. Today the doctors offer a state-of-the-art facility and have recruited a top-rated staff. At Women's Health Services, patients are thrilled to find so many services under one roof.

From preconception counseling, pregnancy care, and birth control to LEEP procedures, colposcopy procedures, in-office hysteroscopy, ablations, and hormonal consultations, Women's Health Services has the skills, facility, and resources to suit every patient's unique needs.

In addition to Dr. Bergstrom (right in the photo above) the Women's Health Services team of physicians includes Dr. Maya Kuriakose, Dr. Jessica Brown, Dr. Joy Carter, Dr. Sheri Puffer, Dr. Kiran Nangrani, and Dr. Dawnette



Pepper. Collectively, they have more than 90 years of combined experience, ensuring they always deliver exceptional care to their patients. The team is highly regarded in the Arlington community, which has helped them connect with their patients on a personal level. In total, the skilled team at Women's Health Services delivers hundreds of babies every year, thanks to the trust they have earned from their dedicated patients.

WHS' North office is located adjacent to Texas Health Arlington Memorial Hospital, where the group does all deliveries and inpatient surgeries. The South office is at Cooper and Wimbledon, just south of I-20.

Women's Health Services has been a steady provider of women's healthcare for more than three and a half decades.

Patients can count on Dr. Bergstrom and her colleagues to be accessible for any female issues from puberty through menopause.

## Women's Health Services

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## C&W Antiques

**J**im Carpenter and Patrick Walsh, co-proprietors at C&W Antiques, have been in the antique and fine arts business for more than a decade and a half.

Over the years, the brand has evolved as they transitioned from renovating upscale properties to operating their popular, upscale antique showroom in Grand Prairie.

In fact, C&W Antiques has so enthralled clients that it has been named an *Arlington Today* Readers' Choice All Star for the past four years.

C&W Antiques offers unique, rare and interesting furniture and accessories not found at most stores stateside. The plentiful fare is displayed in vignettes and showcases that beautifully capture their artistic and historic grandeur.

But that's just part of the charm of this enchanting venue.

From their flagship showroom, Carpenter and Walsh create an inviting

ambiance with fragrant Market candles, music and vignettes of old-world rooms that stimulate the senses.

"C&W Antiques' philosophy is to make each customer feel welcome,"

Walsh says. "With our passion for antiques, we welcome each customer and provide a friendly atmosphere for their unique shopping experience. We treat each customer like family."

C&W Antiques specializes in 17th, 18th and 19th century English and French furniture. It also has an exquisite collection of original fine art by Italian, French, Russian, English and U.S. artists, and its Faberge Collection is the largest in the state of Texas and perhaps the world. The showroom is open from 11

a.m.-7 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, as well as by appointment.



### C&W Antiques

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## Law Offices of Stephanie A. Foster, P.C.

**S**tephanie Foster started her legal firm, The Law Offices of Stephanie A. Foster, P.C., in 1992 and for the three decades since, she has been devoted to the practice of family law.

The practice concentrates in family legal issues, including divorce, modifications, custody, child support, spousal support, visitation, enforcement of custody/support, paternity and stepparent adoption.

Stephanie says her dream of having her own law practice was nurtured as a child by her father, John Foster, who is an attorney.

"When I was a child," she recalls, "I would beg him to take me to work with him at his law firm every summer."

Throughout her career, Stephanie has focused on family law.

"My professional philosophy is divorce with dignity," she says, noting that she has taken many special measures to serve her clients in the best manner possible. "I was one of the first attorneys trained in collaborative law in 2008. Collaborative Law is a way to divorce with dignity with no

court and no war."

She believes the collaborative law process is a powerful way to generate creative solutions in family law disputes while minimizing financial and emotional damage to the couple and their children, all the while promoting post-divorce psychological and financial health of the restructured family.

A graduate of Arlington Martin High School, Southern Methodist University and St. Mary's Law School in San Antonio, Stephanie has been honored for her prowess as an attorney multiple times. In fact, she was named a "Top Attorney" by Fort Worth, Texas magazine in 2003, 2008, 2009, 2010,

2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021.

### Law Offices of Stephanie A. Foster, P.C.

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## Gracie Lane

As a long-time enthusiast of the best boutique venues, Teresa Burda started Gracie Lane in 2013 along with her husband Mike and their daughter, Mary Macken. Founded on the goal of creating a one-of-a-kind shopping experience in Arlington, Gracie Lane has evolved into the region's "go to" venue, offering more than 50 individual boutiques under one roof.

The members of the Gracie Lane team have gathered the most impressive local collections - featuring all manner of delightful items that generally fall under the category of "the perfect something for the perfect someone."

