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Leadership Park City November 2015

Over 20 Years And Still Connecting
LIVE PC.....LEAD PC



Becca Gerber (20) & Nann Worel (15) Alumni in the Race

The goal of Leadership Park City is "to identify, encourage and train a group of new or emerging community leaders." We have many examples to prove we are achieving our goal and two of them are running for City Council in the upcoming election.



Becca Gerber (20) became a Parkite at age 9 when her family moved here in 1989. Even though her parents and brothers no longer live here, this remains home for Becca. *"I have many wonderful, close friends in Park City; some I've grown up with and some new to town."* The people who've surrounded her here have made Park City itself feel like family. *"Friends, neighbors, teachers, the staff at the Racquet Club, the library, the bus drivers, my coaches, my employers and even the mountains have all done their part to watch over me, keep me safe, healthy and happy."*

Becca's day job is doing sales and marketing for Aloha Ski and Snowboard. *"My job is wonderful. I have a great employer and our staff cannot be beat. I also get to be involved in the ski industry, meet people from all over the world and continue to learn new skills. What's not to love!"*

If Becca had an unscheduled day to fill...she would have brunch with friends, followed by an active day of mountain biking or trail running or swimming at the MARC pool, then some quiet time reading and later catch some dinner or live music.

A recent graduate of the program, Becca feels LPC has honed her skills to be a local leader. *"Working on our class project was a great and educational experience. Writing a book with 30 people is not for the faint of heart. We had to collaborate, compromise, listen and respect each others very different opinions. I also found City Tour to be an enlightening experience. It gave me great perspective and insight on the issues resort towns in general are facing, as well as issues which are unique to our town."*

It didn't take Becca long to seek out a leadership role. In fact, she applied to the program knowing she wanted to be involved at a higher level but wasn't sure exactly what that would mean. *"One of the aspects of LPC I most enjoyed was getting to meet so many elected officials and actually getting to see them as real people. It can be very intimidating to run for office and put yourself out in the public eye, especially when there are so many brilliant and talented people in our community. After speaking with current city councilors, state senators, mayors, etc. and hearing their stories, I realized they are all just humans who care enough about their community to get involved. I certainly care a lot and feel compelled to represent my peers and others who are often under-represented."*

Becca is stepping up to run for City Council because her perspective is unique. *"I represent three segments of the population which are often under represented on our council; people who were raised here, people who are or have recently been part of the resort workforce and people who struggle to be a part of Park City's middle class. Now that I'm running for council, peers and members of the workforce, who have not traditionally taken much interest in what goes on in council or government, are reaching out to me and asking to be more involved."*

Becca loves living here and is so grateful to the community for taking such good care of her as she has grown up. ***"I would love to give back and work to make sure the community keeps its connectivity and caring nature in the future."***

Becca is grateful for all the support and kind words she has received from Leadership alumni. ***"If anyone has any thoughts, questions or concerns they'd like to share with me, please don't hesitate to reach out. Shoot me an email and we can meet for coffee."*** beccalgerber@gmail.com



Nann Worel (15) is a proud native of Seattle, Washington. Both Nann and husband, Mike, are originally from the Pacific Northwest and really missed the mountains during the 20+ years they lived in Alabama. ***"We visited several ski towns throughout the west before discovering Park City and it was love at first sight!"*** They bought a second home here in 2000 and moved here full time in 2007.

The Worels are empty-nesters at this point as their only child, Christopher, just finished his MBA from the University of Denver.

Nann is the current Executive Director of the People's Health Clinic and has been in that position for 7 years. The clinic is a phenomenal institution providing much needed services to a large segment of our community.

Does Nann love her day job? Absolutely! ***"I love having the opportunity to work alongside a staff and over 150 volunteers who are as passionate about giving people access to basic health care as I am! Their dedication, commitment and compassion are truly inspiring."***

It is doubtful that Nann has many, if any, 'unscheduled days', but if she did she would take advantage of an outdoor opportunity. ***"Depending upon the season, I would either ski, run or hike. I love the view overlooking the Jordanelle as I ski down Stein's Way. If I'm hiking....any trail my friends are going is a great place to be."***

Nann is a great example of an alumni, who was actively engaged prior to being in the program but afterwards became even more involved. Since her leadership year, Nann has become a driving force in her field and in our community. ***"I have been a member of the Park City Planning Commission for 5 years and served as Chair for 2 of those years. I am currently the President of the National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics (over 900 member clinics nationwide). I have also served on the Board of KPCW and was a founding member of the Leadership Park City Alumni Association as well as the Women's Giving Fund."***

