

**OUT & ABOUT**

In each issue, Business 101 features photos of people out and about at recent business-related events around the Salinas area. Here is a selection of photos from the **Oct. 11** Salute to Small Business Awards at the Portola Plaza Hotel in Monterey; the **Oct. 25** Taste of the Valley Food & Wine Show at the National Steinbeck Center; the **Sept. 18** Salinas Valley and Monterey Peninsula chambers of commerce joint mixer before the California International Airshow Salinas; the **Oct. 24** Salinas Valley Chamber of Commerce's Halloween Harley Mixer at Warren's Harley-Davidson



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Denise Carattini of Kidz Play Inc. was the Best Woman-Owned Business winner at the Oct. 11 Salute to Small Business Awards at the Portola Plaza Hotel in Monterey.



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Visitors and guests enjoy the annual Taste of the Valley Wine & Food Show on Oct. 25 at the National Steinbeck Center in Salinas.



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Grace Vasquez, left, an administrative assistant at the Salinas Valley Chamber of Commerce, and Paula Hendricks-Prieur of Mark Kay Cosmetics attend the chamber's Halloween Harley Mixer at Warren's Harley-Davidson in Salinas.



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California International Airshow Salinas Past President Karen Curtis attends the Salinas Valley and Monterey Peninsula chambers of commerce joint mixer Sept. 28 in the AirTrails Hangar at the Salinas Municipal Airport.

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Northridge Mall Guest Service Representatives Mary Vela, left, and Lucia Elizondo find the latest affordable fall fashions Sept. 29 from Bloom, a new clothing retailer at the mall. Vela and Elizondo assist mall customers from a kiosk in the Salinas mall.

John Balducci from left, Charlyne Balducci, Wayne Huston, Renee Balducci-Huston attend the Taste of the Valley Food & Wine Show on Oct. 25 at the National Steinbeck Center in Salinas.



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Gigi Dattolico, left, and Rose Medina, both branch managers of Union Bank of Monterey County, attend the Oct. 11 Salute to Small Business Awards at the Portola Plaza Hotel in Monterey.