



Join the League!

Please Renew or Submit Your Membership Form by Friday, January 11, 2019

The Heritage League of Pierce County promotes heritage organizations and professionals who are dedicated to preserving and sharing the history and heritage of Pierce County. The League provides valuable services to our members, such as representing all member organizations at relevant community events and conventions, in addition to reaching Pierce County residents, students, and visitors through the League's emails, website, and Facebook page. The League's "Heritage Happens" brochures and maps encourage visits to member museums and sites around the county.

Your membership dollars also support member programs throughout the year such as workshops, networking, topical round table discussions, and a summer outing at a League member site. Members are encouraged to submit their own events for our e-blasts or list events directly on our Facebook page, www.facebook.com/heritageleagueofpiercecouny.

Mark your calendars now for our **Annual Meeting on Saturday February 2, 2019 at 9 a.m.** at the Washington State History Museum. The morning will feature a keynote speaker, board elections, networking time with your peers, and an opportunity to pick up your membership packet. Please bring brochures from your organization to share and for the League to distribute at events throughout the year. Don't forget to submit your application for HLPC Award nominees! Winners are recognized at our annual meeting.

Thanks to funding from the Pierce County Landmarks and Historic Preservation Commission, we are pleased to announce a new **HLPC Professional Development Grant** opportunity. See page three of this packet for more information about the program and how to apply.

To join or renew your membership, please complete the enclosed form and mail it with your check by **Friday, January 11, 2019**. Please include a list of your Board members and staff who would like to be included on the e-blasts.

Questions? Feel free to contact President Claire Keller-Scholz clairek@tacomaparks.com or reach any board member at contact.heritageleague@gmail.com.

Many thanks from your board members:

President: Claire Keller-Scholz, Office of Heritage & Culture, Metro Parks Tacoma

Vice President: Molly Wilmoth, Washington State Historical Society

Secretary: Holly Stewart, Job Carr Cabin Museum

Treasurer: Wes Perkinson, South Hill Historical Society

Board Members:

Lauren Hoogkamer, Historic Preservation Office, City of Tacoma

Susan Johnson, Artifacts Northwest

Laurel Lemke, Grave Concerns

Brendon Balaam, Tacoma Historical Society

The Heritage League of Pierce County is a 501(c)(3) organization



**Heritage League of Pierce County
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
>>New and Renewing Members<<**



Annual Dues (now through December 31, 2019)

\$ 20.00 - Heritage Organization **New** _____ **Renewal** _____

_____ Please check here if your organization has 501(c)(3) status (not required for membership)

Organization Name (Please Print): _____

Primary Official Contact: _____

Organization Mailing Address: _____

Telephone/Fax: (_____) _____ Cell or Other (_____) _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Website: _____

Does your organization have any educational programs? Yes _____ No _____

Alternate Organization Contact: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone/Fax: (_____) _____ Cell or Other (_____) _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Please forward a list of your Board members and committee chairmen so we can add them to the e-blast notifications.

\$ 15.00 - Individual **New** _____ **Renewal** _____

\$20.00 - Professional Individual **New** _____ **Renewal** _____

Individual Member Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone/Fax: (_____) _____ Cell or Other (_____) _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Please make checks payable to Heritage League of Pierce County (HLPC) and mail to:
HLPC, P.O. Box 5576, 1220 Martin Luther King Jr Way, Tacoma, WA 98405

Please retain a copy for your records. Questions? contact.heritageleague@gmail.com.
Web: www.Heritageleaguepiercecouny.org

Heritage League of Pierce County is a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation.

Signature _____ Today's Date _____



NEW - Heritage League of Pierce County Professional Development Grant

The Heritage League of Pierce County is excited to announce that we are launching a professional development scholarship grant. Our member organizations will have the chance to apply for a \$300 grant to support conference attendance and the training that comes with it for your volunteers, interns, and staff.

Upcoming museum conferences and workshop opportunities include:

- **Washington Museum Association** 2019: June 19-21 in Spokane, WA
- **Small Museum Association** 2019: February 17-19 in College Park, MD
- **American Alliance of Museums** 2019: May 19-22 in New Orleans, LA
- **Association for Living History, Farm, and Agricultural Museums** 2019: June 8-12, Sainte-Marie among the Hurons, Ontario, Canada
- **American Association of State & Local History** 2019: August 28-31 in Philadelphia, PA
- **Western Museum Association** 2019: October 4-7 in Boise, ID
- In-house training or workshops
- Other professional development opportunities

Guidelines

The grant is open to interns, volunteers, and staff of HLPC member organizations only. Up to three grants will be awarded, based on the quality of the written proposal and order in which they are received. The proposal should be no more than 250 words, and should include:

- A description of how you are involved with the member organization
- A brief explanation of which conference you wish to attend and why
- A summary of how this will benefit your career and organization

Remuneration of grant funds will go to the organization for distribution to reimburse conference or workshop costs, including travel. HLPC requires a brief written report by the attendee listing total costs, and description of skills, lessons, or other benefits gained. Please include proof of conference attendance, such as photographs of conference agenda, sessions, and/or workshop notes in a follow-up report.

Submission

We will accept grant proposals until February 2nd, 2019. Proposals can be sent to the Heritage League at P.O. Box 5576, 1220 Martin Luther King Jr Way, Tacoma, WA 98405, or sent to contact.heritageleague@gmail.com.



Apply for the HLPC 2019 Annual Awards

The Heritage League of Pierce County is pleased to announce our 2019 Annual Awards. The goal is to recognize achievement among our members and affiliates performing heritage work in Pierce County.

Guidelines and Nominations

Nominee & nominator need to be either individual members, part of a member organization, or a collaborator with a member organization. Nomination is by submission of a Pierce County Heritage League Award Nomination form with only essential attachments (for example, pictures of a building or exhibit, a copy of a publication, or a curriculum). **Please submit at least one letter of support** with the nomination to be considered for an award. Self-nomination and posthumous awards are allowed.

Five awards will be presented. Possible award categories include the following:

- Capital/Building Projects
- Exhibitions
- Publications (print and online)
- Education
- Collections, Special Collections, and/or Archives
- Events
- Special Projects/Collaboration
- Advocacy
- Special Audiences
- Promotion/Marketing
- Organizational Achievement
- Individual Achievement
- Lifetime Achievement

Timeline

Deadline for submission – Friday, January 4, 2019

Notification of recipients of awards – mid-January

Presentation of awards at HLPC Annual Meeting – Saturday, February 2, 2019 at the Washington State History Museum

Submission

Submit to HPLC Awards Committee, c/o Wes Perkinson, P.O. Box 5576, 1220 Martin Luther King Jr Way, Tacoma, WA 98405. Electronic submission may be made to contact.heritageleague@gmail.com.

Pierce County Heritage League Award Nomination
(Please remit no later than January 4, 2019)

Nominator Name: _____ Date: _____

Individual Member Member Organization

Nominee Name: _____

Member Organization Name or Individual Name: _____

Award Category: _____

Why (in 150 words or less) _____
