



FastTrack

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Amy Gutierrez, marketing director of [Bernina of America](#), was on hand for the opening of the sewing company's new Creative Center, next to its corporate headquarters, in Aurora. The center offers hands-on public education sessions and training for Bernina dealers. ... Glenview native Megan Tamte is founder and CEO of [Hot Mama](#), which opened last week at Town Square Wheaton. The retailer, which caters to mothers who want to look trendy, was founded in 2004 and now has 35 stores in 13 states. Tamte now lives in Edina, Minn., by the flagship store.

Esther Wong, president and CEO of [Laboratory School for Science & Technology](#) in Naperville, is encouraging parents and students to attend an April 26 event about social entrepreneurship and innovation and how this can impact their education, college, and careers. "High school students are rarely exposed to business start ups so we are providing them the opportunity to meet and hear Dennis Barsema and Alan Hurt of Light Up Africa," she said.

Ali Setork, owner of [DynaCom Management](#) in Warrenville, said the firm will build the iMed Campus this fall. It will be a 4-story medical and professional office building at 75th Street across from the Springbrook Prairie Forest Preserve in Naperville. ... Susan Tenney has joined Schaumburg-based [Assurance](#) as a vice president. ... Scott Solverson is the new vice president of business development at [Frederick Quinn Corp.](#), a construction company in Addison.