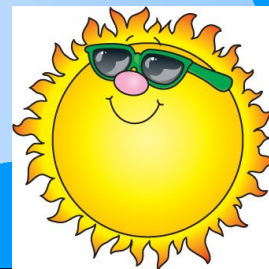


Facilities Focus



August 2016

2016 Employee Appreciation Picnic July 13, 2016

Delicious BBQ lunch



Great Turn-out!



Employee
Gift

Walk of Fame



Winners of donor-sponsored
entry to the

Hardhat Golf Tournament:
Dave Baker & Jackie Hedenstrom

Lots of Prizes!



Pres. Schulz with Olivia



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NEXT BLOOD
DRIVE IS
SEPTEMBER 22



Thank you!

Thank You!

"It was great to see so many of you, the best Facilities organization, at the Facilities Services Employee Appreciation Picnic. I regret most not seeing everyone as often as I used to, but feel really good knowing you are doing your jobs with the dedication and good will that you bring to your work every day. I am honored to serve the University with all of you. Thank you for all you do."



Olivia Yang

Design Build Forum

July 29, 2016

Facilities Services recently hosted a 2nd Design Build Forum to promote discussion on the Design Build procurement process with our vendor partners (Architectural and Construction firms) and other owners across the State. It was very well attended.....130 guests. New this year was a web site for participant registration, thanks to FAIS.

Thanks also goes out to all of the Facilities Services staff who participated and to those who supported the event with their organizational skills! As always, Banyan's provided excellent meals and service.

-Joe Kline



Thanks for all of your support and donations!



Facilities Services employees are true life-savers. During the last Blood Drive, we surpassed our goal of 21 units by two (2) additional units, including one deferral! By donating a unit of blood, you help save the lives of at least three individuals.

The Red Cross presented our recruiters with an official Blood Drive t-shirt which was won by Brandy Dean in a random drawing.

We are proud of our employees and their generosity to this life-giving commitment. Many are life-long blood donors, contributing gallons of blood to the Red Cross. Please consider becoming a donor.

The next blood drive is Sept 22.



Kudos!

Correction to the June newsletter: ..."Just wanted to say, one more time, how much the **Museum of Art** values **Jerry Lynd**." (*Jerry was incorrectly identified in the last newsletter.—apologies from the editor!!*)

I wanted to pass along a thank you custodian, **Tim Demand**, on 4th floor Fulmer Syn. He walked into lab 470 this morning and heard a hissing noise in the fume hood and then noticed a chemical smell he hadn't smelled before. He did the exact, correct thing by backing out and calling Dispatch. A definite asset to Facilities Services! Thank you! A. Barton

Thanks to **Sharifah Nicholson** and **Melissa Hanley** for the quick and thorough clean-up of the recently vacated office on the 5th floor of Todd Addition, College of Business. Much appreciated, as it immediately created working space that we can use in the college. We appreciate the effort and the results! C. Hunter

We came up to WSU and picked up lockers and the binders we needed and the folks at **Surplus** were a great help, plus courteous and pleasant. It made our short trip fun! Thank you! Lewiston Civic Theatre

Thank you **Motorpool** for always being so kind and helpful! We truly appreciate what you do!

Dept Governmental Studies and Services

Kappy, (and Grounds) thanks for helping us out this morning. Also, we put mats down on the grass area where we did our pour this morning, and this did prevent damage to the grass area. There is some wear and tear, but I think with the tight radius area where HE had to do their work, we did pretty good. Our shop wants to make sure we are doing everything we can to minimize damage to grass and soil. Thanks.

R. Miller

YEA for you and THANK YOU!!! Your quality workmanship is much appreciated. K. Brun

We would like to express our appreciation to our **custodial crews** for the rapid responses and willingness to help out when we have unexpected floods any time day or night. Recently we had a 6" water main break outside one of the main entrances at the Washington Building. The call went out for help and they responded

in force to help control the water and to keep it from spreading to other areas. Because of their quick response to this leak we were able to keep the damages to a minimum; we lost one floor tile. This is the norm for this group and we in Maintenance and Utilities are much appreciative of their willingness to jump in and help in what are not always the best of situations. Thanks again,

