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SICBA'S COMMITTEES ARE LOOKING FOR MEMBERS TO GET INVOLVED AND SHARE THEIR IDEAS FOR EVENTS AND PROGRAMS GOING FORWARD. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BEING ON A SICBA COMMITTEE, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE AT (360) 757-6916



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SICBA Member Discounts & Rebate Programs: "Members Do Business With Members"

- [Les Schwab Tire Center, Burlington](#) - 10% discount on products & services to all SICBA members!
- [NAHB Member Advantage](#) - Through GM, additional \$500 off new vehicle, \$1000 off fleet: NAHB Member Advantage \$500 off new vehicle purchase.
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- [Mister T's Awards & Embroidery](#) – Free set up of design for embroidery up to 30K stitches, a \$75 savings!

List your company here, too. Call or email SICBA 360-757-6916 or info@sicba.org for details

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SICBA recognizes these SICBA members for their commitment to professional growth.

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Curtis Banta, CGB, Cert Builder; Yonkman Construction Inc
John Piazza Jr., Cert Builder, John Piazza Jr Construction and Remodeling Inc.

Dawna Bennett, CGP, Lexar Homes

Many more SICBA members are currently in the process of renewing or earning their designations!

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SICBA LIFE MEMBERS

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SICBA OFFICE STAFF

<i>Executive Officer</i> -	Wayne Crider
<i>Membership Services Coordinator</i>	Sydney Ross
<i>Events/Marketing Coordinator</i> –	Pamela Sheedy

DON'T FORGET YOUR NAHB MEMBER BENEFITS!

Are you familiar with how to use your benefits as a member of NAHB? We want to make sure all of our members are getting the full value of their membership, including savings on over 20 national brands through NAHB's affinity program.

To access your benefits, go to the NAHB website www.nahb.org, log in using your unique member PIN, and go to nahb.org/savings.

If you need your PIN, or if you need to update your member of record to get a new PIN, contact Wayne, or Sydney at the SICBA office (360) 757-6916.

SICBA MEMBER COMPANIES:

As many of you have probably noticed, there hasn't been an issue of BuildingBlocks since the April issue this year. Just to let you know it has not been eliminated, we have made an effort to bring most of the happenings up to date in this issue.

In May, the former AP/AR/ Membership Coordinator left our employ and both Pam and I took on those responsibilities while we searched for a replacement employee. I took on the AP/AR as well as most of the Membership Coordinator duties in order to be sure SICBA continued to function as efficiently as possible. Pam was a great help during this time and I also asked Rayna Moe to come in on contract basis to help us with the bookkeeping and to have another set of eyes on the books for reconciliation and balance. She graciously agreed to do so and I would like to extend a great big Thank You! to her for helping out during these times.

After searching through Indeed and word of mouth with member companies, we finally found a new employee to fill the Membership Services Coordinator's position. Her name is Sydney Ross and she started at SICBA on September 6th. She hit the ground running and hasn't looked back. Please keep in mind that she is new to Association work and is learning very quickly. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call and ask. If she doesn't know the answer, either Pam or I will get the information for you.

As we in business all know, when we are shorthanded we look at things that can be postponed or eliminated in order to keep our businesses functioning efficiently. That is exactly what we did as far as BuildingBlocks was concerned.

Thank you for your patience over the last few months and please know that BuildingBlocks is back and will be a monthly publication as it was before.

Wayne

COMMITTEE REPORTS

SICBA's Committees have been working behind the scenes to be sure everything is up and running as it should be for each event/opportunity.

The Membership Committee could use some more help now that we are coming out of COVID and are somewhat normal --- FINALLY! Those meetings are the same day as the SICBA Board of Directors Meeting each month and run from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM.

The SICBA Home and Garden Show Committee met on October 6th to start the planning for the 2023 Home and Garden Show. It looks like we are in a position to have a great show again this coming year with new ideas and things to attract consumers to the show. We always can use help there as well and would welcome any of you who would like to be a part of this great event.

