

HBPA MONTHLY MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 11, 2018

Sabes Que?: Nikki Lockwood & Christine Bruntlett - Co-housing in Spokane: A Different Kind of Neighborhood Perkins Restaurant Division and Olive St 12 E Olive Ave (downtown)

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In April

we celebrate and honor
Multicultural Communications Month

5 keys to Effective Communication:

1. Speak your Audience's Language
2. Don't Just Translate, Localize
3. Use an Effective Multicultural Communication Strategy
4. Communicate Thoughtfully and Clearly
5. Mind your Manners

<http://www.viadelivers.com/3910-2/>

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Upcoming HBPA Events/Information

23rd Graduate and Young Scholar Recognition Ceremony

Thursday, May 3, 2018 at Spokane Community College, Lair.

Looking for volunteers to assist with the event, interested, email Tami Chapman at tchapman@sclcd.org. As we do not have a May HBPA meeting, it is our hope that you will volunteer for 1 to 1.5 hours that evening.

To RSVP for the Graduate and Young Scholar Recognition Ceremony, visit www.hbpspokane.net or email hbpaceremony@gmail.com or call Yvonne at 509.979.8590.

Scholarship applications are now available with an April 7, 2018 deadline.

Email: hbpascholars@gmail.com | Website: www.hbpspokane.net.

Scholarships will be presented at the HBPA Graduate and Young Scholar Recognition Ceremony to be held at Spokane Community College Lair on Thursday evening, May 3, 2018.

Justice Steve Gonzalez with the WA Supreme Court will be visiting Spokane on Monday, April 16, 2018 from 5:30 pm- 7:00 pm at Gonzaga Law School, Café Lawte, 721 N Cincinnati St. Refreshments and appetizers to be served. RSVP to ken@justicegonzalez.com or 206.707.9239.

H&R Block Non-profit Referral Program

It is Tax Season and if you or a family member and/or friend(s) will be having their taxes prepared by H&R Block and are new to H&R Block, using the nonprofit referral program may qualify for a donation to HBPA. In 2007, HBPA received \$500+ from participants using this referral program. For more information call Jackie at 509.325.1934.

Sabes Que? Speakers

Looking for various community speakers for HBPA's monthly Sabes Que series. If you know of a speaker, please contact Larry Valadez at hbpspokane@gmail.com.

The speaker should be able to present a program for 25-30 minutes.

The Washington State Commission on Hispanic Affairs is seeking Commission applicants. They strongly encourage people from Vancouver, Spokane, and the Seattle areas to apply, call 360.725.5661 or go to the website at <https://fortress.wa.gov/es/governor/boardsapplication>.

Currently, we will be sending out the HBPA newsletter around the 1st and 15th of each month. If you have information you wish to include in the newsletter, please send to hbpaspokane@gmail.com

New and Renewing HBPA Members

Sonya De Leon
Sofie Dufrass
Gabriela Schneider-Lopez

HBPA dues for 2018 can be paid by going to our website at www.hbpaspokane.net. Dues are only \$30.00 per calendar year for individual membership, \$50.00 for a corporate membership.

Save the Date

Latin Music Concert – Fundraiser for immigration Legal Assistance

Featuring Milonga & Mariachi Arriba Jalisco

Date: Saturday, April 14, 2018

Time: 7:30 pm

Location: Southside Community Center, 3151 E 27th Ave

Cost: \$20 individual, \$35.00 a couple

For more information call 509.951.8023.

Donations accepted at

<https://tinyurl.com/justice-spokane>.

Underwritten by Smith-Barbieri Progressive Fund.

Watch For Them Bike: Taking it to the Streets

A relaxed pace of 8-10 miles. Donated helmets will be available for children on a first come, first serve basis.

Date: Sunday, April 29, 2018

Time: 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Location: Start/ends at East Central Community Center, 500 S Stone

Cost: Free

For more information, call Olga Lucia Herrera at 509.979.0421. Sponsored by the Equitcity Racial Equity Movement and other community sponsors. This event is intended for communities of color.

Sergio Mendes

The concert will feature hits with Brasil '66 as well as classics from his 50 years as a recording artist.

Date: June 12, 2018

Time: 7:30 pm

Location: Martin Woldson Theatre at The Fox
For more information and/or purchase tickets call 509.624.1200 or

www.foxtheatrespokane.com.

Free Community Events

Tenant Meeting and Call to Action

Tenants' voices need to be included as the city begins to address the severe rental housing shortage and deteriorating living conditions.

Date: Tuesday, April 3, 2018

Time: 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Location: Community Building Lobby, 35 W Main Street

Cost: Free

For more information contact Terri Anderson at terria@tenantsunion.org or 509.464.7620. Food and beverages will be provided.

Citizenship Clinic

Workshop offers legal service to help with applying for American citizenship.

Date: Saturday, April 7, 2018

Time: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Location: School of Law Courtroom, Gonzaga University, 721 N Cincinnati Street

Cost: Free

For more information and/or register visit

<https://worldreliefspokane.org/citizenship-clinic>. Hosted by World Relief Spokane, Catholic Charities, Center for Civil Human Rights at Gonzaga Law, and Alycia Moss, Immigration Attorney.

Treasure Hunt Book Fair

Children (kindergarten to 3rd grade) who attend (parents and siblings also encouraged to attend) will be given a "treasure map" to navigate through 8 activity booths.

Date: Saturday, April 14, 2018

Time: 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Location: West Central Community Center, 1603 N Belt Street

Cost: Free

For more information visit their Facebook at

<https://www.facebook.com/treasurehuntbookfair/>. Presented by the Junior League of Spokane.

JOB OPENINGS - Does your organization have job openings? Please send the information to hbpaspokane@gmail.com to be included in future newsletters.

AmeriStar Meats – currently has several non-driver positions available in Spokane – <http://ameristarmeats.com/careers>

City of Spokane: <https://my.spokanecity.org/jobs/classified/>

City of Spokane Valley: <http://www.spokanevalley.org/Employment>

Frito Lay/PepsiCo: Detailer Hourly position in Spokane, \$11.50/hr. Apply at <https://fritolayemployment.com/>

Gonzaga University: <https://gonzaga.peopleadmin.com/>

Northwest Freight Handlers, Inc. - Warehouse workers, no exp. necessary, will train. Note start time is 4:00 am, need reliable transportation as there is no close bus route. Requires pre-employment drug screen, \$12.00-\$13.00/hour. Pick up an application at De Leon's Food, 102 E Francis Ave. or call Sergio De Leon at 509.869.7678.

Pride Charter Schools – looking for teachers and staff,

<https://prideprepschool.tedk12.com/hire/index.aspx>

Spokane Police Department: <https://my.spokanecity.org/police/officer/jobs/>

***Spokane Symphony** – Development Coordinator, email resume and cover letter to jobs@spokanesymphony.org or apply through

<https://spokane.craigslist.org/ofc/d/development-coordinator/6532084967.html>.

Spokane Regional Health District:

<https://srhd.org/programs-and-services/human-resources-1>

Washington WorkSource: <https://www.worksourcewa.com/>

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