

2020
INWC

GENERAL
MEETING

Tuesday
March 3rd

Social Hr. 6:30
Program 7:00
Meeting to Follow

Program

60th

*Big Horn
Outdoor
Adventure
Show*

2020

6116 N. Market St
Spokane, WA
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WILDLIFE COUNCIL



The Big Horn

— 60TH ANNIVERSARY —

Big Horn

OUTDOOR
ADVENTURE SHOW

MARCH
19-22

AT THE SPOKANE COUNTY
FAIR & EXPO CENTER

OVER 300
outfitters, guides, and
sporting products!

THURSDAY 12-8
FRIDAY 12-8
SATURDAY 10-8
SUNDAY 10-4

\$10 ADULTS \$8 MILITARY, STUDENT,
AND SENIOR W/ ID
CHILDREN AGE 6 AND UNDER FREE!



LADIES NIGHT
FRIDAY, 4-8
PRIZES, ACTIVITIES AND MORE

FAMILY DAY
ALL DAY SUNDAY
KIDS 13 AND UNDER FREE

FOR MORE
INFO VISIT: **BIGHORNSHOW.COM**



Big Horn

60th Annual BHS Construction

This message is to all members of the Inland Northwest Wildlife Council, the Big Horn Show is just around the corner, if you would like to be part of the construction crew please sign up at the next general meeting. Construction will start on Saturday 03/14/2020 we will start at 9:00am at the fairgrounds in Ag - C at the Shooting Gallery, and at Fishing World we will also work on Silver Mine. Sunday we will continue working on these areas. Monday we will construct Trophy Territory starting at 9:00am in Bay 3 southwest corner of the fairgrounds, Trophy Territory is one of the most popular parts of the BHS and is the reason this show has grown so big. Sunday at the close of the show we will tear down the Shooting Gallery, Silver Mine, and Fishing World. On Monday 03/23/2020 we will tear down Trophy Territory and haul all construction materials back to annex. There are many parts of the show you can volunteer your time, please see one of the many committee chairs and let them know you are willing to be a volunteer. Thanks to all who continue to give their time for the love of the outdoors, and the wildlife in which we are great stewards of.

Mike Curry MH

Construction Chair



2019 STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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Pete Butler.....599-9411

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Wanda Clifford.....487-8552

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Matt Mimnaugh.....953-7794

BUILDING & GROUND:

Ed Weiler M.C489-2672

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Dave Colton.....230-8317

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David Cloe.....294-2892

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Chief Instructor Brent Ferguson .953-5579

2019 SPECIAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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Stephanie & Ray Golly238-3138

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Ken McNaughton.....509-5539

BIG GAME RECOVERY:

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BOONE & CROCKETT:

Larry Carey M.H.....328-6429

BIG GAME :

Matt Mimnaugh.....953-7794

FISHING :

Ken McNaughton.....509-553-9135

HABITAT RESTORATION:

Floyd Barlow.....294-8148

HISTORIAN /LEGISLATION :

Art Meikel M.H.....220-1127

MENTORING PROGRAM:

Leonard Wolf M.H..... 939-4462

WATERFOWL:

Mike Curry M.H.....869-7434

SMALL GAME:

Z Zubrick.....541-408-0523

LEGAL COUNCIL:

Richard Mathisen

MAINTENANCE: Mike Curry

GROUNDS KEEPER:

Ed Weiler

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Mike Britton.....	922-1494
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Lance Dahl.....	328-8138
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The Big Horn Show is right around the corner! It's time to start getting signed up to volunteer. Contact a committee chair to get scheduled!

Big Horn Show Committee Chairs

Vault—David Cloe.....	294-2892
Cashiers—Jim Mullen.....	509-939-3707
Council Booth—Marissa Butler.....	599-9436
Construction—Mike Curry M.H.....	869-7434
Exhibitor Coffee Rm—Floyd & Brigetta Barlow.....	294-8148
Fishing World—Lance Dahl.....	328-8138
Information & Check in —Kelly Wells.....	953-3481
Seminars—Larry Walker.....	467-5444
Silver Mine—Steve Smith.....	599-4863
Sportsmen's Lounge—Leonard Wolf.....	939-4462
Sportsman's Shooting Gallery—Cody Bush.....	209-1336
Ticket Takers—Jill Hjerpe.....	953-5111
Trophy Territory—Ken Hoff M.H.....	467-1388
Wall Of Guns—Brent & Marsha Ferguson.....	953-5579

Big Horn



A life-long resident of Spokane, Vern Eldon Ziegler was the fourth and last child born to Ernest L. and Irene A. Ziegler in Spokane on April 3, 1935. Vern attended Arlington Grade School and graduated from Rogers High School in 1953. He loved working alongside his father and 12-years-older brother, Ernie Jr., whom he adored. Weekends and after school were spent working in the family business. During WWII he rode with his father in the cab of trucks hauling cedar shingles from Priest Lake. Tagging along with his father or older brother, he hauled pine lumber down to Spokane Sash. By the time he was 13, he could do nearly all of the jobs in the family sawmill, turning cants, edging, working the cutoff and tail saws. He was fortunate to learn early lessons of hard work and family responsibility. After high school he and his life-long friend, Bob Taylor, built and sold 21 houses by the time they were 21. Vern continued on as a building contractor from 1954 to 1965 and built houses not only in Spokane, but also in Montana, Idaho, and in other Washington towns.

