

HBPA MONTHLY MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 10, 2018

Sabes Que: Dr. Bob Lutz
Administrator

Spokane Regional Health District
Perkins Restaurant
Division and Olive St
12 E Olive Ave (downtown)

HISPANIC BUSINESS / PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION (HBPA)



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Upcoming HBPA Events

Viva Vino & Brew (Scholarship Fundraiser)

Saturday, February 24, 2018 at Shriner's Event Center

Looking for volunteers to assist with the event, interested, email hbpaspokane@gmail.com. The next meeting will be held on Monday, December 18, 2017 at 6:00 pm, De Leon Food, 15530 E Sprague Ave, Spokane Valley (corner of Sullivan and Sprague, east end of the mall stores)

Not able to participate as a committee member? The committee can still use your assistance - make a request from your company for a basket for either the silent or live auction or items that can be grouped with a basket. For example, a committee member has obtained donations of tickets for two upcoming shows at the INB. The committee will also take any monetary contributions your company or any organization wishes to make. Contact Larry Valadez for the Sponsor Letter at hbpaspokane@gmail.com.

23rd Graduate and Young Scholar Recognition Ceremony

Thursday, May 3, 2018 at Spokane Community College

Looking for volunteers to assist with the event, interested, email Guillermo Espinosa hbpaspokane@gmail.com.

Thank you: Jacqui MacConnell, Director of Strategic Initiatives for the Spokane Police Department for speaking at our December 13, 2017 meeting. Her presentation regarding the testing and hiring of police officers and community engagement was informative. And she speaks Spanish!

La Prensa Bilingue newspaper will start publishing again in January 2018. For any information - to advertise, send articles, opinions, etc. call Maria Gaines at 509.483.2523 or email: bilingualpress@latinnewszone.com. You can pick-up a paper at Mexican Restaurants, De Leon's Food, La Michoacana, St Joseph Catholic Church, Community Centers and other places.

Contact Us

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2017 HBPA Association/Foundation Officers

Larry Valadez, President

Guillermo Espinosa
Vice President

Maria Escobedo, Treasurer

Susana Lopez, Secretary

Daniel Fuentes
Membership Officer

"Gloves With Love"

Thank you to HBPA members that donated gloves and/or money to purchase gloves for St. Vincent de Paul (Victor Vera) in Spokane. Donations are used to purchase winter gloves and are distributed through the Christmas Bureau.

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

Renewing 2018 HBPA Members

Norma Cardenas

Rick Mendoza

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.

Hispanic Business/Professional Association Foundation Scholarships

Provides scholarships for high school and area college/university undergraduate students in Spokane County, WA. Applications available late January/early February with an early April deadline. Email: hbpascholars@gmail.com Website: www.hbpaspokane.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.

Latin Lounge - Day: Monday

Time: 6:00 pm-8:00 pm

A wide spectrum of Latin music. Hosted by "Corazon" on KYRS 92.3 FM or 88.1 FM. Website: <http://www.kyrs.org>.

Latin Waves - Day: Monday

Time: 1:00 pm-2:00 pm

Building Community Across Borders, positive social change has only come through communities of interest working together. On KYRS 92.3 FM or 88.1 FM. Website: <http://www.kyrs.org>.

Free Community Events

"A Catholic Impressionist in the Age of Vatican II"

Traveling exhibit of works created by Roman Catholic artist Karen Laab-Novak (1937-2009)

Dates: October 2, 2017 through January 6, 2018

Time: Mondays-Saturdays, 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Location: Jundt Art Museum, Gonzaga University

Cost: Free

For more information call 509.313.6843 or email kaiser@gonzaga.edu or website www.gonzaga.edu/jundt.

"They Play"

Thinking outside the gender binary, is a body of work that questions our desire as a society to label and assign gender to almost every aspect of our lives. Gender is fluid and part of a spectrum, by J. Casey Doyle.

Dates: November 8, 2017-January 11, 2018

Time: Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Location: Eastern Washington University Gallery of Art, 130 Art Building, Cheney, WA

Cost: Free

For more information call 509.359.2494 or visit their website at

<http://www.ewu.edu/cale/programs/art/gallery>.

We Need Diverse Books! Storytime with Local Authors

We Need Diverse Books! imagines a world where every child can see themselves in the pages of a book. Ages 2-5.

Dates: Saturday, December 16, 2017

Time: 10:00 am

Location: Spark Central, 1214 W Summit Parkway (Kendall Yards)

Cost: Free

For more information call 509.279.0299 or visit their website at

www.sparkwestcentral.org.

NAACP General Membership Meeting

Presentation from the YWCA on Domestic Violence.

Date: Monday, December 18, 2017

Time: 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Location: Community Building, 35 W Main Ave

Cost: Free, meeting open to everyone

For more information contact spkncpbr@gmail.com or visit their website at

<http://spokanenaacp.com>.

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 five 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>

Eastern Washington University (EWU): <https://sites.ewu.edu/hr/apply-for-jobs/>

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

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

Spokane Regional Health District: <http://www.srhd.org/links/jobs.asp>

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