



WOMEN BUSINESS OWNERS

PARTNERS IN SUCCESS

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President's Message

Hello WBO!

What is delightful about spring is the growth and rebirth that will surround us in the coming weeks. It so beautiful to look around and see it everywhere.

We are seeing the same thing here at WBO.

I encourage you to take a moment or two and read about the women who have joined us in the last month and those who have renewed as well. It's so exciting to see.

And that is just ONE of the things worthy of celebration happening around us.

- Business Anniversaries
- Employees hired
- Successful product/service launches
- Relationships forged
- Collaborations created
- ...and so much more!

What are you celebrating in your business? Let us know by replying to this email or join us for a toast at our Annual Celebration at the end of the month.

Calendar

After Hours

Thursday, March 9

5:00 - 7:00 pm

Location: [Sleight of Hand Cellars](#),
3861G 1st Ave. S., SODO/Seattle

[Learn More](#) - [Register](#)

Education Workshop

Thursday, March 16

10:30 am - 11:30 am

Topic: Work Smarter not Harder: 3
different types of goals for 2023

Speaker: [Darci Daniels](#), Darci Daniels
Coaching

Location: Zoom

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Luncheon

Thursday, March 23

11:15 am - 1:00 pm

Topic: Chasing the Right Rabbit: Best
Practices for Time and Priorities
Management

Speaker: [Pamela Coburn-Litvak](#), PhD

ACC HLC

Location: Zoom

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2023 Celebration

Friday, March 31, 2023

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Location: [Mercer Island Community and Event Center](#)

8236 SE 24th St., Mercer Island

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Women Business Owners was founded in 1979 by a group of local women business owners seeking counsel, support and friendship from their peers. WBO propels women entrepreneurs to embrace their visions of success!



President:

Tracey Warren

[Ignite Your Champions](#)

Secretary:

Heather Skillman

[The Skillman Enterprise](#)

Treasurer:

Laura Doehle

[Elevation Business Consulting LLC](#)

Celebration Co-Chairs:

Jennifer Mastor

[Mastor Recruiting & Consulting](#)

Gazala Uradnik

[GFS Events](#)

Thank you for being here. YOU are remarkable, just for being you.

Tracey Warren

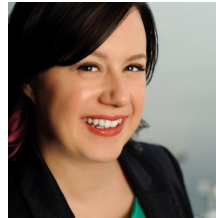
Welcome Aboard



Pamela Coffey

[Costless Blinds](#) is an independently run company located in Seattle, WA. We are committed to giving you top quality interior

window blinds at the lowest prices.

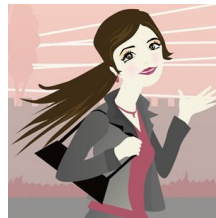


Leah Fritz

[Transcend Financial Group](#)

Leah is dedicated to learning and growing in multiple disciplines within the financial

industry. She brings insights and experience from the banking and accounting fields and applies that experience to financial strategy formation and growth focused business planning.



Raman Grewal

[US Bank](#)



Sarah Hay

[Astute Abode Design](#)

Interior Design including residential renovation and space planning, bathroom and kitchen design and all

furniture and furnishing procurement. Creating homes that my clients can't wait to get back to!



Lisamarie Madsen

[Lisamarie Hair](#)

[Designs](#) Lisamarie has 40 years of experience in the beauty industry. She is passionate about helping you

achieve the look you love with best hairstyling equipment. She uses hairstyle techniques that truly fit your needs and help you to look and feel beautiful!

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From Our Members

Jennifer Mastor,
MASTOR
Recruiting &
Consulting, was
recently



Rachelle Nesta is the Director of Development at [New Beginnings](#), the first organization to open its doors to support survivors of domestic

violence in Seattle. We now have a full suite of services for survivors no matter where they are on their journey to a life free from abuse and a prevention program to teach healthy relationship classes to youth in local middle schools.



Gayle Picken
[66Events & Media](#)

We produce fun events and publications focused on travel and wellness in the Pacific Northwest. Next up:

NW Mind Body Spirit Connection's "Mountain Wellness Adventure" May 5-7, 2023 in Cle Elum. Join us!

Renewing Members



Maegan Dornan
[Hall & Dornan Wealth Management Group of Wells Fargo Advisors](#)

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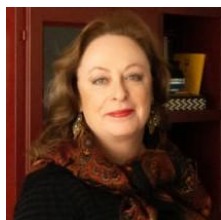


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interviewed for Stories Worth Hearing. [This video](#) is about the real Jennifer Mastor and not what she does but more about a small part of her

journey to make it real.



Please support and make a difference in the diamond industry
Julia Van Arsdale is proud to

announce that her company was approved to be part of the FedEx Small Business Grant. Julia is asking for your help. It would mean the world to her if you can take 10 seconds and go to the [FedEx page](#) to vote for Jewels & Co.



“Your talk was so thoughtful and inspiring. Thanks for stepping up to share your leadership experience with our audience.”

Marriot Winquist, Executive Leadership

Coach of [BrightTree Consulting](#), spoke at the Toastmasters District 2 Leadership event and rallied the audience with her speech: *“The Power of One: Amplifying Your Leadership Ripples”*.



Michelle Lee
[Columbia Bank](#)
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Kandace Sylvester
[Columbia Bank](#)
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Lily Tran
[TaxUSign](#)
 Member Since 2022



Jenn Varno
[J. Varno Design](#)
 Member Since 2022



Marriot Winquist
[BrightTree Consulting, LLC](#)
 Board Member,
 DEI Co-Chair
 Member Since 2020

In the Spotlight

Emily Lang runs a Financial Planning and Wealth Management



practice in Bellevue, WA affiliated with [Northwestern Mutual](#). My team's mission is to bring you peace of mind, security, and financial confidence empowering you to make smart decisions about your future. My initial priority is to personally get to know you and your family, build a trusting relationship, and work with you to understand your current financial situation, future goals, and family objectives. Together, we'll create an actionable and realistic plan that will provide education, simplify problems, have a focused implementation strategy, and give you financial security and self-assurance to live the

life you want.

Want to be featured here?

If you'd like to be considered for a Member Spotlight Feature, the only requirements are that you are a current WBO member and that your profile is up-to-date in the WBO website's member directory. If you have any questions about the Member Spotlight, or any other membership benefits, please [send an email](#) to Darci and Emily.

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