



SICC

Samish Island Community Center, Inc.
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November 2025

Dear SICC Members,

Greetings to new and old property owners on the Island. As you may have noticed over the past two years, we changed the timing of the annual donation and directory form from January to November, and we will continue with this schedule in the future. In this envelope, you'll find the standard Donation and Directory form to be completed ASAP, and a return envelope.

The SICC board exists to serve the entire Samish Island community. In 2025, the board focused on inviting all residents to participate in connecting and community building by offering a variety of activities. Many thanks to everyone who came out and engaged! Some of the year's events included:

- A Winter Light Photo Celebration and Community Bingo afternoons
- Three musical concerts at the SICC, including Nathan Breedlove, Rona Yellow Robe, and Sol de Noche
- An SICC-sponsored summer outdoor concert, "Blues on the Bluff"
- Potlucks and a salmon bake, where neighbors came together to share a meal and conversation
- Brainstorming Groups to further explore what the community would like to see
- Annual events such as the All Island Yard Sale, July 4th Parade, Arts Festival, Halloween Party, and upcoming Holiday Kickoff and Holiday Party

To stay up to date on SICC events, visit SamishIsland.net. Take some time to explore its wealth of information. All Island property owners and residents over 18 are Samish Island Community Center members. You can read more about membership at <https://samishisland.net/about-sicc/>. The Samish Island Community Center is a wonderful place for residents to rent for meetings, classes, or social gatherings.

SICC's 2026 annual membership meeting and board member election will occur on February 1, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. at the Center; bring an appetizer to share and your favorite beverage. The board welcomes new perspectives and ideas; let us know if you'd like information on how to participate. Additionally, we will vote to update the existing bylaws. A copy of the revised bylaws will be emailed via Samish Neighbors and available on the SICC website shortly.

Your Samish Island Community Center Board of Directors

Amy Colvin, Joan Tezak, Ruth McNally, Mary Kay Richter, Martha Frankel, Kayla Ferguson, and Scott Sedlacek

Enclosures: (Self-addressed envelope, Donation and Directory form)

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How to Make Your Annual Donation to SICC

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

Donate by Credit Card:

- a. If you are both donating and ordering a 2026 directory, you can do both on the online Donation and 2026 Directory Form.
- b. If you are just donating, go to the Donate page at SamishIsland.net and click the Donate Online button.

In either case you will be redirected to a PayPal page to make your payment. You **do not need a PayPal account** to make a payment; just click on the “Donate with Debit or Credit Card” button on that page. SICC does not collect any credit card data.

How to be Listed in and Order the 2026 Island Directory

Notes: Even if you are in the current directory, to be listed in the 2026 directory, you **MUST complete a 2026 Directory Listing Form!** There is **no charge to be listed** in the directory, only to purchase one.

Deadline for Directory Listings and Orders: **December 15, 2025**

Directory Listings and Orders may be completed in one of two 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). You will find separate forms for:
 - a. Residential Directory Listings and Directory Order (you can also donate on this form)
 - b. Yellow Pages Listings

Residential listings will appear only in the printed directory. Yellow Page listings will appear in the printed directory and on the website.

You can pay for copies of the Directory online or when returning the pink form. SICC will mail Directories in January.

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