

# ASCE Seattle YMF Newsletter

## December 2016

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Dear ,

The [ASCE YMF Board](#) would like to see you at the 2016 Holiday Party on December 15th! See below for details about upcoming events.



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On Behalf of the YMF Officers and Chairs,

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### December Community Service Event

Sunday, December 4th

6:00-9:00 pm

Phinney Neighborhood Association

6532 Phinney Avenue N, Seattle



On December 3rd and 4th the PNA (Phinney Neighborhood Association) hosts their Winter Festival & Crafts Fair, an annual event that features more than 115 crafts vendors, continuous live entertainment, and tasty baked goods. The event has gained an impressive reputation as the place to shop for holiday gifts and regularly attracts 4,000 - 5,000 customers over the course of the weekend.

The Winter Festival entrance fee supports PNA programs such as the PNA Hot Meal Program (formerly known as the PNA Soup Kitchen), before and after school childcare, and the Greenwood Senior Center.

We will be helping clean up and putting the Phinney Center back together after this weekend's event. You must RSVP to attend the event free of charge.

If you plan to volunteer, RSVP to [Kristina Lowthian](mailto:Kristina.Lowthian@pna.org) at [nalani83@gmail.com](mailto:nalani83@gmail.com).

### 2016 Holiday Party

Thursday, December 15th  
5:30-7:30 pm  
The Garage  
1130 Broadway, Seattle



Join us in Seattle at The Garage for our annual holiday party on Thurs., December 15th!

Win prizes in our annual raffle! Raffle tickets are earned by attending, donating an unwrapped toy for [Toys-for-Tots](#) and/or for bringing a friend or co-worker.

As always, appetizers will be on the YMF.

And make sure to check out the [event flyer](#) and feel free to print and post around your offices.

Check out the venue website here: [The Garage](#). Questions? Contact [Shelley Collins](#) at [shco@cowi.com](mailto:shco@cowi.com) and/or [Dan Worthen](#) at [worthen.daniel@gmail.com](mailto:worthen.daniel@gmail.com).

### Volunteers Needed - Upcoming Popsicle Stick Bridge (PSB) Competition!

The PSB committee is looking for volunteers for high school visits. The high school visits consist of bringing the materials to the schools and a brief presentation on the competition and engineering.

The visits are to help build interest for the event, educate high school students about engineering and to save time and costs on delivering supplies. There is most likely a school or two on the list that is near where you live, work, or even one you might have attended yourself!

**School visits will occur in December and January, as the competition is February 4th.** We will also be seeking volunteers to help the day of the event at a later time.

If you are interested in helping out the school visits, please contact [Christopher](#) at [Christopher.Rhodes@parsons.com](mailto:Christopher.Rhodes@parsons.com), [Bianca](#) at [biancasem819@gmail.com](mailto:biancasem819@gmail.com), or the school outreach coordinator at [psbschooloutreachcoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:psbschooloutreachcoordinator@gmail.com).

### Volunteers Needed - Lake Stevens High School Civil Engineering Club



*Volunteers Needed for the Lake Stevens HS Civil Engineering Club*

The Lake Stevens HS Civil Engineering Club can always use volunteer engineers to be guest speakers or to help lead one of the ASCE-provided hands-on activities.

Please contact [Melissa Wu](mailto:mwu@ch2m.com) at [mwu@ch2m.com](mailto:mwu@ch2m.com) and/or [Nigel Lyons](mailto:nigel.lyons.uw@gmail.com) at [nigel.lyons.uw@gmail.com](mailto:nigel.lyons.uw@gmail.com) if you are interested in getting involved!

**WRYMC 2017**

WRYMC 2017  
January 13-14, 2017 - Los Angeles, California



The Western Region Younger Member Council (WRYMC) will be held in Los Angeles. This conference offers valuable leadership training, technical tours and a chance to network with other young engineers from throughout the western region. To learn more, check out the [WRYMC Website](#).

If you have any questions or are interested in attending, please contact [Jared Nakamoto](#) at [nakamoto@pbworld.com](mailto:nakamoto@pbworld.com).

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