A graduate of LPC as a member of Class Fifteen, The Grateful Heads, she felt it was important to keep the Leadership PC experience alive for alumni. She was instrumental in forming LPCA. ***"Leadership Park City does an excellent job of introducing people from all walks of life, not only to the community but to each other as well. I know first hand the benefits of connecting to people in the community and didn't want that to stop once I graduated from the program. I am also a graduate of Leadership Mobile (Alabama) and enjoyed participating in their alumni program. With all the amazingly talented and smart alumni of LPC, I wanted to have an avenue to stay connected with friends I'd made as well as to meet new people. I am thrilled that the Leadership Park City Alumni Association is thriving!"***

Being a member of City Council is a high profile leadership position and Nann has much to contribute. ***"I believe many of the challenges facing our community (such as traffic, managing and mitigating the impacts of growth as well as protecting our natural environment) are regional in nature and the solutions will only be found by working closely with our neighbors in Summit County, Snyderville Basin and Wasatch County. I have a proven track record of being a consensus builder and working collaboratively toward common goals. My experience on the Planning Commission has given me experience in planning and I feel I can be a strong voice at the table as we address the challenges facing us."***

**We are proud of Becca and Nann;
for what they have already accomplished
and what they will contribute going forward.**

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November 6, 2015



livepcgivepc.org

HELP SHAPE PARK CITY'S FUTURE

Join nearly 3,000 Summit County community members in supporting Live PC Give PC on Friday, November 6! It's a powerful 24-hour day of giving and an extraordinary opportunity to support the local nonprofit organizations that help to make Park City a special place to live and work. In its fifth year, Live PC Give PC has an ambitious goal – to raise \$1,234,567. Every donation made – big or small – gives your favorite organizations the chance to win in more ways than one, from generating awareness to securing matching grants and additional contributions. And this year, in addition to giving to lots of other nonprofits, you can also directly support Leadership Park City – visit our page at <https://livepcgivepc.razoo.com/story/Leadership-Park-City-1>. Together, we can make a real impact. Sponsor, donate, support, and spread awareness! Learn more at www.LivePCGivePC.org

Holiday Happy Hour



It's the 4th Annual Alumni Holiday Happy Hour sponsored by LPCA. Join us on Monday, **December 14, 6:30pm** for fun, food and connecting.

Guests are requested to BYOB and also a heavy appetizer to share. Spouses are welcome.

The event will be held at Myles and Joy's place. Please RSVP to bbretz56@msn.com for address and directions. Carpooling is encouraged especially if weather is challenging.

(Not to be confused with Class 22 Holiday party which is the week prior.)

Alumni Checking In

Are you a Leadership Alum who has left the Park City area? Please shoot me an email to "check in". Let us know where you are and what you are up to.



Leadership Park City is proud to have honed the skills and connected the leaders of many of our local nonprofits. On November 6...when you donate to your MANY favorite local nonprofits...please consider donating to Leadership Park City. www.livepcgivepc.org

Events Calendar

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thr	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

Friday, November 6- LIVE PC GIVE PC

Monday, December 14; 6:30 pm- LPCA Alumni Holiday Happy Hour. (Not to be confused with the Class 22 Holiday party the week before.)

Plug It

Leadership Alumni are active in a variety of community nonprofits. Get a plug in for upcoming events, to recruit volunteers or members. LPC Newsletter is published the fifth of every month so get your plug to be prior to that date.



Roll Call

Thanks to our alumni who joined or renewed LPCA membership for Leadership year 2015-16.

A special appreciation goes out to the following renewed members who are charter members from the very beginning of LPCA in 2012.



- George Hull (1)
- Kim Carson (9)
- Jillbette Kelly (11)
- Sara Werbelow (14)
- Barb Bretz (15)
- Duke Speer (16)
- Melissa Band (18)

It's not too late to join.....see details below!

JOIN LPCA

Use your credit card to join LPCA! \$25 annual membership runs from October 1 through



Alumni News



Mile Post Park City 2015 published by The Park Record this fall, presented a report on key indicators in our changing community.

Alumni featured in the report included: **Rich Wyman (1)** an advocate for sensible growth and adequate housing. **Katie Wright (15)** Director of Park City Foundation encouraging citizens to dig deep and give for Live PC Give PC on November 6th. **Mary Beth Maziarz (21)** advocating Park City Neighbor Day, her class 21 Leadership Project. **Dr. John Hanrahan (4)** Medical Director of the People's Health Clinic reporting on health issues.

A big thank you and a warm hug to **Sandy Geldorf (15)** for all the effort she put forth in pulling together support for the Jackenthal family during this difficult time. The memorial service for Sam was more than special.

Class XXI Downloaded



Thanks so much to **Christina Miller (13)** and family who hosted the LPCA Graduation/Download Event for Class 21. **Duke Speer (16)** and Myles put together a review of City Tour and alumni were informed about the class project and entertained by **Mary Beth Maziarz's (21)** performance of an original song about the leadership experience.

September 30. Join by emailing us at leadershipalumnpc@gmail.com

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