

# Selah Chamber of Commerce

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**AUGUST 2022**

phone: (509)698-7303



## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



**Brian Rafferty**

Dear Chamber Members,  
Happy Summer!

The Chamber Board is focusing on our upcoming *Wine, Dine and Beyond*, on Friday, October 14. We're excited about our sold out Gold Sponsor sales! We still have plenty of \$300 -Table of 8 tables left as well as plenty of \$40 individual tickets. Let us know which works best for you!

\*Now we are planning the auctions both silent and live.

Do you have an item for the auction?

Would you help in getting items for the auction?

Let Glenda know & we can make arrangements to pick it up! We hope to have a robust and varied auction with something that will be available and appeal to everyone.

We also have a few open positions on the Board. Would you serve or do you have a candidate whom you think might be a good fit. Ask them and let Glenda or I know.

But in the meantime, stay cool and enjoy your summer.

See you around!

At your service,

*Brian Rafferty*

Selah Chamber President

**Edward Jones**  
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## Calendar

### Board Meeting:

*The next virtual Board meeting will be in September!*

*Regular Board meetings are on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month (virtual)*

### General Membership Meetings:

General meetings are held at 12:00 pm; FREE lunch @ 11:30am on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. of the month.

**General Membership meetings are in the Senior Room (enter from the large parking lot under the green awning).**

### GENERAL MEMBERSHIP

#### MEETING:

**Our next General Membership meeting will be September 28th**

**Please watch our FACEBOOK page for any updates.**

**The Selah Chamber of Commerce General Membership meetings will be on hiatus for the months of July & August.**

**Have a fun & safe summer!**

### GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS:

General Meetings are on the fourth Wednesday of the month held at the Selah Civic Center and all Chamber members and non-members of the community are welcome! Bring a friend!

**We also have a 50/50 raffle at our General Meetings! BRING YOUR CASH!**



## SELAH PARKS & REC. DEPT

Please check out the link below for information about what is going on with Selah Parks & Rec!

<https://selahwa.gov/parks-and-recreation/>

Zack Schab

Recreation Manager

City of Selah Parks and Recreation

216 South 1<sup>st</sup> Street

Selah, WA 98942

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Fax: 509-698-7309



## SCOC UPCOMING EVENTS:

Our Fiscal year 2022-23:  
(runs July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023).

### BUSINESS AFTER HOURS (Quarterly)

**Reserve your date today for a BUSINESS AFTER HOURS event!**

### BUSINESS AFTER HOURS 2022-23

\_\_\_ **September 13 – 4:30-6:30pm - Berkshire Hathaway – Amanda Frank**

\_\_\_ **December (open)**

\_\_\_ **March (open)**

\_\_\_ **June (open)**

### RIBBON CUTTING(S):

...watch our Facebook page for updates or changes

**DUE TO BUSY SUMMER SCHEDULES FOR EVERYONE, WE WILL NOT HAVE ANY GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS IN JULY OR AUGUST. HAVE A GREAT AND SAFE SUMMER!!**

### **2022-23 EVENTS:**

- **Business After Hours @ Berkshire Hathaway, Sept 13 4:30-6:30**
- **Wine Dine & Beyond: Fri. October 14th 5-9pm**

### 2022-23 Selah Chamber Board Members:

President: Brian Rafferty

Vice Pres.: Mike Reese

Secretary: Lillian Cassidy

Treasurer: Elena Mendez

SSD Appt Board Member: Chris Scacco

YTC appt member: LTC Timothy J Horn

City of Selah appt. : Jared Iverson

SDA apptd member: Katrina Henkle

Board Member: Chelsea Lynch

Board Member: Branner Reese

Board Member: Cody Applegate

Board Member: OPEN

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## NEWS FROM THE SCOC OFFICE:

\* **office hours are Tues & Thurs 9:30-12:30**

If you would like to pay your 2022-23 invoice by credit or debit card, please leave a message on the office phone or send me an email including your email address you want the billing sent to. \*\* I will be out of the office August 2, 4, 9 & 11

*Glenda Frazier*

Office Manager

Selah Chamber of Commerce

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## Selah City Council Meetings

Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 5:30 pm, the Selah City Council will meet for a regularly scheduled meeting. This meeting is open to the public and conforms with State requirements for the Open Public Meetings Act. Meetings can be viewed by the public on the [City of Selah YouTube Channel](#) or on the zoom link posted on [The Selah City Council agenda and minutes page](#)



### WELCOME NEW CHAMBER MEMBERS!

We are excited to welcome **509 Ductless owners Javier & Lorena Perez** to the Selah Chamber! They just opened up their new business 509 Ductless at 311 S 1<sup>st</sup> St and have a beautiful showroom. Please stop by their business to see how they can help you with your ductless needs! We will be having a ribbon cutting soon – watch for the FB post and email notifications!

