



SICC
Samish Island Community Center, Inc.
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Dear SICC Members,

January 2023

Greetings to new and old property owners on the Island. By now you've found the standard 2023 Directory and Donation form and a return envelope so moving on to the fun stuff.

The SICC Board exists to serve all of the Samish Island community. The Board has put increased focus on inviting all residents to participate in connection and community building, not only during established SICC events but also by encouraging community-driven gatherings and activities. Big Thanks to everyone who resurrected dormant activities and created new ways to engage in 2022. The Arts Festival, July 4th parade, Halloween party and Holiday program all returned, and we hosted Music In The Park, interpretive dike walks, and enjoyed the Captain's Cod Company food truck. Hit up SamishIsland.net for details about the Winter Light Photo Celebration in February.

The Center (our main gathering space) is getting a face lift! It's an awesome place for residents to hold a meeting or class and rent for a variety of purposes. FYI, all Island property owners and residents over 18 are members of the Samish Island Community Center (read about membership <https://samishisland.net/about-sicc/>).

SICC offers a neat website SamishIsland.net. Check it out! From the menu bar you can keep up to date on Island activities/events; sign up for the Samish Neighbors email group where residents share information and post giveaway/buy/sell/trade items; access the Shorelines and monthly President's letter; and take care of Island business like ordering/paying for directories and making donations.

SICC's 2023 annual membership meeting and election of all Board members will happen January 15th 5:00 pm at the Center (no potluck). The Board welcomes new perspectives and ideas to stay relevant and robust and encourages gender, ethnic, and age diversity in its members so let us know if you'd like information on how to participate.

In Service,

Your Samish Island Community Center Board of Directors

Denice Rochelle, Amy Colvin, Ruth McNally, Mary Kay Richter, Marnie Pennington, Joan Tezak

Enclosures: (Shorelines, self-addressed stamped envelope, Directory and Donation form)





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How to be Listed in and Order the 2023 Island Directory

Note: To be Listed in the 2023 Directory, you MUST complete a 2023 Directory Listing Form!

Deadline for Directory Listings and Orders: **February 15, 2023**

All Directory Listings and Orders may be completed two different ways:

1. Complete the appropriate section(s) of the enclosed pink form and mail it to SICC with any required payment, OR
2. Go to Samishisland.net and complete the online form(s). There are separate forms for:
 - a. Residential Directory Listing and Directory Order; you can pay for a Directory online
 - b. Yellow Pages Listing

Residential listings will only appear in the printed Directory.

Yellow Pages listings will appear in the printed Directory and on the website.

SICC will mail Directories in March.

How to Donate to SICC in 2023

Donate by Check: Complete the enclosed pink 2023 Directory and Donation Form and mail it with your check to SICC. The form can also be downloaded at SamishIsland.net.

Donate by Credit Card: Go to the Donate page at SamishIsland.net and click on the Donate Online button. You'll be redirected to PayPal to make your donation. If you don't have a PayPal account just click on the "Donate with Debit or Credit Card" button. SICC doesn't collect entered credit card data.