The Maintenance and Utilities Division

Thank you, **Kyle Christenson, Garrett Thurman and Angie Wilbur**, for your hard work and the great job at waxing our floors! It is greatly appreciated. K. Breeze

I just want to let you know what an AWESOME job **Ian Robertson** is doing keeping everything so clean here on the 3rd floor of IT. I know I speak for all of the residence on IT's third floor in that we really appreciate all of his hard work in doing an OUTSTANDING job!!! M. Burleson

Just wanted to pass on a "thank you" to your floor cleaning crew: **Taylor McCleman and Jonathan Williams!** The floors look amazing in our offices and hallway (Fine Arts, 6th Floor). Fantastic. Most appreciated. AM Shannon

To **Damian Balmforth and Andy Warn:** My Goodness! Does Murrow 243 look *Beautiful*!! I can't believe it's the same room! Thank you for all your excellent efforts. L. McCall

On behalf of the Dean and myself, I would like to extend my thanks and appreciation for the outstanding professionalism and performance of **Steve Holbrook** and the crew (**Bill Ettenhofer, Kelsey Southwick, Rickey McElfresh, John Schauwecker**) who completed our office moves this morning. They were all very efficient, patient and helpful. It made the office moves very easy. Please pass along our appreciation to the whole crew. J. Merrill

More Kudos!!

I would like to share with you how fortunate we are in Johnson Hall to have **Colleen Baldrige** as our building Custodian. Colleen always has a smile on her face, even when some of our faculty are a bit messy. It is wonderful to walk into the building and see floors that glisten after she works her magic. She has a positive outlook, is an exceptional worker and makes our day brighter on a daily basis.

We would like to thank Colleen for all of her hard work and to let you know how much she is appreciated by all of us working in Johnson Hall!

K. Shelton

The **Grounds Crew** did an amazing job this morning on very short notice in getting an area of landscaping repaired and mulched. They started first thing in the morning, and had the work done by 8 AM. We are all really lucky to have this shop available for support. Thanks for all your hard work!

B. McMahan



Happy Retirement, Mike Sturko!

Friends and colleagues gathered on Tuesday, July 19 in the New Addition of McCluskey Services to celebrate Mike's 22+ years of dedicated service to WSU, and to wish him well as he retires. Mike served as the Director of Design Services for Facilities Services, and was the Lead Estimator. Besides being a spot-on-estimator, he was a mentor for many new hires.

Mike's wife, Pat, was able to join the festivities. They are looking forward to their first grandchild, a trip to the British Isles, and more free time to enjoy their home and garden.



Mike and Pat Sturko



Mike with Olivia Yang and Joe Kline.



Troy Hall Renovation

- Jason Harper



Troy Hall was designed by K. Zittle as Washington State University's original dairy building. Construction began in 1924 and the building opened Dec. 10, 1926.

It was named in honor of David S. Troy, a dairyman from Port Townsend, Wash. A member of the WSU Board of Regents 1910–16, he later became a state representative and state senator.

In conjunction with the dairy, Troy Hall also was home to the WSU Creamery, Ferdinand's Ice Cream Shoppe and many chemistry classes.

Since its initial construction, there have been no major renovations of the building. As a result, it was in need of major remodeling and was closed in 2010 for renovation. The project is budgeted at \$32.3 million. It began spring 2016, with completion planned for February 2017, and occupancy for April of that year. Jeff Lannigan is the WSU project manager; Jason Harper the Construction Mgr. When complete, Troy Hall will provide 50,202 square feet of academic instruction and research space to support chemical and environmental sciences.

The Design Build Team is Lydig Construction and Perkins+Will Architects.



Photos by Shelly Hanks and Dean Hare, WSU Photo Services, and Jeff Lannigan, WSU Capital Planning and Development. Historic photos from WSU Manuscripts, Archives and Special Collections.

Portrait of a Great Team..... Utilities Maintenance

by Todd Leisinger



Thank you to our supporters and participants of the July 30, 2016 Jess Ford of Pullman Hardhat Classic Scholarship Fundraiser! It was a huge success!