We also want to welcome **Farmer's Insurance agent Cody Applegate** to the Selah community! Cody & his kids recently re-located here from Tri-Cities to Selah and are looking forward to meeting new people in our community and he would love to handle any of your insurance needs! His ribbon cutting was held on **Thursday, July 21<sup>st</sup>** at 103 N 1<sup>st</sup> St Suite E, Selah. Thanks for the support!

We also want to welcome **Berkshire Hathaway realtor Amanda Frank** to our Selah Chamber family! Amanda's office is in Yakima, but she lives in the Selah community and has many contacts in the area. Amanda would love to help you with your next home purchase – call her today! Also, plan on attending the **Business After Hours** at Berkshire Hathaway that Amanda is hosting on **September 13<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-6:30pm**, 4112 Summitview, Yakima. See you there!! Everyone is invited, Chamber member or not.

### WELCOME TO OUR NEW CHAMBER MEMBERS!!!

- 509 Ductless - Javier & Lorena Perez  
311 1<sup>st</sup> St., Selah, WA 98942 (509)698-2470
- Farmers Insurance – Cody Applegate  
103 N 1<sup>st</sup> St Suite E – Selah, WA 98942 (509) 697-6106
- Amanda Frank – Berkshire Hathaway  
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**UPDATE:** YVTs trolley is offering the Historical West Pine Street for its excursions until we are able to repair our railroad crossing at Fruitvale Street in Yakima, Washington. The cost of this 20 minute round trip excursion is ONLY \$5 per person and 2 years old and younger on lap at all times are FREE.



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## AMERICAN PICKERS to Film in Washington

The American Pickers are excited to return to Washington! They plan to film episodes of The History Channel hit television series throughout your area in October 2022.

AMERICAN PICKERS is a documentary series that explores the fascinating world of antique "picking" on The History Channel. The hit show follows skilled pickers in the business, as they hunt for America's most valuable antiques. They are always excited to find sizeable, unique collections and learn the interesting stories behind them.

As they hit the back roads from coast to coast, the Pickers are on a mission to recycle and rescue forgotten relics. Along the way, they want to meet characters with remarkable and exceptional items. They hope to give historically significant objects a new lease on life while learning a thing or two about America's past along the way. The Pickers have seen a lot of rusty gold over the years and are always looking to discover something they've never seen before. They are ready to find extraordinary items and hear fascinating tales about them.

We at American Pickers continue to take the pandemic very seriously and will be following all guidelines and protocols for safe filming outlined by the state and CDC. Nevertheless, we are excited to continue reaching the many collectors in the area to discuss their years of picking and are eager to hear their memorable stories!

The American Pickers TV Show is looking for leads and would love to explore your hidden treasure. If you or someone you know has a large, private collection or accumulation of antiques that the Pickers can spend the better part of the day looking through, send us your name, phone number, location, and description of the collection with photos to:

[americanpickers@cineflix.com](mailto:americanpickers@cineflix.com) or call (646) 493-2184

facebook: @GotAPick



AMERICAN PICKERS is produced by Cineflix Productions for The History Channel. New episodes air Mondays at 8pm EST on History.

Coming to WA in October!

# AMERICAN PICKERS



AMERICAN PICKERS ARE LOOKING FOR LARGE, RARE COLLECTIONS & THINGS THEY'VE NEVER SEEN BEFORE. TELL US THE INTERESTING STORY BEHIND YOUR STUFF!

