

Have a great May!

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Featured Non-Profit Organization: Leadership Clark County

Throughout the month of May we will be partnering with Leadership Clark County in our Referral Rewards Program. Leadership Clark County (LCC)

Referral Rewards

For every referral you send our way, we donate \$25 to a local non-profit.

This is a great way for us to give back to our community!

For the month of **May**, donations will go to **Leadership Clark County**.

The more referrals you send us, the more we give, so spread the word! The finest compliment we can receive is the referral of your friends, family, and business associates. To refer someone online, click [HERE](#)

March Referrers:

Jason and Wendy Beatty
Mark Bernazzani
Bill and Eryn Hibbs
Michele Black
Brent Erickson
Dan Clark
Kevin and Heather Deford
Jan Hust
Jesse and Jennifer Johnson

is a nonprofit organization aimed at developing effective and engaging community leaders to serve Clark County. LCC brings individuals with diverse interests and expertise together to challenge them to increase their knowledge of Clark County and deepen their community engagement. This unique program runs September through May and uses site tours, lectures, presentations and group discussions to engage their participants.

Throughout the month of May, LCC will be hosting a "Scholarship Drive" May 1st through June 1st. This year's campaign theme, "Lead the Way," underscores the importance of contributions to LCC's scholarship fund. LCC is an integral resource for fostering leadership skills that will benefit our community in the future. Contributions to LCC support a community of strong, informed, and committed leaders who strive to passionately engage in creating a positive environment for current and future generations. The donations made to LCC through their "Scholarship Drive" give LCC the ability to offer financial assistance in the form of scholarships.

"Our goal is to raise a total of \$9,200 in scholarships to assure LCC's continued success," said LCC board chair Sharif Burdzik, Class of 2009. As an added incentive, each week LCC will offer a prize to the individual who donates the most money during that week. We are excited to partner with an amazing organization that is investing in the future leaders of our community!

It's easy to donate online, click [here](#). Please connect with [Angel Escobedo](#) regarding further questions.

Pete Johnson
 Erica Jorgensen
 Mark Sampath
 Bri Lux
 Shelby Miller
 Robin Myers
 Doug and Val
 Schmitt
 Brian and Ciara
 Stone
 Elizabeth Thiede
 Parvaneh and
 Derek Williams



Here's Cassie Guthmiller delivering the Referral Reward Check for March to Dick Kunkle from **FISH of Vancouver.**



Work Anniversary

The month of May marks one year of having David Clark on our team at Davidson & Associates! David's favorite part of his job is helping people understand the world of insurance, an industry that can be confusing to many. He enjoys being able to show his clients how they can best protect the important things in their life. A fun fact about David is that he is half Swedish. He even lived in Furudal, Sweden for four years prior to returning to the Vancouver area in 2009. He has been married to his wife, Katie for two years. They love to dance, spend time with family and friends, and be entertained by their two playful cats, Meelo and Tip. David is a passionate believer in the power of empathy towards others and has been transformed by God's influence and love in his own life. David's skill for teaching and love for learning from others is felt throughout the office, especially in our recent software transition! It's been a great

year, David- thanks for serving alongside us!



Thanks for your "Cheers!" Green Eggs & Ham received an additional

Melissa goes to NYC with Safeco Insurance!

Our very own Melissa Ralston WON the trip of a lifetime to New York City in April! Davidson & Associates earned a trip for two to New York City by Safeco Insurance for being in the top three agencies within the Northwest region. Our agency determined who would receive the trip for two by drawing cards—Melissa Ralston drew the highest card. Melissa, alongside her sister Joan, took on NYC and embraced every moment!

Safeco Insurance provided 2 nights in a beautiful hotel, a gift card to cover all their meals, and a nice reception for all the trip recipients from varying agencies. Several Olympic gold medalist were in attendance at the reception, seeing as Safeco Liberty Mutual is a sponsor of the upcoming summer Olympics in Rio! A few highlights of her trip included: an awesome tour of NYC with a well-informed tour guide, seeing the Book of Mormon on Broadway, going inside St. Patrick's Cathedral, and the New York City Library. Melissa enjoyed learning more about the history and happenings of New York City. She shared with our office that each region of Central Park was designed to represent an area of New York State. All the plants, trees and topography in each section are native to the area in the state that the section represents! Melissa was amazed at the magnitude of the park and how she truly felt out in the country despite being in one of the largest cities in the world. This may have been Melissa's first time to New York City, but it won't be her last!

Important Dates in May:

\$1,000!

May 8th: **Mother's Day**

May 30th: **Memorial Day**

Mark your calendars

In honor of Flag Day, we will be hosting a Flag Exchange June 6th-June 17th.

Whether you are need of a new flag or looking to exchange an old flag- stop by Davidson & Associates for a new, free **American flag!**

Follow us on social media for more details in the future!

Community Events

Science on Tap: Memory and the Neuroscience of Addiction

Date: Every second Wednesday (May 11th) **Venue:** Kiggins Theatre 1011 Main St., Vancouver, WA 98660

Time: Doors open at 6PM, event at 7PM **Cost:** \$8 advance tickets, \$10 suggested cover at the door **More Details** [Here](#)

25 FREE THINGS TO DO IN VANCOUVER

Check out these free things to do around Vancouver, WA!

Vancouver Symphony Orchestra

Date: Saturday May 21st at 3PM & Sunday May 22nd at 7PM

Where: Skyview Concert Hall 1300 NW 139th St. Vancouver, WA

[Ticket Information](#)

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