The Events Committee has been meeting and making decisions about events for the rest of the year. Our event this month is at Stone Pros in Burlington and is Oktoberfest. Be sure to check the flyer in this newsletter and make your reservations to attend. Our event in November will be at Drager's Classic Cars in Burlington so everyone who is a car buff should make an effort to attend. This is also our annual Membership Meeting where we have our elections for 2023 leadership. If you are interested in being part of leadership, please let Wayne or Curtis know and we will bring that to the board of directors for acceptance and approval. Our Christmas/Holiday dinner will be held at the Swinomish Yacht Club in LaConner. Is not connected with the Swinomish Casino or Tribe in any way and is always a very fun time. LaConner Seafood and Prime Rib will be catering the event and the food is always excellent.

***If you are interested in joining a committee, let us know! We are always looking for more SICBA members to join and give their input, your voice matters. Email pam@sicba.org to find out which committee is right for you! *** If you are interested in the Membership Committee, email Sydney at sydney@sicba.org.

As members of your association, we would like to invite you to take advantage of all the programs the association has to offer through SICBA, BIAW and NAHB.

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Whidbey's T&T Construction
Steve Bounds
Concrete Cutting & More, LLC
Madrona Northwest General Contractors
BackbreakersNw LLC
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Eastsound Water
True Bearing Built
Xtra-Therm Insulation LLC
Sound Colors Painting LLC
White Construction Services, Inc
PNW Construction & Energy Services
Simpson Strong-Tie
Melnick and Sons Painting
Western Pacific Building Materials
Sound Drilling LLC
DAPrDAN
Jerry Beck & Company Inc.
Sage Homes NW
Coastal Kitchen & Bath, LLC
Testing and Commissioning Services, LLC
Hamer Environmental LP
Island Gas Piping & Installations, LLC
Whidbey Lawn Services Inc
Pioneer Tree Service & Landscaping, Inc.
Bosch Construction
Mt. Baker Overhead Garage Doors Inc.
Island Sash & Door
Jet City Equipment
Absolute Septic Onsite Services
Foamworks LLC
Red Flannel Const Co LLC
Restoration 1 of Oak Harbor
Whidbey Electric Company Inc
NW WA Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
GR Nelson LLC
Elite Painting & Design
Dosch Construction
Federal Electrical Services Inc
Island Electric & Supply Inc
Titan Homes NW
Artistic Concrete LLC
Five Years Plus:
Miller Custom Construction LLC
Federated Insurance
Bigfoot Builders LLC
Baker Septic Tank Pumping Inc
Coastal Cottage Homes Inc
Heritage Portable Buildings LLC
Island Ductless Heat Pumps
J.W. Withers Construction LLC
Mimnaugh Excavation Inc

No 7 Development LLC
Pavement Markings Inc
Rob The Roofer
Arrowhead Roof Cleaning
Northwestern Mutual - Kathy Sanchez
Full Speed Plumbing
Alpine Communications Systems
Bayside Specialties Inc
Summit Construction Group
Sunshine Painters, LLC
All Sides Finished LLC
1-2-3 Construction LLC
Baxter's Excavation & Tree Removal
Campbell Builders Inc
Experience Plumbing
Ridgeline Builders LLC
Northwest Refresh
Next Generation Design and Build
Ferguson Bath, Kitchen & Lighting Gallery
Back Country Painting
Eagle Building Company
RPM Performance, LLC
Heggenes Construction Inc
Madrona Tile Inc
Martha Rose Construction Inc
Sound Construction LLC
JNE Construction LLC
Valley Construction
EMC Electric
Dow's Painting Inc
All Spaces LLC
Anacortes Construction Services, LLC
Bay Equity Home Loans
Coldwell Banker 360 Team
Lisser & Associates PLLC
Tradesmen International
Brushworks NW Inc
Hedlund Builders Inc
Simply Yards
Burts Saw & Mower
Nordic Temperature Control Inc
Whidbey Sun & Wind LLC
LeRoy M Boren Construction Inc
Ten Years Plus:
Tower Pacific Construction Inc
The Plumbing Guys Inc
TREB Executive Marketing LLC
Louws Truss Inc
Anderson Electric Inc
Arlington Electric
Burlington Automotive
John Piazza Jr Const. & Remod. Inc
Acorn Properties
RGS Crawl Space Insulation
Epstein Custom Homes LLC
Coastal Farm & Ranch
Advanced Construction & Maintenance Inc
Creative Lines

