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Sing Fourth Teen Vocal Competition

We are once again co-sponsoring the Sing Fourth Vocal Competition with PEMCO Insurance held on the 4th of July on the Main Stage at Fort Vancouver. Every year the Teen Vocal Competition kicks off the action at the Fort Vancouver Independence Day Celebration with a bang! Ten outstanding youth vocalists will compete for



Here are the top 4 finalists from last years competition.

their chance to win one of three scholarships (\$1,000 for 1st Place, \$500 for 2nd Place, and \$250 for 3rd Place).

Tryouts were held at Beacock Music on May 16th. This year's top performers were:

- **LAUREN BARTON**, Mountain View High School
- **KALEB BURRIS**, Evergreen High School
- **ISAAC DIZON**, Camas High School
- **MIA JOSBERGER**, Cedar Tree Christian Classical School
- **DANIELLE LORANGE**, Evergreen High School
- **TIRZA MEULJIC**, CAM Academy
- **BELLA OLSEN**, River Home Link
- **BECCA WEINBERG**, Camas High School
- **HANNAH WILSON**, Skyview High School
- **HANNAH WRIGHTSON**, Hockinson High School

Come join us watch these exemplary students perform at noon, on the Fourth of July, on the main stage, at the Fort Vancouver Independence Day Celebration!



Four Davidson & Associates Insurance Staff Members Receive Professional Recognition

Safeco Insurance has honored four staff members of Davidson & Associates Insurance with Safeco Personal Lines Achievement Awards. The awards were given to the four-member personal insurance team of Audrey Brouwer, Bryce Davidson, Melissa Ralston and Pat Spicer.

The Personal Lines Achievement Award honors the dedication, diligence, integrity, passion for excellence and overall exemplary representation of Safeco Insurance by agency employees. Their skills, enthusiasm and concern are highly regarded contributions to the agency, company and industry.

We are very proud of Melissa for winning the award for the fourth time and congratulate Pat, Audrey and Bryce for their first awards of many, we hope! It is uncommon for an agency to receive more than one award in a year and even rarer to have FOUR honorees. We are delighted that our award winners have accumulated more than 100 years of insurance agency experience.

As members of our Personal Insurance Team, Audrey, Bryce, Melissa and Pat are able to advise on many types of insurance. Their experience includes, but is not limited to: automobile, home, boat, motorcycle, recreational vehicle, earthquake, flood, life, and disability insurance.

We congratulate them for their achievements!

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

Check Web sites for admission fees
and exact times

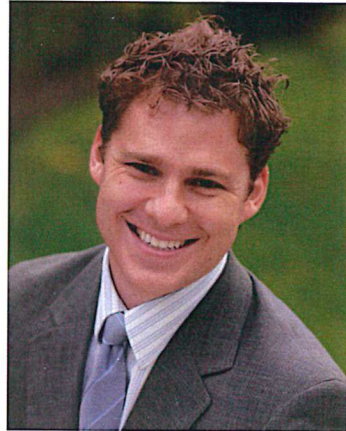
Flag Day Fort Vancouver
Sunday, June 14, 3:30pm
Fort Vancouver Parade Grounds
Cost: Free
www.fortvan.org/flag-day.html

Summer Brewfest
Friday, June 19, 3pm-10pm
Saturday, June 20, Noon-10pm
Sunday, June 21, 9am-4pm
Esther Short Park
Cost: \$25 All Weekend Pass
(10 Tokens + Mug)
www.summerbrewfest.net

Recycled Arts Festival
Saturday, June 27, 9am-6pm
Sunday, June 28, 10am-4pm
Esther Short Park
Cost: Free
www.recycledartsfestival.com

**Independence Day Celebration
at Fort Vancouver**
Saturday, July 4, 8am-10:30pm
Fort Vancouver National Site
Cost: Children 12 & under Free,
Others \$5 in advance, \$7 at gate
Prime Viewing: \$50 adults 21 and over,
\$25 under 21, ages 5 and under Free!
www.4th.fortvan.org

Agency Anniversaries



Bryce Davidson has now been with the agency for three years. Prior to joining the agency he was a Manager at Ernst & Young in San Francisco focusing on mergers, acquisitions and audits. He graduated from Santa Clara University in 2004 with a B.S. in accounting and economics. Most recently, Bryce enjoys teaching Junior Achievement "Personal Finance" classes to local high school students, being a guest speaker at new home buyer classes and sponsoring the monthly Vancouver Luxury Home Realtor tour. Outside of work, he is busy helping to plan his wedding in September, improving his meager golf game and enjoying weekend hikes in the Gorge.