When you visit Gracie Lane, you will be pleased with the quality and excited by the experience - plus you get an added bonus that comes in the satisfaction of supporting local businesses.

From the moment you walk through the door you will feel a sense of elegance, and lovely fragrances catch you by surprise. You have to spend time at Gracie Lane to truly know the wonderful variety of children's clothing, stand out pieces for women, gifts that



express true personal connections, home decor that will become focal conversation pieces, a wide variety of jewelry items, and "more."

In addition to the shopping options, Gracie Lane also offers the Rose Garden Tea Room, which has a menu that features sandwiches, soups, salads, and desserts, thus making it a great place for gatherings. Gracie Lane also has become known throughout the region for its workshops led by local artists, who share their expertise in a number of genres.

Manager Mary Macken says the real key to Gracie Lane's success, though, is the relationships she and the team build with those who pay a visit.

"I believe our philosophy of treating every person that walks through our doors as a family member really resonates with our customers," she says.

### Gracie Lane

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## FunDentist Pediatric & Adolescent Dentistry

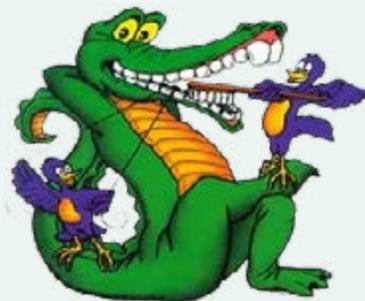
FunDentist Pediatric & Adolescent Dentistry provides comfortable dental care to achieve your child's best smile. Offering dental exams and cleanings, the practice's team of doctors and fellow oral health care providers are dedicated to seeing that your child grows up with the healthiest smile possible.

FunDentist has four local offices, each featuring a unique, open concept that provides a cheerful and enthusiastic environment to educate and promote oral health for the children of the community.

The practice provides a variety of dental treatments that are comfortable, safe, and effective. FunDentist is equipped with the latest dental technology, so the team can provide complete care for each patient's smile.

The team includes Dr. James E. Hyde, Dr. Charles W. Miller, and Dr. Ed Watts, who, collectively, have been addressing the oral health needs of young patients for more than 100 years.

Dr. Hyde is an active member of the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry and Southwestern Society of Pediatric Dentistry. Dr. Miller is



a current member of the ADA, American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry, Texas Academy of Pediatric Dentistry, and Southwest Society of Pediatric Dentistry. Dr. Watts is the past president of the Arlington Dental Study Club and is currently the President of Dental Health Arlington 2010.

One of the practice's founders, Dr. Philip M. Bailey, retired in 2014, but you might catch him from time to time stopping in to check on the gang.

The FunDentist team understands that many of their patients' families have busy schedules, so the office staff will gladly work with you to make sure that appointments are scheduled at

your convenience. Also, appointments are scheduled to ensure minimal waiting time.

### FunDentist Pediatric & Adolescent Dentistry

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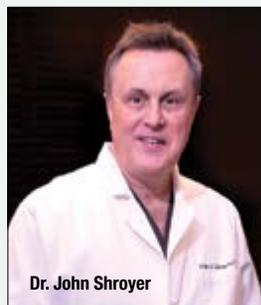
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## Shroyer Oral Surgery & Dental Implants

**D**r. John V. Shroyer, D.D.S., P.A., has earned a reputation as one of the foremost oral surgeons in North Texas. Named a "Superdentist" 10 times by *Texas Monthly* magazine, he also recently was selected the top Oral Surgeon in the *Arlington Today* Readers' Choice poll after it was discovered that some readers had inadvertently voted for a candidate who wasn't an oral surgeon, making Dr. Shroyer the clear readers' favorite.

Following nine years of training in oral and maxillofacial surgery, he established Shroyer Oral Surgery & Dental Implants, where he has served patients in the Arlington area for 34 years. Along with Dr. Bryan Moore, Dr. Shroyer provides services that includes extraction of teeth including wisdom teeth, dental implant placement, facial bone grafting, surgical treatment of traumatic facial injuries, correction of skeletal jaw deformities, management of benign and malignant lesions of the mouth and jaws and anesthesia.

"The nine years of specialized, intensive learning makes oral and maxillofacial surgeons the most skilled dental professional for the placement of dental implants to allow for the replacement of non-restorable or missing



Dr. John Shroyer

teeth," Dr. Shroyer says. "Over my 34 years of practice, I have placed over 24,000 dental implants, which have provided thousands of patients with much-needed reconstruction and replacement of missing teeth."

Dr. Shroyer says his practice philosophy has been and always will be to provide patients with excellence in oral surgical care: "We strive to treat each and every patient exactly how I expect to be treated in a health care office." To that end, for patients undergoing dental implant tooth replacement, the practice offers a life-time guarantee on the implants that are placed in the office.