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VanderYacht Propane Inc
Heckman Inc
Edward Jones Investments - Troy Kunz
Chad Fisher Construction LLC
Cascade H&A LLC
Fine Line Painting NW Inc
Island Associates LLC
Swanson Garage Doors
Technical Waterproofing Inc
Camano Island Chamber of Commerce
Seaside Landscape Inc
James Hall and Associates Inc
J & D Wallace General Contractors Inc
Cozy Heating Inc
Pacific Garages Inc
Nautilus Const & Mgmt LLC
Cascade Natural Gas Corporation
D.K. Systems Inc
Tayso Construction, LLC dba Inspire Homes

Fifteen Years Plus:

Arrow Insulation
Bouslog Properties
Davis Quality Painting Inc
Habitat for Humanity of Island County
Kaplan Homes Unlimited LLC
Les Schwab Tire Center
Rainy Day Basement Systems Inc
Valdez Construction Inc
Sherwin Williams Co
Premier Title of Island County
Hot Tubs Northwest LLC
Coach Corral Inc
Creative Surfaces
Mt. Baker Roofing Inc
Overhead Door Co of Bellingham
Larson Gross CPAs & Consultants
E & M Consulting Inc
Frog Construction
OASYS Inc
SaviBank
Skagit Aggregates LLC
SummitX Contractors
Surfaces Northwest LLC
Van's Equipment Co
Skagit Roofing
Reisner Distributor
AA Electric Co Inc
AAA KARTAK Glass & Closet Inc
Pointer Electric Inc

Twenty Years Plus

NorthWest Granite & Flooring LLC
Mister T's Awards & Embroidery
Back In The Woods Works
Building Specialties Inc
Fab Tech Inc
Hearth & Home
Lefeber Turf Farm
Woods Electric Inc

Pacific Party Canopies Inc
Environmental Abatement Svcs Inc
Seattle Lighting Fixture Co
McCool Construction Co
Strandberg Custom Homes & Design
Spencer Roofing & Siding Co
McClure Custom Homes LLC
Greenbank Concrete & Aggregates
Hansen Drywall Inc
Peoples Bank
Guardian Security Systems Inc
Laser Construction & Dev Inc
Valley Concrete Construction Inc
Rodda Paint
Pacific Window and Door Store

Twenty-Five Years Plus

Kreider Construction
Spane Buildings Inc
SRV Construction Inc
Axthelm Construction, Inc
Dimensional Communication Inc
Ed's Construction
Landed Gentry Development Inc
Valley Cabinets & More Inc
Heritage Bank
Scimitar Construction
Blade Chevrolet
Commercial Fire Protection
CPI Plumbing and Heating
Dahl Electric Inc
Pro-Form Foundations Inc
Westgate Homes
Right Way Plumbing Heating A/C
CVH Inc
Honey Bucket
Wickstrom Construction Inc
Floors Plus Carpet One
Handy's Heating Inc
Wycoff Insurance Agency Inc

Thirty Years Plus

Presidio Construction Inc
Ronk Brothers Heating & Cooling
Waldron Construction Inc
Mobile Music Unlimited
Thirty-Five Years Plus
John R Brown Accounting Inc.
Savage Roofing & Gutter LLC, DBA Savage Roofing
LB Construction of Whidbey Island Inc
Western Forest Products
Foss Heating & Cooling
Skagit Builders Inc
Quantum Construction
Triple R Framing & Drywall LLC
Ward-Johnson Masonry & Tile
WaFd Bank
Krieg Construction Inc
Island Heating & A/C Inc
Yonkman Construction Inc

Forty Years Plus

Piazza Realty Property Management Inc
Island Glass Company
P & L General Contractors
Brown-McMillen Real Estate
Land Title and Escrow
Mount Vernon Carpet One Floor & Home
Piazza & Associates Consultants Inc.

IF YOU HAVE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES OR HAVE EQUIPMENT TO SELL, PLEASE KEEP IN MIND SICBA WILL POST THE JOB OPENINGS AND EQUIPMENT ON OUR WEBSITE AND IN THIS NEWSLETTER FREE OF CHARGE FOR SICBA MEMBERS.

SICBAPAC is looking for members to get involved in the political process. SICBAPAC is affiliated with SICBA but is not part of your SICBA Membership. There is an additional voluntary \$25 per year dues requirement to be a part of SICBAPAC beyond your normal SICBA membership costs.