Margaret Rogers is celebrating five years with the agency. She joined our firm in 2010 and earned her Property and Casualty insurance license in 2011. A long-time fan of both Elvis and mid-century modern design, Margaret longs to go to Graceland again and treasures her Atomic Ranch subscription. For the past three years, she has volunteered in the Lunch Buddy program at Hough Elementary, and is currently teaching a class at Eisenhower Elementary through the Junior Achievement program. Margaret grew up in Coos Bay/ North Bend, Oregon and now resides in Vancouver.



Melissa Ralston has been with the agency for an astonishing 12 years! She has been a licensed insurance agent since 1979, and achieved her Certified Insurance Counselor designation in 2005. This year she once again earned the Safeco Insurance Personal Lines Achievement Award for her commitment to excellence. This is the fourth time in the past five years Melissa has been recognized with this award. Melissa is involved in the Lay Leadership at Salmon Creek Methodist Church. She will be leading a second group on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land next spring. In addition to her faith-based activities, Melissa enjoys spending time with her husband Paul, her pets, Finn, Emma and Reuben and her Kindle.



Cassie Guthmiller is celebrating her third anniversary at Davidson Insurance and has seven years of experience in the insurance industry and an extensive administrative background. Cassie grew up in Vancouver, but prefers the rural life. Cassie has two very well-behaved boys, Andrew and Logan. She loves watching her two young sons play lacrosse and soccer. They also enjoy watching movies, outdoor activities and going to the beach, together, of course. Cassie is a proud volunteer of the Hough Foundation Lunch Buddy Program.

Where will you find roads without cars, forests without trees and cities without houses?

Respond to scott@davidsoninsurance.com with the correct answer by June 30th, 2015 to be entered in to WIN a \$25 Beaches Gift Card!



Last Month's Riddle Winner: Theresa Springer
Last Month's Answer: A Deck of Cards



Non-Profit Highlight: Partners in Careers

Partners in Careers (PIC) works with hundreds of families and individuals to help them become economically self-sufficient. They do this through job training, coordination of support services and job placement. PIC works with youth, families with children, refugees, low-income seniors and adults facing multiple challenges to employment such as homelessness, debt, addiction and mental illness. PIC programs include:

COMMUNITY JOBS

Through coordination with the Washington State Department of Commerce, the program serves parents with dependent children on public assistance. PIC staff members provide training, job search and work experience and address challenges with legal issues and health. Each year approximately 400 families are served through the Community Jobs program.

IMMIGRANT LANGUAGE SKILLS

This program is designed to help immigrants and refugees learn language skills and secure placement in the workforce.

HOMEWARD BOUND VETERANS

Connects veterans and their families to services including housing and employment.

YOUTHFIRST

YouthFirst has four different programs that provide local students with an opportunity to gain work experience as well as career exploration opportunities.

ROOTS TO ROAD

Roots to Road is an innovative partnership at Clark County's Heritage Farm that teaches veterans small scale farming and related employment.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

- Join their Board of Directors or an Advisory Committee
- Make a donation, which can be made on-line and which goes directly to help veterans, youth and parents with training and other costs related to becoming self-sufficient. Please consider becoming a supporter of PIC today. To learn more, visit www.partnersincareers.org



Tony Johnson and Savannah Mobley give the Davidson Referral Rewards donation to Amy Johnson, the new executive director of Columbia Springs.

Our Referral Rewards Program

For every person you send our way, we will give \$25 to a local non-profit. This is a great way to give even more back to our community! This month we are donating our referral rewards to **PARTNERS IN CAREERS**. The more referrals you send us, the more we can give, so spread the word! The finest compliment we can receive is the referral of your friends, family and business associates.

Rewards are open to everybody, whether you are a client of our agency or not, and regardless if your friend or family member purchases protection from us. For more info please visit: davidsoninsurance.com/referral-rewards

Referral Rewards for April and May

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| • Dawn Bell | • Golson Scruggs | • Jason Smith |
| • Chris Berg | • Joe Pekar | • Paul Orefice |
| • John Blom | • Ron Kramer | • Brian Rohan |
| • Bo Clark | • Mike Lamb | • Theresa Scott |
| • Wendell Forster | • Jeff Lukowiak | • Brian Stone |
| • Rochelle Gano | • Suzy Major | • Jennifer Tamez |
| • Sandy Garr | • Karen Miller | • Elizabeth Thiede |
| • Lisa Gibert | • Nancy Miller | • Scott Tiniakos |

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