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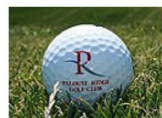
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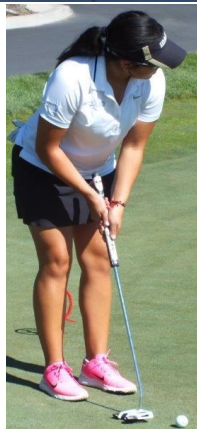
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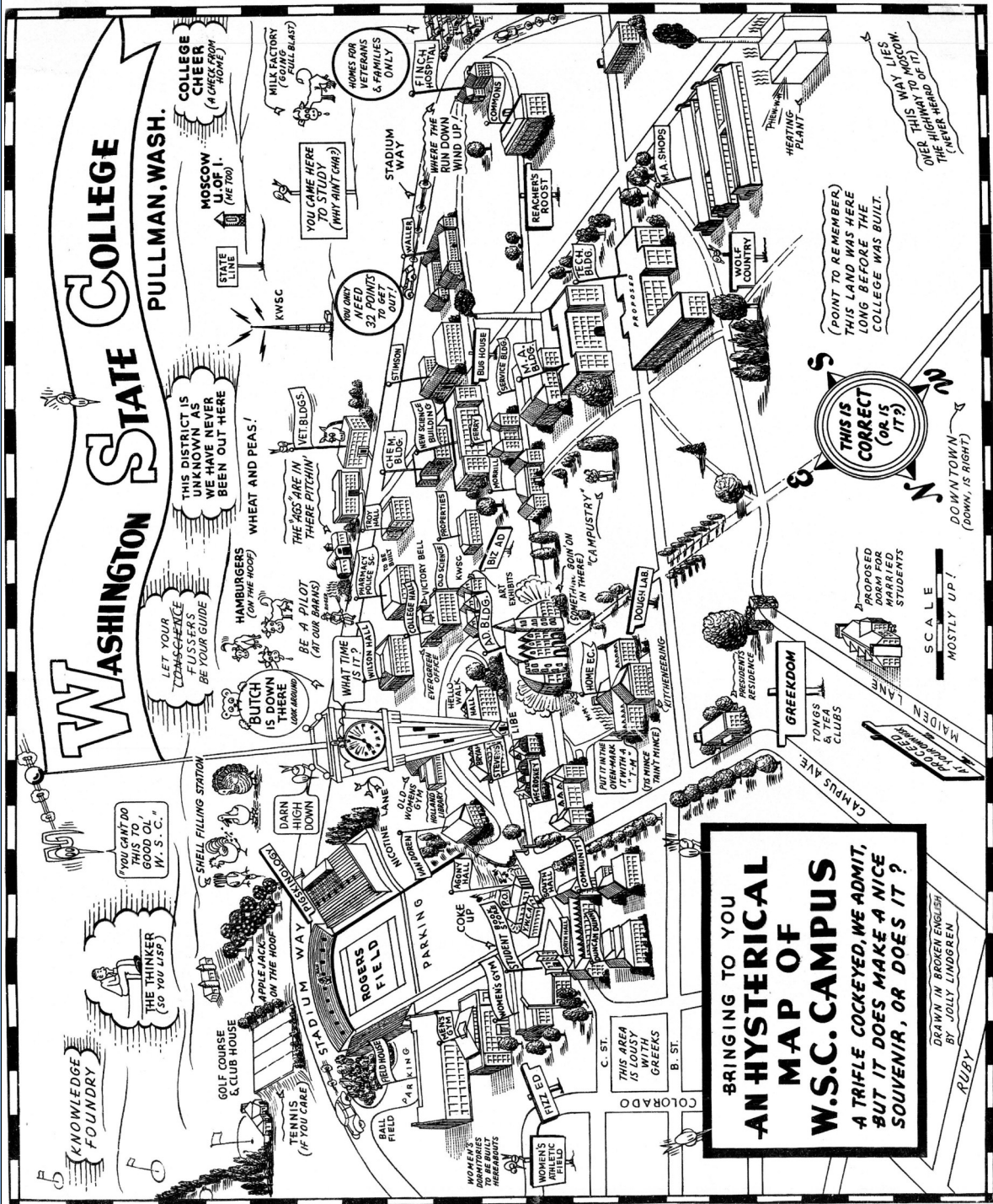
Pix from the Hard Hat Classic



Hysterical (Historical) Map of Campus



Washington State University
 "Washington State College"
 was established by the Washington Legislature on March 28, 1890 less than five months after statehood. The institution was one of the land-grant colleges created under the 1862 federal Morrill Act signed into law by President Abraham Lincoln. After an extended search for a location, the state's new land-grant college opened in Pullman on January 13, 1892. The year 1897 saw the first graduating class of seven men and women. The school changed its name from **Washington Agricultural College and School of Science to State College of Washington** in 1905, but was commonly called Washington State College. The name was changed by the state legislature to **Washington State University** in 1959.