If you are interested in becoming involved in the political process, give Wayne a call at the SICBA office.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A PRINTED VERSION OF THIS NEWSLETTER, CALL THE SICBA OFFICE AND LET US KNOW.

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Inspire Homes - 1st Year

Sound Cedar Lumber - 1st Year

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True Bearing Built - 1st Year

Builders First Source - 1st Year

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BUILDER – Residential Contractor Services
22103 66th Ave W #1B
Mountlake Terrace, WA 98043
(360) 850-5808
Contact – Easton Connolly
Sponsor – Kim Piazza

D Studio 11

ASSOCIATE – Interior Design
3109 Scotland Alley
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(559) 816-2012
Contact – Michelle Brooks
Sponsor – Hugo Prado

Evergreen Coast Construction

BUILDER – Residential Contractor Services
1330 SW Fleet St.
Suite 1
Oak Harbor, WA 98277
(360) 914-8723
Contact – Jacob Marriot
Sponsor – Curtis Banta

May

Skagit Habitat for Humanity

BUILDER – General Contractor
1022 Riverside Dr
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 428-9402
Contact – Tina Tate
Sponsor – Gary Wray

June

Charley's Greenhouse Supply LLC

ASSOCIATE – Building Materials/Lumber (Retail Dealership)
17979 State Route 536
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
360-395-3009
Contact – Charles Yaw
Sponsor – Robert Desmarais

Dotson Safety Consulting and CPR

ASSOCIATE – Industry Consultant
7142 288th Street NW
Stanwood, WA 98292
206-718-9505
Contact – Brian Dotson
Sponsor – Bob Moe

Elegant Simplicity

ASSOCIATE – Planning or Design
1136 Rolling Dr
Camano Island, WA 98282
(206) 984-8292
Contact – John Monte
Sponsor – Dee Dee Dwartz

Flat Rock Productions LLC

ASSOCIATE – Planning or Design
215 1st Street Suite 206
Langley, WA 98260
(360) 221-4122
Contact – Eric Richmond
Sponsor – Smokey McClure

Harbor Plumbing South LLC

ASSOCIATE – Plumbing, Heating and A/C
676 Oak Street
Oak Harbor, WA 98277
(360) 914-7380
Contact – Jean Streitler
Sponsor – Jay Roberts

Northwest Farm Credit Services, FLCA

ASSOCIATE – Insurance or Title Company
265 E George Hopper Rd
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 269-8059
Contact – Lori Janssen
Sponsor – Kelly Fox

July

Go West Building Design LLC

ASSOCIATE – Planning or Design
2298 Van Dam Road
Coupeville, WA 98239
(360) 914-0276
Contact – Cody West
Sponsor – Ted Clifton

Platinum Benefits Solutions

ASSOCIATE – Insurance or Title Company
1102 A Street Suite 307
Tacoma, WA 98402
(251) 753-4595
Contact – LaFonya Matthews

August

A & Z Insulation

ASSOCIATE – Insulation Work
420 Taylor St Apt A
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 503-3945
Contact – Ashley Ramirez
Sponsor – Jim Spane

Interface Technologies Northwest Inc

ASSOCIATE – Utilities
2913 McDougall Ave
Everett, WA 98201
(425) 774-1377
Contact – Elizabeth Reed
Sponsor – Curtis Banta

Justin's Excavating Inc

ASSOCIATE – Excavation Work
1066 Scenic Heights Road
Oak Harbor, WA 98277
(360) 640-4394
Contact – Justin Jansen
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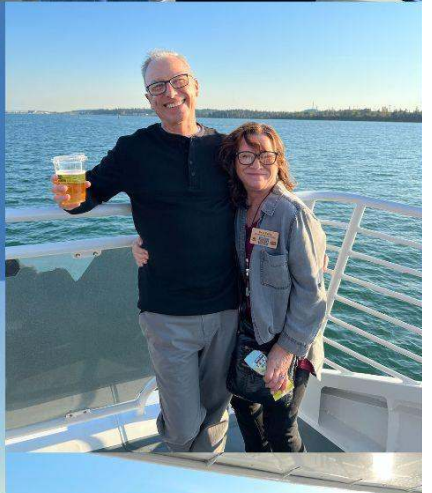
Signs By Tomorrow Bellingham