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or leave a voicemail at (646) 493-2184

or on facebook: @GotAPick

PLEASE LET US KNOW:

- YOUR NAME, TOWN & STATE
- PHONE NUMBER
- WHERE YOUR COLLECTION IS LOCATED
- A DESCRIPTION OF YOUR ITEMS



## Wine Dine & Beyond 2022 is back!!

The Selah Chamber of Commerce is sooo excited to announce that Wine Dine & Beyond will be back this fall on Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at the Selah Civic Center from 5-9pm. - Online Tickets are available now (see link below) as well as by calling our Chamber office at 698-7303 or email us at [selahchamber@fairpoint.net](mailto:selahchamber@fairpoint.net) to make arrangements to pay for and pick up tickets. We will have a dinner, comedic entertainment, beer & wine, live and silent auctions, dessert dash auction, 50/50 raffle, liquor wheelbarrow raffle, photo booth and so much more!!! We will offer ~~GOLD Tables of 8 with special perks (\$500~~ **SOLD OUT!**) as well as regular tables of 8 (\$300) and individual tickets (\$40). Tickets are available on our facebook page and this link via Eventbrite: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/wine-dine-beyond-tickets-334063030517> as well as through our office. This is a 21 and over event. Tickets are limited so get yours now!

We are beyond excited to bring this event back and we know A LOT of you are ready to get out and have a good time!! Mark your calendar and watch our facebook page for more information. If you would like to be on our planning committee, we would love to have you! Please email us at [selahchamber@fairpoint.net](mailto:selahchamber@fairpoint.net) to let us know. We can always use fresh, new ideas! If you have any auction items we would appreciate your donation! Please contact us & we can pick it up!



Thank you Lexa Frazier for creating this year's WDB logo.



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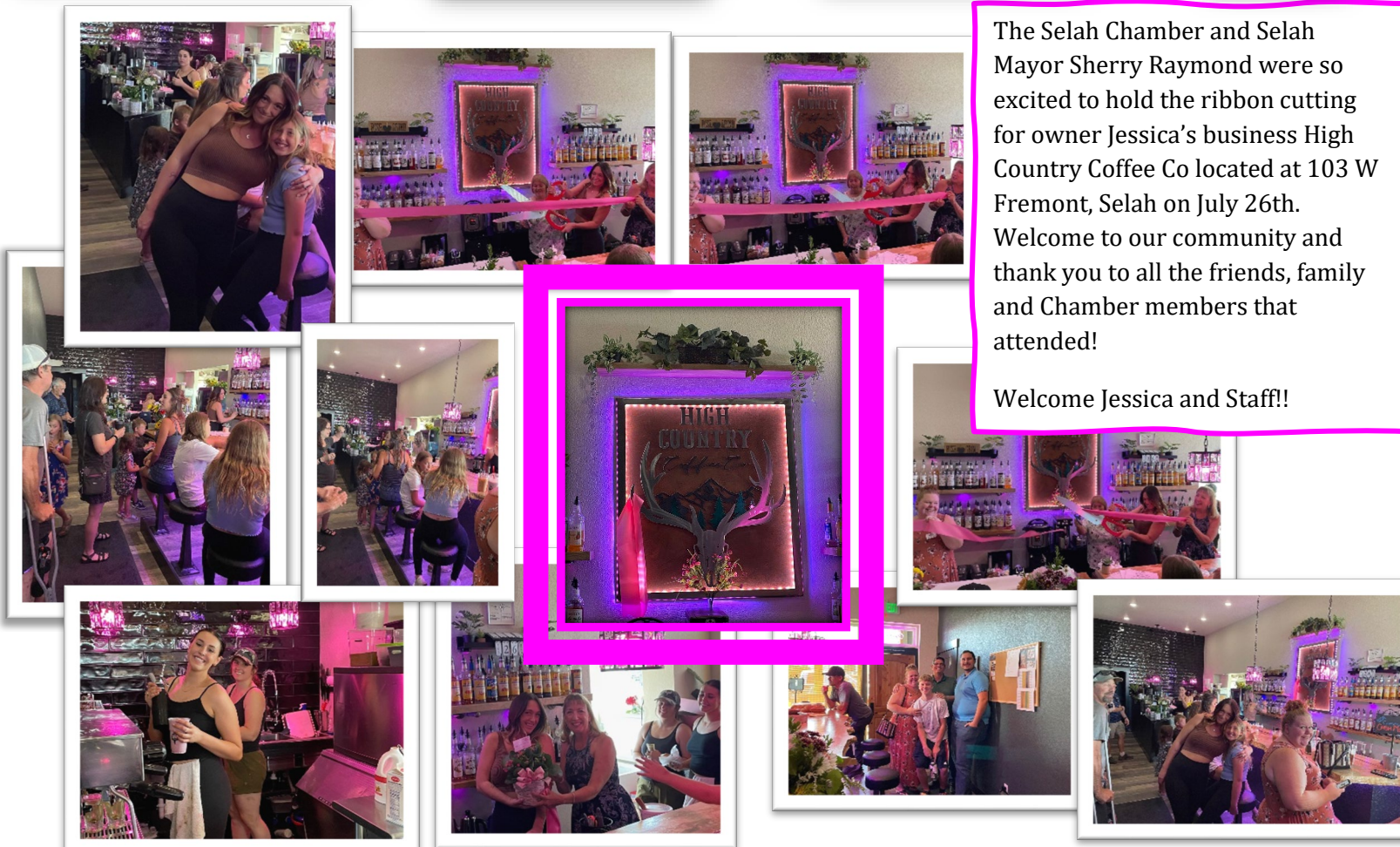
# Chamber holds 2 ribbon cuttings!!

