



## COMMITTEES 2026

**Volunteering for a committee is a great way to network, have fun, feel fulfilled and further understand the workings of our Chamber. Please read over the list below and bring your skills and ideas to one or many of our committees!**

**The JSCC works when our members work with us!**

Following is the JSCC Committee list for 2025. If you would like to volunteer or if you have any questions or concerns, you may contact the JSCC office or you may contact the Committee Chair or Co-chair. If there is not a Chair or Co-Chairperson listed, you may also volunteer for one of those positions.

**Membership Committee:** Chair - Paul Rugarber - 732-703-3799- [paul@pdrdesigns.com](mailto:paul@pdrdesigns.com)  
Co-chair – Jennifer Ortiz – 732-612-8308 – [Jen@myagentjen.com](mailto:Jen@myagentjen.com)

Committee members are member volunteers dedicated to increasing and promoting the benefits of Chamber membership. They accomplish this by cultivating and greeting new members and by assisting with introductions and networking at social functions. They will also develop and implement membership retention programs.

**Women in Business Committee:** Co-chair – Corinne McCann Trainor- 609-844-3038- [ctrainor@foxrothschild.com](mailto:ctrainor@foxrothschild.com)  
Co-chair - Jennifer Ortiz – 732-612-8308 – [Jen@myagentjen.com](mailto:Jen@myagentjen.com)  
Liaison - Danielle Wolowitz – 862-368-2333 – [dwolowitz@shorebusinesssolutions.com](mailto:dwolowitz@shorebusinesssolutions.com)

More than 50% of all businesses are managed or owned by women. This committee addresses their needs and provides key networking and educational opportunities.

**Jersey Shore Women's Conference:** Chair – Corinne McCann Trainor- 609-844-3038- [ctrainor@foxrothschild.com](mailto:ctrainor@foxrothschild.com)  
Co-chair – Danielle Wolowitz – 862-368-2333 – [dwolowitz@shorebusinesssolutions.com](mailto:dwolowitz@shorebusinesssolutions.com)  
Co-chair – Alison Ertl – 732-223-0076 – [amanser@thecoaststar.com](mailto:amanser@thecoaststar.com)  
Co-chair - Kellyann Skorupski- 732-221-1914- [kellyann@choresnj.com](mailto:kellyann@choresnj.com)

This committee is producing the two-day Women's Conference held locally here at the Jersey Shore.

**Ones to Watch:** Chair -Diana Moore- 732-788-1726 - [Diana@hjfreile.com](mailto:Diana@hjfreile.com)  
Co-chair – Shaun Stanton – 732-837-1030 [shaun.stanton@usi.com](mailto:shaun.stanton@usi.com)

This group is dedicated to the production of events for all ages as the quintessential young professionals of the chamber.

**Annual Business EXPO:** Chair - Briana Kellems – 732-292-8400 – [bkellems@manasquan.bank](mailto:bkellems@manasquan.bank)  
Co-chair – Lena Budraitis – 732-938-7700 – [lena.budraitis@nm.com](mailto:lena.budraitis@nm.com)

Plan and coordinate JSCC's annual business trade show to showcase member's goods and services and increase public awareness of the Chamber and its members

**Business After Hours:** Chair – Evelyn Mars – 732-280-8800 – [emars@jccnj.com](mailto:emars@jccnj.com)

Plans the Chamber's evening card exchanges, locations and agendas. This is a great networking opportunity in a relaxed atmosphere for members.

**Annual Golf Outing:** Chair – John Spottke - 732-528-4800 x211- [SpotJ6@gmail.com](mailto:SpotJ6@gmail.com)

Co -chairs – John Vargo – 848-241-0007 – [jvargo@davincicloudadvisors.com](mailto:jvargo@davincicloudadvisors.com)

Greg Gradel – 908-477-0981 – [g.gradel@murphybusiness.com](mailto:g.gradel@murphybusiness.com)

Mark Rosen – 732-963-7077 – [mark@royalstitchandprint.com](mailto:mark@royalstitchandprint.com)

Plan and organize the Chamber's Annual Golf Outing, a very popular event every year. Whether you golf or not, your help is needed at organizing this event. There is something for everyone, including recruiting sponsors, planning lunch and awards dinner, prizes and raffles.

Osprey Awards: Chair – Kellyann Skorupski- 732-328-6675- [kellyann@diamantelm.com](mailto:kellyann@diamantelm.com)

Plan and organize the Chamber's special evening to honor outstanding businesses and individuals in the Jersey Shore Chamber. There is plenty to do for all: choosing the honorees, location, dinner and entertainment, to invitations and program booklet.

**Holiday Gala:** Chair –Amanda Prestia – NNG – 732-232-4947 - [aprestia@njng.com](mailto:aprestia@njng.com)

Co-chair – Mary Peirson – 732-255-6900 – [mary@carpetcastleinc.com](mailto:mary@carpetcastleinc.com)

Plans and organizes the Chamber's annual Holiday Gala, celebrating the holiday season.

**Government/Environmental Committee:** Chair – Corinne McCann Trainor- 609-844-3038- [ctrainor@foxrothschild.com](mailto:ctrainor@foxrothschild.com)

Co-chair – Amanda Prestia - (732) 232-4947- [aprestia@njng.com](mailto:aprestia@njng.com)

The Committee develops and maintains relationships with elected officials at the local, state and federal level while working in cooperation with the New Jersey and U.S. Chamber of Commerce. The environmental entity will keep the JSCC members, and the local communities updated on environmental issues that impact their daily costs of living and their quality of life. The committee members meet to discuss legislative needs and proposals of concern to the region and the membership.

**Marketing/Public Relations:** Co-chairs – Adam Puharic- 732-404-7764 – [adam@puharicassociates.com](mailto:adam@puharicassociates.com)

and Alison Ertl- 732-223-0076 x38- [gm@starnewsgroup.com](mailto:gm@starnewsgroup.com)

Plan, coordinate and execute the Chamber's Marketing and Public Relations Strategies/Initiatives. This includes our Resource Guidebook, Press Releases, Advertising, Promotions, Member-to-Member Discounts, etc.

**Summer Kick Off:** Chair- Kellyann Skorupski- 732-221-1914 - [kellyann@diamantelm.com](mailto:kellyann@diamantelm.com)

Plan and organize the Chamber's annual Summer Kick Off held on the Friday before Memorial Day. A trolley tour of local Jersey Shore restaurants and bars. Help to find the locations and schedule of the day, also assist with finding and coordinating sponsors.