ASSOCIATE – Other Associates
4655 Guide Meridian
Bellingham, WA 98226
(360) 676-7117
Contact – Krys Bennett
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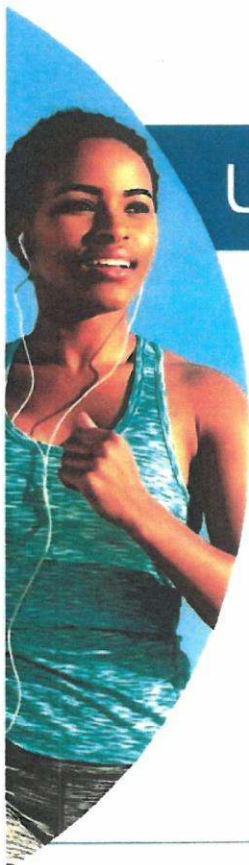
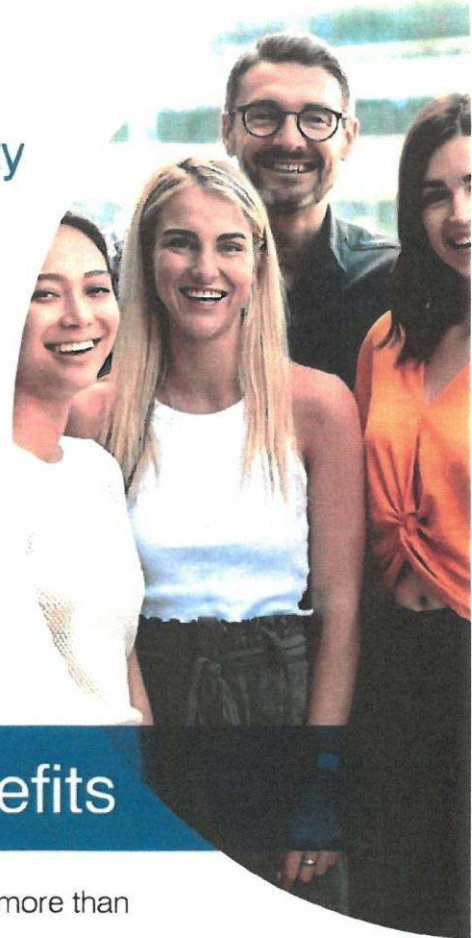
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For More Information Contact

Teresa Feller
cell: 206-399-4518
office: 253-358-2953
teresa@benefitsolutionsnw.com

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ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

On December 20th, John called his son in New York City and told him that John and his wife of 45 years were going to give each other a divorce for Christmas that year. Horrified, the son said:

“Dad, you can’t mean that! Don’t do anything – don’t sign any papers – don’t go see any lawyers – I will be home in two days and we will discuss this. His father said; “son, we can’t talk to each other, can’t stand to look at each other any longer and do not go anywhere together, so we think it is time.” The son reiterated for his father to not do anything and told him he would call his sister in Chicago to talk about this with her before he made his trip to Florida.

After the phone call was over, John Jr. called his sister Kate in Chicago. She was horrified and destroyed so she called home to talk with her father. She asked him why – his answer was the same. She told him not to do anything; not to talk to a lawyer and not to sign any paperwork and she would make arrangements with her job to come home in two days so they could all talk about this and possibly come to a rational outcome. John said “OK!”

Hanging up the phone, John turned to his wife Betty, smiled and said; Well, the kids are coming home for Christmas and are paying for it themselves.”

For people who like peace and quiet: a phoneless cord.

Ever stop to think and forget to start again?

Its not hard to meet expenses – they’re everywhere.

There is only one basic human right – the right to do as you damn well please. And with it comes the only basic human duty – the duty to take the consequences.

A bend in the road is not the end of the road unless you fail to make the turn.

A graduate with a Science Degree asks, “Why does it work?”

A graduate with an Engineering Degree asks, “How does it work?”

A graduate with an Accounting Degree asks, “How much will it cost?”

A graduate with a Liberal Arts degree asks, “Do you want fries with that?”

Did you know?

A fool and his money are soon flying more airplane than he can handle.

If God had meant man to fly, he’d have given him more money.

It is better to be down here wishing you were up there, than being up there wishing you were down here.

It’s easy to make a small fortune in aviation. You start with a large fortune!

You should learn from the mistakes of others. You won’t live long enough to make them all yourself!

