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BRUCE CALLOW



MIKE VANDERSLICE

WAC Members **BRUCE CALLOW** and **MIKE VANDERSLICE** have gone public for 45 years collectively—with experience in public accounting, that is. Both members work at Clothier & Head, P.S., and both received promotions in July. Bruce, CPA, MS-Tax, became Chief Financial Officer, and Mike became one of seven principals. “Mike has been a great match for our firm,” says Kirk Clothier, founder of Clothier & Head. “His knowledge-based leadership, ability to tap talent and desire to understand our firm’s history have allowed us to grow significantly without losing sight of our foundations.” Mike, who has more than 25 years of public accountant management consulting experience, welcomes Bruce to his new position as well. “Bruce has earned a great reputation for his counsel to professional services firms of all types,” he says. “We’re delighted that he will now be applying his financial management expertise in our firm.”

GREGG BLODGETT has liked Huskies since he was 6. That’s when he first knew he would attend the University of Washington, which, years later, he did, graduating summa cum laude in 1976. But once a Husky, always a Husky: Gregg has attended every Rose Bowl game since 1976, and just this fall, he began his term as the president of the UW Alumni Association. As president, the chief financial officer for Twisted Pair software will represent more than 300,000 living alumni at UW Board of Regents meetings. “The alumni association is hitting its crest,” he says. “It was once a rather sleepy organization. Now its outreach and programs are much more visible.”



GREGG BLODGETT



SARAH ROTHENBUHLER

SARAH ROTHENBUHLER is celebrating the big 4-0, but she hasn't had her 40th birthday yet. That's because the president and manager of Birch Equipment Rental & Sales, which rents some 40,000 pieces of equipment, has been named one of the top 40 executives under 40 in the Puget Sound area. "Sarah deserves to be recognized for her dedication to creating a progressive, thriving rental company," says Ron Jansen, Birch's fleet coordinator, a 21-year employee who can appreciate Sarah's ability to steer the company away from recent losses and a near sale. "She finds humor and learning experiences in everything that crosses her path—and there's always a lot crossing that path of hers. She definitely lives by the work hard, play hard, family-friendly team attitude that she expects from each of us."

WAYNE F. LARRABEE, JR., MD, has certainly done some serious face time. In September, the European Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery honored him in Dublin with the Joseph Lectureship, an annual award for surgeons who have contributed to the field of international facial plastic surgery. In addition, Wayne has earned an honorary membership in the American Society of Dermatologic Surgery and the Australasian Academy of Facial Plastic Surgery this fall. The current president of the American Board of Otolaryngology has been recognized in both *Seattle* and *Seattle Metropolitan* magazines as one of the leading cosmetic plastic surgeons in Seattle.

JENIFER LAMBERT'S company may help others find good work matches, but good old-fashioned family values make the TERRA Resource Group in Everett a sought-after workplace in its own right. Jenifer and her husband, Greg, co-own TERRA with her parents, Steve and Betty Neighbors. The family is proud to receive the second place award in the small business category for the "Best Companies to Work for in Washington," sponsored by *Washington CEO* magazine. "Treating people well is not just a core business value for us," Steve says. "It's also a family value."

RON SAPP deserves a hand for all of his handball triumphs over the years. Most recently, he traveled to San Diego to play in two categories in the 2006 All U.S. Marine Championships. "I gave my all," Ron says, lamenting that this year's competition made it harder to maintain his usual double win. "I have won the Singles for five years in a row," he says. "This year, it was not to be had." But with a second place in the 60s Singles finals to go with his first in the 50s Doubles, you've still got to hand it to him.



RON SAPP