On December 27, 1958 he married Mary Esther Slawter and they had four sons Reid, Neil, Dean, and Karl Ziegler. In 1965, Vern and Mary founded and opened the first Ziegler Lumber retail operation in Spokane, building on three acres of ground at 4110 North Market St. One of the three employees was his mother-in-law, Grace Slawter, his "office staff". Ziegler Lumber, a one-stop cash n' carry building materials operation targeting the local do-it-yourself market, was personally opened by Vern every morning at 7:00AM and closed at 7:00PM., six days a week for the first seven years.

Vern often said he "sold sticks" for a living. Under his direction, Ziegler Lumber Company ("Ziggy's") outlasted many competitors, small and large, to become a multi-state building materials business. There are now 6 Ziggy's retail stores; Spokane, Spokane Valley, and Moses Lake in Washington, and Hayden Lake, Lewiston and Post Falls in Idaho. Known as "Ziggy's yeah Ziggy's", Vern's "stick" business is still family-owned and managed and has employed hundreds of people, many with 20, 30, 40, and even 50 year work careers at Ziggy's. Vern and Mary have always acknowledged, and been grateful for, the people who helped make Ziggy's a success - the Ziggy's employees, their families and customers.

Vern was a life-long active outdoorsman and advocate for fish and wildlife resources. In 1979 He was appointed to the Washington State Game Commission where he served six years, with the last year as chairman. He maintained memberships in the Washington Wildlife and Recreation Coalition, the Washington Wildlife Federation, the National Wildlife Federation, Ducks Unlimited, the Safari Club International, the National Rifle Association, the Spokane Rifle Club, the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation and the Inland Northwest Wildlife Council, being designated a "Master Hunter" by that organization. He served as president of the INWC in 1991, and for thirty years was personally active in innumerable projects, habitat restoration, and aircraft salt drops to sheep in the Selkirks and elk in the Blues. He was a major supporter of the Council's annual Big Horn Show that grew to be the largest outdoors-recreation exhibition in the area, benefitting local wildlife and wilderness resources.

From childhood Vern fished local creeks and lakes with his dad and brother. Later he fished remote lakes in Canada with his amphibious aircraft, salmon off the Washington coast and made numerous trips to Alaska with family and friends for fishing. There were many hunting trips in Eastern Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Alaska and British Columbia, and in 2008, Vern and his grandson, Dane Ziegler, hunted in Africa. Another grandson, Taylor Ziegler, and he hunted bear in British Columbia. He flew his four sons to the Brooks Range in northern Alaska to hunt Dall sheep. Almost all of Vern's grandchildren harvested their first buck deer with Vern.



Big Horn



In 1994-1995, Vern was elected to the Freeholders committee, a panel for the City/County of Spokane. This citizen board's year-long assignment was to come up with an independent, long range vision to consolidate city and county departments and agencies, to reduce waste and duplication in the multi-layered local government.

All Ziggy's locations will be closed for business on March 14th in remembrance of Vern.

After earning his pilot's license and buying his first plane at 32, he accumulated over 5,000 hours of pilot-in-command time with the various planes he owned for corporate, personal and charitable flights. He was active in Washington Pilots Association, AOPA, United Flying Octogenarians and volunteered in the national Air Lifeline program. For many years he (as well as other pilots) flew children from the Hutton Settlement on trips to the wilderness or Priest Lake at Cavanaugh Bay. There, he or his sons would bring the boat over from Vern and Mary's cabin where he and others, would take them tubing and boating before flying them back.

Vern was a generous man who believed in giving back to the community. He and Mary set up a scholarship for graduates of Rogers High School, where he and Mary both graduated. In 1993, Vern was installed on the Rogers HS Wall of Fame. He helped build a Habitat house in New Zealand. He personally managed the construction of a Youth for Christ gym in Hillyard and a building (Casa House) on the grounds of the West Valley Learning Center, used by both CASA Partners, a non-profit working with abused and neglected children and the West Valley School District. He enjoyed baseball and softball from childhood and sponsored many area little league teams, rec teams and adult softball teams and was installed in the Inland Empire Softball Hall of Fame as a sponsor. Many area school and club sports programs, as well as numerous non-profit organizations, benefitted from financial help through Vern and Ziggy's. He once wrote to his family, "There's little in my life that I would change and I would gladly do it all over again!"