Half Baked Headlines:

Police Begin Campaign to Run Down Jaywalkers

Juvenile Court to Try Shooting Defendant

Red Tape Holds Up New Bridge

Typhoon Rips Through Cemetery, Hundreds Dead

Lansing Residents Can Drop Off Trees

New Vaccine May contain Rabies

Air Head Fired

Killer Sentenced to Die for Second Time in 10 Years

If Strike Isn’t Settled Quickly, It May Last a While

I was thinking about how people seem to read the Bible a whole lot more as they get older. Then it dawned on me they were cramming for their finals.

Never agree to plastic surgery if the doctor’s office is full of portraits by Picasso.

A young boy living off the grid was very tired of having to use an outhouse for his bathroom necessities. In the winter, it was very cold and in the summer very hot with flies and it really stank all the time. There was a creek running close to the outhouse so the young boy decided he would someday push the outhouse into the creek and be rid of it forever. A drenching rain happened one night and the creek was swollen enough the young boy decided it was time to get rid of the outhouse forever. He grabbed a large stick and started pushing on the outhouse. Finally, after a lot of work, the outhouse toppled into the creek.

That evening at the dinner table his father told him they were going to take a trip to the wood shed after dinner. The boy asked why because he knew he was in for a spanking. The father answered that “someone had pushed the outhouse into the creek and by all evidence I can find, it was you who did it. Is that true?”

The boy answered “yes sir.” He thought about it a minute and said; “we read a story about George Washington cutting down a cherry tree and was not punished because he told the truth.” The father said; “yes, that is true but I’m sure George’s father wasn’t in the cherry tree.”

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Spike Club Members

NAHB Spike Club

Spikes are the members who are actively recruiting new members and encouraging all members to renew. With 6 credits, you become a spike: You earn 1 spike credit for each new member, 1 credit for the first year they renew and ½ credit each renewal thereafter. **Thank you to everyone listed below! THE NAMES IN BOLD HAVE RECRUITED**

A NEW SICBA MEMBER IN 2022

All Time Big Spike (1,500+):

*Kevin Kartak – 2587.75 Bob Moe – 1642.5

Grand Spike (1,000 - 1,499):

+Patrick Hayes – 1420.5

Statesman Spike (500 - 999):

Robert Johnson – 912.5 ***Shelli Lucus – Kennedy** – 843.25

+John Piazza Sr. - 501

Super Spike (250 - 499):

*Jeff Hansell – 324.5 Walt Johnson – 284 +Dottie Piazza – 379.5 Scott Rainwater – 297

Martin Sippy – 383.75 Rick Tremaine – 417.5 +Don Wetsch – 267 Scott Yonkman - 258

Royal Spike (150 - 249):

+**Ted Clifton** – 190.5 +Barry Harter – 162.5 +***Cameron Kartak** – 165.25 +Kym Kelly – 156 +Ron Wallin – 195.5

Red Spike (100 - 149):

Dan Folkers – 124.5 *Zane Morrison – 105 Thom Richter – 132 Jon Roberts – 107 Martha Rose – 134

+Edwin Stanton – 132.5 Rick Wibbens – 142 **Gary Wray** – 113.5

Green Spike (50 - 99):

Josh Baldwin – 79.5 Ben Burton – 58.5 Chris Deasy – 82.5 *Brian Gentry – 76.5 Karl Krieg – 57.5 Keith

Swanson – 79.5 *Paul Woodmansee – 70.5

Life Spikes (25 - 49):

Curtis Banta – 45 Dennis Boe – 41.5 David Hillman – 43.5 Charles Locke – 42 Roy Mureno – 39.5

Kim Piazza – 26 **Brynn Riggins** – 25.5 **Jim Spane** – 35.5 **Dee Dee Swartz** – 36.5

James Thelen – 27.5

Spikes (6 - 24):

Samuel Brode – 16 Ed Clark – 7.5 Tina Cossel-Anderson – 6.5 Shellie Eubanks – 7.5 Don Fenimore – 6.5

Chad Fisher – 11.5 Duke Fisher – 6.5 Kelly Fox – 23.5 Chad Gailey – 6 Ed Gemkow – 7

Hans Grovdahl – 14 Michelle Grovdahl – 20 Jim Hall – 15.5 Russell Hester – 6.5 Dave Holmly – 7.5

