



UNIT 21

Skagit-Island-San Juan

School Retirees' Association

November/December, 2012

Unit 21 Holiday Brunch Buffet

Skagit Golf and Country Club
16701 Country Club Drive
Burlington, WA 98233

Date: Wednesday, December 5, 2012

Time: 11:00 a.m.

Cost: \$15 per person

Holiday fun and entertainment plus baskets for silent auction
Enjoy good food and visit with friends

RSVP to either: Diane Visten at 360-387-1348 dvisten@wavecable.com or to
Glenda Hobbs at 360-424-1695 ghobbs@fidalgo.net.

Food Bank Donations

Please remember to bring non-perishable food items, new travel-size personal items, and/or cash to this event with you. Our donations this month will go to the Alger Food Bank. Any and all donations are greatly appreciated.

UNIT 21 LOSES TWO LEADERS

We recently lost two very talented leaders, Robert Pickering of Anacortes on September 15th and Viola Sexton of Burlington on October 30th.

Bob served on both our local and state Legislative Committees with great distinction. He was highly respected for his legislative know-how in Olympia.

Vi willingly shared her expertise on health issues as a SHIBA volunteer and made special presentations at our annual Retirement Planning Workshops.

They will be sorely missed, but remembered fondly.



Treasurer's Report

Checking Account \$3763.93
Savings Account 2029.33
Total after transferring 1000.00
for 10 grants \$1029.33

We Remember

James Granger
Michael Kilpatrick
Marguerite Moen
Clara Nagel
Vi Sexton
You are in our thoughts.

Welcome New Members

Glen Cooper
Karyl Cooper
Donald Fosso
Anna Gordon
Kenneth Gray
Theodore Mann
Jack McKeller
David McNeely
Bobbie Parker
Sid Parker
Verna Pommerenke
Milton Snyder
Timothy Vogel

WSSRA Unit 21 Candidate Forum/Luncheon, Farmhouse Restaurant, October 13

Our first endeavor to hold a candidate forum was a big success, and was attended by over 60 people in all. Our state president, Dick Anderson, also was there. We had candidates from districts 1, 39 and 40, with a total of 14 speaking. Moderator, Kathy Reim, did a great job and kept things moving. The buffet lunch gave candidates and people attending a chance to visit before the formal forum began and was a good way to begin. We thank all who helped by calling, making posters, etc, or who helped with the actual event. Many hands made it a really positive day.

Unit 21 Grants for 2012

SISRA Unit 21 is proud and pleased to present the 2012 grants to:

Alicia Robinson – Samish
Anne Laue – Evergreen
Barbara Rock, Tom Andre, Tami Moran – Evergreen
Sedro Woolley Schools

Nancy O'Brien - Orcas Island Schools

Diane LaVoy, Leah Clayberg, Kate Peterson, Traci Kiesser - Madison
Mt. Vernon Schools.

WSSRA UNIT 21 LEADERSHIP

OFFICERS

Co-Presidents: Barbara Robinson
Diane Visten
Co-Treasurers: Barbara Landrock
Joe Best
Secretary: Joyce Moon

COMMITTEES

Sunshine: Eloise Stendal
Newsletter: Joanne Jones
Health: Joyce Scoll
Outreach: Reidar Ytgard
Legislative: Barbara Landrock
Website: Kathy Reim
Membership: Harriet Smith
Grants: Harriet Smith,
Glenda Hobbs

Save the Dates

January 7 NW 1 Coordinating Council Meeting at the Royal Star Buffet in Mount Vernon at 10:00 a.m.

February 11 Skagit-Island-San Juan Unit 21 Board Meeting at the Royal Star Buffet in Mount Vernon at 10:00 a.m.

A reminder: We are still trying to collect our members' email addresses to add to our list.

They will be used only for WSSRA information.

Be sure to check out our Unit 21 website at sisra21.org.

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Join us and tell a friend

More information at the website: www.wssra.org.



Happy Holidays to everyone!

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