

Meek named March V.I.P. *Mark your calendars!*

Very Important PERSON

Joe C. Meek III, age 28, is the President and Owner of JCM Development and Investment Corp., a development company that partners with home builders to construct residential projects.

JCM provides capital to the home builders and helps them develop, build, and sell the projects. Joe is also the Vice-President of Citrus Builder, a home building firm in West Central Florida.

He is a licensed Building Contractor, Real Estate Sales Person, and Mortgage Broker. Joe serves on the Government Affairs committee for the Citrus County Builders Association, and he is a member in the local Chamber Of Commerce.

Joe also serves on the school board for a private Catholic School, Pope John Paul II.

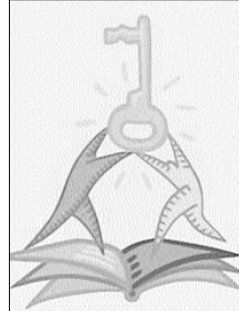
Last year he started The Joe and Amy Meek Scholarship Foundation, which is a foundation that awards scholarships to children from all three local public Citrus County High Schools.

He is the Chairman of the Board for the Foundation, and actively involved in helping local children in education. Joe is also active in many different clubs and organizations that benefit the area.

He is married to his best friend and love of his life, Amy Meek. Together they have just had their first baby, a boy named Joseph.



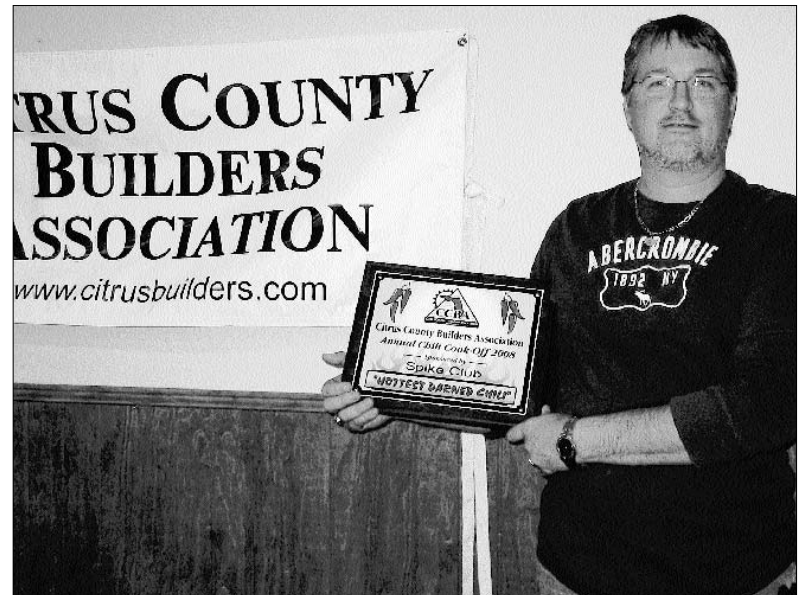
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Annual Chili Cookoff brings heat, spices things up



CCBA warms up with great chili

The CCBA held its annual Chili Cook Off sponsored by the Spike Club on Thursday, Feb. 28 with the help of "Celebrity" Guest Judges Bud Sasada Jr., Tom Franklin and Winn Webb. This popular event boasts 10 or more tasty entries from CCBA members every year representing categories of Best, Most Unusual, and Hottest. The "Best Presentation" category was revived this year as well, encouraging new levels of creativity. If you would like to participate in CCBA events like the Chili Cook Off, contact the CCBA at (352) 746-9028 for more information on membership.

Pictured top left is Jim Loos of Shlabach Security and Sound. He took home top honors in the "Best Darned Chili" category.

Pictured top right is Joe Bell of Surfaces Flooring. He received the award for having the "Hottest Darned Chili."

Meilissa Keesling and Angele Wright of Marketing Solutions, pictured bottom left, swept the "Most Unusual Darned Chili and Best Presentation" categories.

The CCBA would also like to thank all who helped make the event a blast!

Renewing members



We thank the following members for renewing their investment in the Citrus County Builders Association by renewing their membership. Pictured left to right, Walt Stachowicz of Citrus CAD Corporation (1 year), Alpha Arnold of Mercantile Bank (2 years), and Gerry Gaudette of Gaudette Electric (27 years). Renewing members not pictured were: Brannen Banks of Florida, Inc., Central Florida Gas, CHR Construction, Inc., Citrus County Chronicle, Deem Cabinets, Edward R Johnston, Inc., Florida Rock Industries, Goodfella's Roll Off Waste Disposal, Hulbert Construction Co., J.A. Floyd Inc, Lindhorst Construction, Mike Scott Plumbing, Ruane Construction, SanderSon Bay Fine Homes, Signature Homes of Citrus County, Stock Building Supply, Van der Valk Construction, Welbro Building Corp., and West Coast Insurers.

Builders CARE

We need your help!

Builders Care renovates homes for the elderly, low income and disabled residents of Citrus County.

In order to help those in dire need, Builders Care would like you to join the TEAM.

All you have to do is fill out the form below and mail it to: Builders Care at 1196 S. Lecanto Hwy, Lecanto, FL 34461.

The TV show is at 6 p.m. Sunday night on WYKE, Cable 16.

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