Evan Holz knecht – 11 Darrel Johnson – 9.5 Dave Johnson – 22 Nate Kaplan – 12.5 Greg Kreider – 8

*Troy Lautenbach – 11.5 Jeff Lervick – 6 K. Garl Long – 7 Bill Losey – 6 Jeremy McCullough – 6.5

Ed Olsen – 8 Mike "Oly" Olsen – 7.5 Cathy Paules – 6.5 Ed Perry – 8 John Piazza Jr. – 10

Scott Ramin – 6 John Ravnik – 11 ***Jay Roberts** – 17 **Kathy Sanchez** – 11 Peggy Schultz – 14.5

Bob Shupe – 11.5 *Nels Strandeberg – 6 Susan Trenary – 9.5 Kris Tully – 18.5 David Wallace – 6

*Karen Watson – 7.25 Tiane White – 22 Dan Wickstrom – 13.5

Ron Wigal – 21 Joe Woodmansee – 16 Kris Yuan – 8.5

Spike Candidates with new members in 2022:

Kelly Bailey – 3 **Robert Desmarais** – 2 **Nathan Goodman** – 1 **Jason Joiner** – 1 **Leilani McClure** – 5

Hugo Prado – 1 **Kyle Wilson** – 1 **Clarissa Wong** – 1

Star Recruiters with 5 or more new members in 2022:

***Also recruits in other local associations.** +**Life SICBA member**

Spike Members are the lifeblood of our association. They are the members who are actively recruiting new members and encouraging all members to renew. Spike credits are earned with each new member recruited plus additional credits each year that member renews. Congratulations to our members who have attained a new spike level:

John Piazza Sr. – 501 Statesman Spike (500-999)

Kim Piazza – 26 Life Spike (25-49)

James Thelen – 27.5 Life Spike (27.5)

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SICBA's Calendar of Events

Tuesday, October 11th – 4:30 PM – SICBA Membership Committee Meeting at SICBA
5:30 PM – SICBA Board of Directors Meeting at SICBA

Tuesday, October 18th – SICBA Member Mixer – StonePro – Oktoberfest! Be sure to RSVP ([Click Here](#))

November Spike Appreciation Month

Tuesday, November 8th - SICBA's Annual General Membership Meeting and Leadership Elections- Drager's

Thursday, November 10th – 4:30 PM – SICBA Membership Committee Meeting at SICBA

5:30 PM – SICBA Board of Directors Meeting at SICBA

16-18th – BIAW's Fall Board Meeting 2022 in Vancouver, WA

December

Tuesday, December 6th – 4:30 PM SICBA Membership Committee Meeting at SICBA

5:30 PM SICBA Board of Directors Meeting at SICBA

Tuesday, December 13th -SICBA's Christmas Party and Installations of Officers Swinomish Yacht Club, LaConner

With inflation and cost of fuel, the Events Committee has decided to do a fundraising campaign for the Food Banks in both Island and Skagit Counties. If you would like to contribute to this worthy event, please do so by [Check Only](#) – made out to either [North Whidbey Help House for Island County](#) or [Helping Hands Food Bank for Skagit County](#). Should you choose to contribute to both, please make two checks – one for each entity. **Do Not make them out to SICBA. Mail them to SICBA, 15571A Peterson Rd, Burlington, WA 98233 and we will collect the funds and deliver them to both the food banks as contributions from our members in December to help offset the cost of the Holiday Season.**

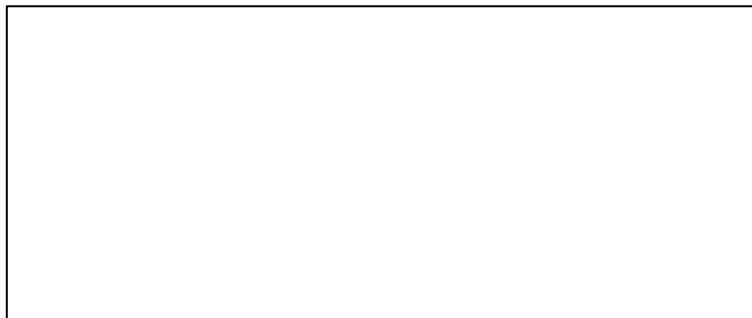
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