Celebrating National Small Business Week certainly was a source of education, inspiration, and mega networking for Chamber members and attendees alike both at the three intimate Vignettes following the mega Business 2 Business held for the first time at Serramonte Center.

The three Vignette mixers started off at the Aha Beauty Eyebrow Threading, located at 43 Serramonte Blvd inside Serramonte Center. We have a strong example of the Eastern tradition of shaping and styling eyes shaped and styled for the modern word. We learned how to accent every part of our eyes while touring the outdoor showroom, we saw the intrincacies of eyebrow threading, spoke with the products and enjoyed intimate conversations with other business attendees. To see photos of the third Vignette, please click here.

Cypress Lawn Memorial Park in Colma delighted attendees with the history of Cypress Lawn established by Hamden Holmes Noble in 1892. Attendees experienced first hand the tranquility of Cypress Lawn Memorial Park. It is the most serene place. Silent and both experience the peace and serenity and comfort offered. We learned their final resting site for several members of the celebrated Hearst family plus other prominent citizens from the greater San Francisco area. To see photos of the second Vignette, please click here.

Like a good neighbor Jaymi Wessell’s State Farm Insurance Agency is located in Daly City next to Westlake Shopping Center. It is noteworthy that this vibrant young woman businesswoman thrives on taking care of all aspects of life for the people she services, to ensure and protect their future. To see photos of the third Vignette, please click here.

We ended our celebration of National Small Business Week with our 15th Annual Business 2 Business Extravaganza held this year in the spacious Serramonte Center in Daly City. We would like to give a humongous shout out to Serramonte for hosting this event. Attendees were able to walk around, mingle, ask questions and learn about the wealth that Chamber member businesses offer in a truly welcoming and unencumbered fashion in a business atmosphere. To see photos of the B2B Extravaganza, please click here.

This event would not have been possible without the support of our vibrant Board of Directors and I thank each one profusely. Thank you. In memory of Licia Alexiou, loudly, Thank you Marie Villarosa, Marketing Director, Serramonte Shopping Center; San Francisco County Supervisor, Supervisor J. Canepa; Colma Mayor Joanne F. del Rosario, Colma Councilwoman Helen Tricario, Colma City Manager Brian Dossey; Chamber Director Vice President Manny Reburiano, Altisate Insurance; Chamber Directors,8ighty Ten, Better Homes and Gardens Real Estate; Director Dustin Chase, Lucky Chances; and fencing Eleanor Spinato, City Toyota and to my hard working staff Jorge Gonzalez and Alison Wilson.

Thank you to the Annual Business 2 Business sponsors.

I would be remiss if I did not thank our sponsors and participants for their support of this historic First Business 2 Business held at our new location at Serramonte. Thank you, you thank and thank you.

Please take a moment and visit our website to download our calendar and enjoy the photos of National Small Business Week. Click here to view our current and past events.

See you at our next event. Georgette Sories