New Hires



L to R: Robert Coffey, MM1;
Ricky McElfresh, Equip Op 2;
Damian Balmforth, Cust 1;
and Li Ping Yi, Cust 1;
pictured with AVP Dan Costello



Swing Shift Custodians:

Jennifer Jones and Andy Wren



Custodian 1,
Stephen Whitfield



Promotions



Phil Johnson promoted to Project Mgr 2,
Design Services Manager. Pictured with
AVP, Joe Kline.



Quinton Jacobs promoted to Electronic Tech 4.
Pictured with Chris Fischer, Assoc. Director (left) and Ryan
Gehring, Supervisor (right).



10 year Service Award

Jann Dahmen

with AVP, Joe Kline



10 year Service Award

James Adam Beck

with Assoc Director, Chris Fischer



10 year Service Award

Richard Miller

With Director, Craig Cole



20 year Service Award

Jeffrey Dean

With Supervisor, Danna Medlock



20 Year Service Award

Shon Randall McPherson

with Director, Chris Fischer



Employees not pictured:

Jeremy Bass, FAIS	5 years
Jasen Skelton, FAIS	10 years
Kathrine Power, Custodial	10 years
Calvin Baisley, Maintenance	15 years
Dennis Rovetto, Plant Services	15 years



Length of Service Award Recipients—remember to visit the HRS website:

<http://employee-recognition.wsu.edu/ER+Length+of+service+Award> to order your recognition gift!

APP Safety Question Winner!

We had 18 entries, only one incorrect answer. Duane's entry for the Safety Question was randomly selected from the correct entries. Those correct entries not chosen are placed in the bucket for the annual Safety Award Drawing at the Facilities Services Picnic. Thank you to all that entered the contest! Be sure to enter this month's contest!!

Answer to the APP Safety Question:

Chapter 29: Lead-based Paint

Virtually all of the activities in which lead exposure might be expected to occur on the job involve painted, varnished, or otherwise coated building components.



Duane King is the Winner!

Thanks for Working Safely!!

Working Safely Award goes to (L-R) Todd Leisinger, Dale Clark and Jim Antoine as submitted by Larry Marshall. These men were observed wearing appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and staying observant to their surroundings. They were installing new 16" valves on chilled water lines on Ellis Road at 8:00am. Each selected a gift item from the Safety Cabinet.



Facilities Services Safety Committee

Safety Question Contest for the Month of August 2016

Directions: The answer to the question below can be found in one of the chapters of the Accident Prevention Program (APP). Read the question carefully. When you think you have found the answer, you may email your answer to **D Thomas at d.thomas@wsu.edu** or print off this page and cut out the form on the dotted lines. You may give the form to your supervisor to **send in intercampus mail to D or drop it off at her desk** in the reception area of the McCluskey Office building. The names of all employees who submit the correct answer will go into a hat for a drawing. Whoever's name is drawn will be able to pick out one of the monthly safety awards. This contest will be open only until 5 p.m. on **August 31, 2016** so get started finding the answer now and win a nice prize! <http://facops6/safety/APP%20Manual/Forms/AllItems.aspx>

APP Chapter 10: Chemical Hazard Communication

The unit supervisor will maintain a list of the _____ chemicals used by the unit employees in the unit's shop and update the list as necessary on the _____.

Name of employee submitting the above answer: _____

Facilities Services Division: _____

WSU Holiday Schedule

Labor Day	September 5, 2016	New Year's Day	January 2, 2017
Veterans' Day	November 11, 2016	Martin Luther King Jr.	January 16, 2017
Thanksgiving	November 24 & 25, 2016	Memorial Day	May 29, 2017
Christmas	December 26 & 27, 2016	4th of July	July 4, 2017



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