Vern is survived by his wife of 61 years, Mary; their four sons, Reid and wife Patti, their children Journee (Micah) Davis, Luke (Arta) Ziegler, Jessica (Barron) Draper, Michael Schneider (Mckenzie Martin) and Thomas Schneider; Neil and wife Natalie, their children

Friends and family may leave a "memory" on Ball & Dodd Funeral Home's website. The family is grateful for the wonderful service of Home Instead, Fire Station #49, American Medical Response, Sacred Heart Hospital doctors and staff, Hospice of Spokane and long-term care provider Dr. John Floyd and his staff.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to St. Luke Lutheran Church building fund; Wayside Cemetery fund at Innovia Foundation, John R. Rogers High School wood shop program, Hospice of Spokane, or a [charity of your choice](#).



ADA OPEN HOUSE

DISABLED FISHING, HUNTING, and WILDLIFE VIEWING

Saturday, April 18th, 2020 9AM—4PM Lunch Provided

The Inland Northwest Wildlife Council invites you to join them for a day filled with information for those who have disabilities that create barriers, but still want to enjoy the great outdoors and all it has to offer. You will gain information on new disabled hunter access permit regulations, hear about existing local programs, assistive devices available for disabled sportsmen and locations provided for disabled sportsmen.

With many area citizens having barriers that prevent them from fully enjoying our opportunities to hunt, fish, observe wildlife, or enjoy the outdoors, we will share ways to improve accessibility and increase opportunities.



If you have a disability or know someone who does and want to regain the thrill of fishing, hunting, and wildlife viewing, then make plans to join us.

Please RSVP at 509-487-8552

Inland Northwest Wildlife Council



Inland Northwest Wildlife Council
2020 Hunters with a Disability Family Access Permit
APPLICATION

The Inland Empire Paper Co. (IEPC) has donated 25 family access permits to the Inland Northwest Wildlife Council (INWC) to be awarded through a drawing for Hunters with a Disability.

To apply for the drawing, please fill out the following:

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Wild ID _____ Email _____

Applications will be accepted from March 1, 2020 thru April 11th 2020.

The drawing will be held on / April 17th 2020 winners will be notified within 5 days.
If you cannot or chose not to use the access permit awarded, please return it to INWC
so an alternate hunter with a disability may use it.

All Fish & Wildlife hunting rules and regulations must be followed and all Inland Empire Paper Company access rules and regulations must be followed. Persons who violate any hunting or access rules as specified above will be removed from the program, mailings, and future opportunities.

All applications must be returned April 11th 2020 to the following address:

*Inland Northwest Wildlife Council
6116 North Market
Spokane, Washington 99208*

Please visit the INWC website for more information at: www.wildlifecouncil.com
Applications can be printed from the WDFW website: www.wdfw.wa.gov/accessibility
If you have any questions, please call Ken McNaughton at 509 553-9135.

Big Horn

Congratulations to our 2020 Award Recipients!

Presidents Award

Pete Butler

Extraordinary Service Awards:

Adel Brandt-Z Zubrick -Mike Britton-
Daryl Bush-Cody Bush-Morris Wiggins



Outstanding Husband
& Wife Shelby & Cody
Bush



Extraordinary Youth
Lucas Neumiller



Sportsperson of the Year
Ken McNaughton



Master
Conservationist
Len Otto
Brent Ferguson

Bill Rollins
Land Council
Outstanding New Member
Phil George
Business of the Year
Les Schwab
Community Service Award

Committee
of the Year
Big Game
Recovery



Axe Award
Mike Curry



Nick Creel won one of the Columbia Plateau Wildlife Management Association elk hunt raffles from last years Big Horn Show. He filled his tag with a beautiful cow elk on Friday Feb. 7th. Daryl Bush was there for the ride. It was a great day!



*Our Members Are Our
Greatest Asset To The
Organization.*

New Members

Mark & Yvonne Hass

Renewed Members

Scott Beyer/Crown Foods

Kelly Wells

Jill Hjerpe

Master Hunter Master Fisherman Master Conservationist

This is the most prestigious award presented by the Council to one of its members for consistent dedicated service towards the betterment of fish and wildlife. It is a once in a lifetime award.



Jim Arrasmith, M.H.*
Bob Cole, M.H.*
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John Kantjas, M.H.*
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Dick Lee, M.F.*
Len Mabbott, M.H.*
Jim Kujala, M.H.
Gale Palmer, M.H.

June Potter, M.C.*
Frank Potter, M.C.*
Bill Rollins, M.H.*
Vern Ziegler, M.H.*
Bill Butler, M.H.
Jim Johnson, M.H.
John Williamson M.H.*
Len Keefer, M.H.*
Dean Lydig, M.C.*
Len Otto, M.C.*

Jerry Reiber, M.H.*
Ed Walters, M.H.*
Peter Yarwood, M.H.*
Larry Carey, M.H.
Chuck Sauter M.C.*
Art Meikel M.H.
Ed Weiler M.C.
Ken Hoff M.H.
Tim Clifford M.F.
Leonard Wolf M.H.
Mike Curry M.H.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS MARCH 2020

General Meeting-March 3rd.....7:00pm

Board Meeting-March 17th6:30pm (at the fairgrounds)

Big Horn Outdoor Adventure show....March 19th-22nd

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