"I feel that God blessed me with the abilities to provide oral surgical care for our patients," he says.

"Certainly, the most gratifying aspect of my career in oral and maxillofacial surgery is to repair, rebuild and restore the defects and deficiencies of patients who have lost teeth, had facial injuries and had jaw deformities which prevent them from enjoying a normal lifestyle. Providing patients with a higher quality of life is indeed a privilege."

### Shroyer Oral Surgery & Dental Implants

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## Anything Goes

**A**nanything Goes has become a "must visit" place for North Texas-area shoppers and visitors to the Arlington/Mansfield/Grand Prairie area who are looking for that "special something" for everyone from infants to adults. Fun products are hand-selected by owner Mary Davis, whose keen eye brings the fun into shopping from visit to visit.

Anything Goes started out as a dream and has far exceeded Mary's expectations. Beginning with 1,200 square feet, Anything Goes has gone through two expansions and now occupies more than 3,600 square feet of showroom space.

Davis says, "The growth has been exciting and is attracting customers from all over the Metroplex."

Mary's philosophy is to keep the customer first and ensure that each person who comes to Anything Goes has a great shopping experience.

Though Anything Goes is closed on Sunday and Monday, you can shop

pretty much any time the lights are on. Although Mary's responsibilities are focused on the overall operations of the store, what she does prior to opening and after closing – and, certainly, during business hours – helps distinguish Anything Goes as a store like no other.

Traveling to different markets such as Las Vegas, New York and Atlanta allows her to bring diverse and unique products from across the country.

"I work hard to find our customers new products so they have the diversity in the gifts that they're giving, and there's always something new and fresh for them on the shelves," Mary says. "Anything Goes prides itself in the level of customer service that we provide and making everyone feel at home the minute they walk in the door."



Mary Davis

### Anything Goes

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## Greater Arlington Chamber of Commerce Small Businesses of the Year

**T**he Greater Arlington Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the recipients of our 2022 Small Business of the Year Awards. As some of the best examples of entrepreneurs in greater Arlington, our six recipients not only care about the success of their own organizations but the success of the entire community.

"The success of a small business is defined by more than sales numbers and profits; it's about the lives you impact in your community," said Michael Jacobson, President & CEO of the Greater Arlington Chamber of Commerce, "All six of our small business award recipients this year exemplify passion for their work, determination to succeed and devotion to the greater Arlington community."

### **Small Business of the Year:**

Chick-fil-A at North Collins Street has quickly become a staple in the community, thanks to Carmenza Moreno's phenomenal leadership. Their values of honor, dignity and respect over everything has really helped them create a strong culture among their staff and customers. Carmenza is also passionate about education and creating better futures for students. She has partnered with Making and Empowering Today's Ambassadors (META), North Arlington YMCA, and the Dan Dipert Career and Technical Center to make these futures possible.

**For-Profit:** Over the past 22 years, Curnutt & Hafer has been a law firm with the know-how, experience, and resolve to solve a variety of legal problems. Dedicated to its cornerstone beliefs to seek bottom line results, serve with excellence, and do the right thing, Curnutt & Hafer maintains a vibrantly growing practice meeting the needs of both individuals and corporate clients in areas such as commercial and personal injury litigation, wills and probate, family law, and business transactions.

**Nonprofit:** When the marquee lit up in 1973, Theatre Arlington opened their doors and never looked back. Although they have had ups and downs through the years, their masterful pivots have allowed them to become one of the most beloved places in Downtown Arlington. In the heart of Arlington's Cultural Arts District, Theatre Arlington provides 50 weeks of entertainment and arts as well as a year-round theater school.

**Minority-Owned:** Established in 2018, Urgentology Care has demonstrated the importance of quality medical care by creating a safe, efficient, and affordable health care environment for all patients. Yaman Subei, CEO of Urgentology, has created an atmosphere that is welcoming and makes healthcare easy.

**Veteran-Owned:** Since 2018, Lone Star Drone has been creating cutting-edge drone aerial solutions. Owner Drew Smith has created a full-service drone company that is dedicated to using the best of the best technology to create superior aerial solutions.

**Woman-Owned:** The Sanford House Inn & Spa is a mother/daughter-run business that has seen quite the growth throughout the years. Owner Joan Bergstrom opened the doors to the hotel in 1997 and for the last 25 years, they have become a household name in the community. Located in the heart of Arlington, The Sanford House is a luxury boutique hotel that offers a unique hospitality experience that welcomes everyone.

It's a pleasure to recognize these six organizations that have given so much to the greater Arlington community. They have shown that they are community players and want to see others climb the ladder of success along with them.

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