



2022 Summer President's Message

Finally blue skies, warm weather, and most importantly sunshine! Well, at least that's what they keep saying will happen. We all know better; summer starts after July 4. I want to start off by thanking our chapter membership for the opportunity to serve as your President, it's humbling to be trusted with this responsibility, and my honor to serve. Chapter 4 was established in 1952, which means our chapter is entering its 70th Anniversary! With that in mind, my hope with our chapter leadership team is to make it a great year. But first, let's all thank Dianna McKeon, SR/WA, R/W-RAC for her leadership during the past year. She'll be a tough act to follow. Next, please allow me to introduce you to our current leadership team.

President	Andrew Sorba SRA, SR/WA, R/W-AC
President-Elect	Vacant (an election will be held to fill this role)
Vice President	Jamie Booth
Treasurer	Murray Brackett MAI
Secretary	Scott Matetich
Immediate Past President	Dianna McKeon SR/WA, R/W-RAC
Education Chair	Tanya Johnson SR/WA, R/W-RAC
Professional Development Chair	Charlene Mullis RWP
Communications Chair	Julie Neibauer
YP, Social, Membership Chairs	Jesse Ray SR/WA
NESA Chair	Jamie Booth

If you are interested in learning more about volunteer opportunities, please reach out to any member of the leadership team. We'd love to have you join us!

We have some exciting events coming up including our Annual Golf Tournament and a fun outing at an upcoming Tacoma Rainiers game.

First up is our Annual Golf Tournament. This year's tournament will be held at the Echo Falls Golf Course in Snohomish. I've personally played this course a number of times and had a blast, including a couple of eagles. The finishing signature hole is a challenge over water onto a green surrounded by water. The tournament will be held on August 19, 2022, with a shotgun start at 11 am. The entry fee is \$90 per player and includes green fees, range balls, prizes, drink tickets, and an awards banquet. [Registration is open on our chapter website.](#) Please sign up early! Members, guests, sandbaggers, gardeners, and anyone that wants to play is welcome.

Our second summer event will be a Night at the Ballpark! We've reserved the Pen for our group and have room for 50 attendees, members, guests, and family are all welcome at this event. The game will be held on August 31, 2022, at 7:05 pm. Gates open at 5:30 pm. Ticket prices are \$10 and include food and drink. The menu includes burgers, dogs, macaroni salad, chips, dessert, and assorted beer, wine, and sodas! [Registration is open on our chapter website.](#)

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As chapter leadership begins planning for the year, we need your input and feedback. Do you have event ideas, luncheon topics ideas, or venue ideas? Are you ready to return to in-person meetings? Do you prefer a hybrid option? Do you want to stay online only? [Please take a few moments and complete this survey and give us your feedback](#) or [email chapter leadership at chapter4@irwachapter4.org](mailto:chapter4@irwachapter4.org). We hope to return to in-person meetings as soon as possible; however, chapter leadership will make decisions based on current circumstances and recommendations. We will continue to update our chapter website regularly and send email communications with upcoming news and events.

Have a great summer and see you all in the fall!

Andrew F. Sorba
Chapter 4 President