The Selah Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting for Farmers Insurance agent Cody Applegate on July 21<sup>st</sup>. The City of Selah Mayor Sherry Raymond assisted in the ribbon cutting along with many friends and family congratulating Cody on his new endeavor. Welcome to Selah Cody and family!



The Selah Chamber and Selah Mayor Sherry Raymond were so excited to hold the ribbon cutting for owner Jessica's business High Country Coffee Co located at 103 W Fremont, Selah on July 26<sup>th</sup>. Welcome to our community and thank you to all the friends, family and Chamber members that attended!

Welcome Jessica and Staff!!





## WE WANT YOU!!

The Selah Chamber of Commerce is always looking for new and exciting main speakers for our Selah Chamber General Membership meetings. We have had a wide range of topics over the years and if you know of someone or if that someone is you, please give us a call! The main speaker is given 20-25 minutes to speak and we have a projector & screen available (upon request). You would have to bring your own laptop.

The Selah Chamber meetings are held at the Selah Civic Center on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. of the month. FREE lunch is served at 11:30am followed by the meeting at noon.

*We are on hiatus for meetings in July, August and December.*



## PLEASE CHECK OUT THE MEMBERS LISTING ON OUR WEBSITE!!

Please note that our Selah Chamber of Commerce website now has all our members listed alphabetically as well as by category. The listing includes the business name, address, phone number and other pertinent information. Please visit our website at [selahchamber.org](http://selahchamber.org). CHECK IT OUT!

## WE DO RIBBON CUTTINGS!

If you know of a new business in Selah, a business that has re-located to Selah or a business that has changed hands...we can have a ribbon cutting for you! Just contact the Selah Chamber with all of your pertinent info and we will contact the Mayor's office and make the arrangements!



Hosting a Business After Hours through the Selah Chamber of Commerce is a great way to connect with other businesses and people in our community! Normally, the Business After Hours is held the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month (quarterly), but you can hold it whenever it works best for you! Please contact us TODAY to set up your Business After Hours!

698-7303



## **Business After Hours**



## **Newsletter emailed!**

Please notify us if you want to add (or remove) someone at your place of business to receive our newsletters. Newsletters are also available on our website. Please contact us by email @ [selahchamber@fairpoint.net](mailto:selahchamber@fairpoint.net) OR 698-7303 to make sure your email is up to date. THANK YOU for being a Member of the Selah Chamber!

## NEWSLETTER INPUT!

We welcome your input into the Selah Chamber of Commerce Newsletter. If you wish to submit an article, event, flyer or anything else into our newsletter, you need to submit it 2 days before the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month by 10am (subject to change & space available). Thank you Chamber members for your support!



## SELAH CHAMBER LUNCH SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY!!

The Selah Chamber of Commerce is offering an opportunity to our members to sponsor our monthly luncheon. We are looking for businesses to sponsor our lunch either by donating the lunch itself (if you own a food establishment) or by being a sponsor and paying for the lunch. In return, we will prominently display your business logo in our monthly newsletter and also on our FACEBOOK page as our lunch sponsor for that month. We appreciate your support in this new endeavor.

Please contact the Selah Chamber at 698-7303 if you are interested in being a sponsor.



## **SELAH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICE HOURS:**

**office hours: Tues & Thurs 9:30-12:30am**  
**Please watch our website, facebook or newsletter for a change in hours.**





**PO BOX 415**  
**Selah, WA 98942**

**August**

**2022 NEWSLETTER**

**TO: Our Valued Selah Chamber Member**

### ***Mission Statement***

The mission of the Selah Chamber of Commerce is to serve the interests of member businesses while advocating business advancement, economic growth and community awareness.