



**Spacecoast Technical Network**

*Rebuilding Our Community, One Person at a Time*

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## Friday's Meeting

### Guest Speaker:

#### Ellen Little: Business Resolutions

Ellen spent 20 years in leadership and development with The Home Depot: as a store manager and leadership trainer. She also served as a client facilitator for Stephen Covey; and a DiSC facilitator.

In December 2010, Ellen opened a corporation and two companies; **Business Resolutions**, a coaching/consulting company and **Studio You**, a training company. Her companies are designed to teach people how to start their own businesses and offer classes on practical employment activities and strategies to learn marketable skills, how to increase your effectiveness and your productivity.

Problem solving and strategic planning are strengths of Ellen and her organizations. She is involved in several non-profit organizations and event teams. She is an officer in many capacities for Toastmasters International Organization here in Florida, and also for the local clubs. She builds teams, organizations and long term success.

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Ellen Little

## **Positions that NEED Filling!**

The **Guest Speaker Coordinator** position needs a back up assistant.

***Volunteers are still greatly needed to help cook, serve, and clean up for the STN Friday morning meetings.***

If anyone is interested in this opportunity, please contact:  
[Herb McElrath](#) or [Patrick Pearce](#)

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## **Upcoming Speakers**

07/18 Ellen Little - Business Resolutions  
07/25 Deborah Brackett - Edward Jones  
08/01 TBA  
08/08 TBA  
08/15 Bill Posey  
11/07 Abby Kohut - Absolute Abby

If you are interested in presenting at an STN breakfast meeting, please call Martin McClellan, Speaker Coordinator at (321) 759-5955, or email at: [litamartin@msn.com](mailto:litamartin@msn.com)

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## **Success Stories . . .**

**Bonnie Clay - Had two good interviews this week and was called back for 2nd interviews for next week.**

**Denny Watkins- Has a new job with Titusville Chamber of Commerce.**

**Congratulations, Denny and Bonnie!**

If you have a Success Story that you would like to share with the group, please contact [Gail Peek](#).

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## **Upcoming Events . . .**

July 2014 [North Brevard Events for July](#)  
[Goodwill Calendar](#)  
July - [Summer Saturday Nights - Brevard Zoo](#)  
Aug. - [Butterfly Wings and Enchanted Things - Brevard Zoo](#)  
July & Aug - [SBDC Workshops](#)  
July & Aug - [Florida Business Workshops](#)

- 07-16 [Paychecks for Patriots Job Fair CSB](#)
- 07-16 [Raytheon Online Chat/Career Fair](#)
- 07-18 **Business Connection Luncheon - Pt. St. John Library - TBA**
- 07-18 [Safelink Wireless Registration - GW](#)
- 07-18 [Second Harvest - Food Stamp Enrollment](#)
- 07-23 **Business Development Focus Group - 6:00pm, Fairfield Inns and Suites**
- 07-25 **STN Board of Directors Meeting**
- 08-02 [SPCA Pre-Opening Tour](#)
- 08-15 [Registration Deadline: Dinner & Movie Alaska & China Travel](#)
- 08-22 [The View From Within the Spacesuit](#)
- 09-24 [Tri-Regional Business Summit](#)

If you have an upcoming event that may be of interest to our group, please contact [Gail Peek](#).

### Weekly Article . . .

## 10 Things To Do This Summer To Advance Your Career

Submitted to Linked in by [J.T. O'Donnell](#) - July 14, 2014

Summer is when most people want to take a break from dealing with their careers. Job search and hiring slows down, people take vacations, and the last thing any of us really want to do on a nice day is think about ways we can get ahead professionally, right? We want to have fun, not focus on work!

### However...

We are all businesses-of-one who shouldn't really "check out" for the summer. In fact, if we can carve out some time and be smart about our career activities, we can actually enjoy our summer AND do some meaningful professional development in the process.

Here are ten things you can do over the summer that can have a measurable impact on your career. They are as follows:

**1) Socialize as much as possible.** (That's right, get your party on!) Besides enjoying all the BBQs, outdoor concerts, and other fun events happening over the summer, you'll also give yourself the opportunity to meet plenty of new and interesting people in positive setting. What better way to forge new relationships than to have a good time with those you meet? Then, as the summer winds down, you can start to re-connect with these new friends on LinkedIn and explore what they do for a living. You'll diversify your network and strengthen it all at the same time.

**2) Create a visual board of your career in 10 years.** Use your favorite social pinning board to create a visual representation of what you want your professional self to look like in ten years. Ask yourself, "What kind of career goals will I need to reach to realize that future me?" Then, look at the board every day for a few minutes to remind yourself of the old saying, "If you can conceive it, you can achieve it." Positive mental imagery has a big impact on our ability to succeed.

[Read More . . .](#)

## Employment / Training Opportunities...

**STN Discussion Forum Job Postings (Member Login Required)**

**JOB POSTINGS HAVE BEEN MOVED TO MEMBER WEBSITE!!!**

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## JOIN STN NOW !!!

**The Spacecoast Technical Network Offers  
Two Levels of Membership**

**Associate Member** - are seeking to re-establish their income stream. Many of our associate members have since moved on to new positions of employment. Some are starting their own business, while others have re-enrolled in an educational curriculum that will provide them with new skill sets and/or certificates for the next step in their career.

**Business Support Member** - offer the expertise and resources of their businesses to aid and assist the STN in its quest to strengthen the economic situation of the community. The support of the local business community is the key to the completion of all STN goals.

**One Year Membership is just \$20. Contact [Herb McElrath](#), Director of Membership Services Via Email For More Information Or...**

**[Visit The STN Website](#)**



### About The Spacecoast Technical Network

The STN meets every Friday to network, share a meal, and learn from informative speakers.

The membership is over one hundred and growing weekly. STN is about securing Employment for its members, enhancing skill sets through Educational resources, and providing ongoing professional support and expertise for new and exciting Entrepreneurial efforts.

Networking begins at 8:00am. A hot breakfast is

served at 8:30. Cost for the breakfast is \$4 per person. The Spacecoast Technical Network meets in the parish hall of St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, located at 414 Pine St., Titusville.

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