

## HBPA MONTHLY MEETING

The next meeting will be  
held on Wednesday,  
June 13, 2018

Sabes Que?: Gloria Ochoa-Bruck  
Director of Multicultural Affairs  
City of Spokane  
Perkins Restaurant  
Division and Olive St  
12 E Olive Ave (downtown)

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Foundation Officers

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Susana Lopez, Secretary

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Membership Officer

In June we celebrate and honor

### LGBT Pride Month

June was selected as Gay and Lesbian Pride month due to the three-day protest in 1969 at the Stonewall Inn in New York City. This event marked the first time that the gay community joined together to fight for their rights, thereby gaining national attention.

African American Music Month  
National Caribbean American Heritage  
Month

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### Upcoming HBPA Events/Information

#### **Unity in the Community Cultural Village - August 18, 2018**

HBPA needs volunteers to staff the booth located in the Cultural Village section from 9:45-noon, noon-2:00 pm, and 2:00 pm – 4:15 pm. Contact Larry at [hbpaspokane@gmail.com](mailto:hbpaspokane@gmail.com) if you are able to volunteer. In addition, please save your egg shells (1/2+ of the egg shell) so that they can be made into cascarones (decorated eggs that are filled with confetti).

#### **Join us for our 4th Annual Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead)**

Friday evening, **November 2, 2018**, 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm  
Hennessey Funeral Home, 1315 N Pines Rd, Spokane Valley  
Looking for volunteers to assist with the event, interested, email [www.hbpaspokane@gmail.com](mailto:www.hbpaspokane@gmail.com). All members are invited to participate in the planning of this event. All members and their families are invited to attend. This event is free and open to the public.

**Viva Vino & Brew** is looking for volunteers to assist with this event, interested, email [www.hbpaspokane@gmail.com](mailto:www.hbpaspokane@gmail.com).

Saturday evening, **February 23, 2019**, Shriners Event Center

**HBPA** does not meet during the months of July or August. We will have an evening social during one of these months and of course we have Unity in the Community on August 18<sup>th</sup>.

\*\*\*\*\* A year has gone by since we started this newsletter. We are asking for your feedback/input regarding this newsletter. Rather than send out a check box survey, please just respond to the questions below and any other information/comments you have. We realize that this does not give you "anonymous status" so feel free to indicate that you prefer a checkbox survey like Monkey Survey. Questions: What information should be deleted and what should be added? Is twice a month (1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>) good or how often would you like to see the newsletter come out? Would you like to see a section that highlights a member once a month? Please send you responses to [hbpaspokane@gmail.com](mailto:hbpaspokane@gmail.com) with your comments as to how to improve the newsletter (or the no need for a newsletter) and indicate in the subject line "Newsletter". Please respond by June, 30, 2018. Thank you!\*\*\*\*\*

Currently, we will be sending out the HBPA newsletter around the 1st and 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. If you have information you wish to include in the newsletter, please send to [hbpaspokane@gmail.com](mailto:hbpaspokane@gmail.com)

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

### **HBPA/EWU Partnership Scholarship**

This is the second year that HBPA Foundation has partnered with Eastern Washington University's (EWU) Music Department to contribute \$500 towards a scholarship of \$3,000 to a very deserving Wenatchee High School student who is committed to attend EWU and will play in the mariachi program "Las Aguilas". This year's recipient, Katareen Maria Bernal Morales, was awarded the scholarship on March 23, 2018, at the annual Mariachi Northwest Festival that takes place in Wenatchee, WA. Katareen plays the guitar.

### **Democracy Now! Headlines in Spanish**

Date: Saturday  
Time: 7:00 am – 8:00 am  
*Democracy Now!* is a national, daily, independent, award-winning news program hosted by journalists Amy Goodman and Juan Gonzalez on KYRS 92.3 FM or 88.1 FM.  
Website: [www.kyrs.org](http://www.kyrs.org) or [www.democracynow.org](http://www.democracynow.org).

### **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>.

### **Save the Date**

### **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

Cost: \$42.00 - \$75.00

Location: Martin Woldson Theatre at The Fox  
For more information and/or purchase tickets call 509.624.1200 or [www.foxtheatrespokane.com](http://www.foxtheatrespokane.com).

### **Free Community Events**

#### **M.E.Ch.A. de Rogers High School – "Our Community"**

Together, share our culture with each other, and build cohesion!

**Date: Friday, June 1, 2018**

Time: 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Location: John R. Rogers High School, 1622 E Wellesley Ave

Cost: 4-tickets for \$1.00

For more information visit their Facebook page at

<https://www.facebook.com/ewu.mecha/>. Hosted by MEChA de EWU.

#### **Spokane Police Department - Community Appreciation Day**

K-9, Motor Unit, and Explosives Robot Demonstrations and Hiring Workshop.

**Date: Saturday, June 9, 2018**

Location: Spokane Community College Soccer field, 1810 N Greene Street

Time: noon – 4:00 pm

Cost: Free and open to the public

Food available for purchase from Kona Ice and Red Lion Barbecue. For more information contact Kathy at [karmstrong@spokanepolice.org](mailto:karmstrong@spokanepolice.org).

#### **27<sup>th</sup> Annual Pride Parade - Theme: *Pride, Now More Than Ever* and Rainbow Festival**

**Date: Saturday, June 9, 2018**

Location: Downtown Spokane

Time: noon

Cost: Free

For more information visit <https://outspokane.org/>.

#### **Project Joy, Senior Entertainers of Spokane**

Toe, tap, and clap with the Senior Serenades mixed voice chorus, an ensemble of approximately 50 members whose wonderful programs include old-time favorites and show music.

**Date: Thursday, June 14, 2018**

Time: 1:00 pm -2:00 pm

Location: Hennessey Valley Funeral Home, 1315 N Pines Rd.

Cost: Free and open to the public

Refreshments provided.

**JOB OPENINGS** - Does your organization have job openings? Please send the information to [hbpaspokane@gmail.com](mailto:hbpaspokane@gmail.com) to be included in future newsletters.

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

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

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

Community Colleges of Spokane -

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/ccspokane>

Frito Lay/PepsiCo: <https://fritolayemployment.com/>

Gonzaga University: [www.gonzaga.edu/jobs](http://www.gonzaga.edu/jobs)

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 Regional Health District:

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

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