

Greetings,

The Greenwood Chamber of Commerce, Inc. invites you to be part of history. We are a dedicated group of small business owners and community citizens who think that an involved community is the best solution to the economic and social problems that challenge our community. We have several events throughout the year, and we are confident that you will enjoy this affiliation. Again, the Greenwood Chamber of Commerce, Inc., which was formed in 1926, has been serving our community for 97 years as the oldest economically based African American Chamber of Commerce in the United States. Join us today!

Below is a description of general membership and the top 15 reasons to join the Historic Greenwood Chamber of Commerce, Inc. Note: General membership may be any person or organization that contributes or volunteers an amount in accordance with the annual fees set by the GCC Board. This membership entitles the holder to the chamber's programs and services and a membership card.

### TOP 15 REASONS TO JOIN THE GREENWOOD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC.

1. Helps preserve the Greenwood District, the birthplace of "Black Wall Street."
2. Countless business, educational, developmental, and sponsorship opportunities
3. Ten percent of membership dues provide support for minority businesses on Greenwood Avenue.
4. Provides a unified voice for business
5. When problems arise affecting your business, the Chamber will support you.
6. An additional twenty percent of membership dues will provide matching dollars for the Greenwood Women's Business Center and our partnership with the Small Business Development Center.
7. It provides unlimited networking opportunities. Greenwood District Forum, Greenwood Chamber Business Network, Greenwood Gala, etc.
8. Provides opportunities to work on committees or councils to help improve the business climate in northeast Oklahoma.
9. Directory with discounts for special events
10. Discount on commemorative t-shirts and other Chamber promotional items.
11. Lunch with the President, Executive Board of Directors, and Greenwood Community Advisory Board.
12. Provides access to hospitality suites for chamber functions/social mixers and other cultural heritage events on Greenwood.
13. Provides a free tour of Greenwood and access to traveling arts & crafts exhibits in the Greenwood West Building.
14. Be the first to know when a new business is moving into the Greenwood District.
15. Receive quarterly email updates on everything related to Historic Greenwood, the birthplace of Black Wall Street.

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2021 World Class Winter Gala: <https://youtu.be/-hMrrqZRv0I>

2022 World Class Winter Gala: [https://youtu.be/0FI\\_LI7IJsY?feature=shared](https://youtu.be/0FI_LI7IJsY?feature=shared)

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