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## SBEA Board of Directors

Board Meeting Attendance

IA EA UA EO LI

D. Burrow Pres.	9
L. VanDever, V. Pres.	9
C. McCoy, Tres.	6 3
P. Brown, Sec.	3 6
M. Agnew	9
D. Horstman	8 1
S. Roush	7 2
R. Wilson	7 2

IA/In attendance, EA/excused absence, UA/un-excused, absence EO/early out, & LI/late in

## CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA SALE

**NEW LOCATION AND MONTH THIS YEAR!**  
**CHRISTMAS SALE**  
**MACHINIST UNION BUILDING, 3830 S MERIDIAN AVE**  
**October 28, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.**



We are getting so excited for October 28th! Join us at the Machinist Union Building, 3830 S Meridian Ave, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. for our Christmas Extravaganza Sale. **This is a 1 day only sale**, our gift to you, where our members can buy all brand-new merchandise at our cost. Some items are limited quantities so be sure to hit the sale early so you don't miss out. SBEA members will be able to do payroll deductions, checks, debit and credit cards. We will have lots of great gifts for Christmas for all ages. Toys, jewelry, household items, fishing & hunting gear, NFL items, electronics (tablets, game system etc.). Just too much to name. Be sure and come check it out. This is our gift to our members! **All payroll deductions done at the sale will be counted as November payroll deductions.** They will be submitted on November 1st. Questions? Call 316-526-2111 or 316-522-2996. We have some great merchandise, so come early start your shopping with SBEA.



Disney Princess Doll



ArtSkills Watercolor Paint Set



Chiefs Gravity Lounger



39" - 50" TV'S



Tablets



Lego & Lego Friends sets

## PIZZA WITH SANTA

**SANTA'S COMING TO TOWN**  
**DEC. 2, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**  
**SBEA RECREATION AREA**



Santa is inviting you to enjoy pizza and a story with him and Mrs. Claus on December 2. A craft project will be available for each child to do and take home. Tickets will be \$4.00 (age 1-12) and \$5.00 (13 & up) Santa's mail box will be available for all the wish lists children would like to leave for him. Tickets now available at any SBEA store.

# Calendar of Events

## FREE SKATE NIGHT

**ROLLER CITY SKATING RINK**  
Dec. 28, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

SBEA members please show your SBEA membership card at the door and enjoy roller-skating free of charge. Skate rental is included. Members and immediate family & 4 guests allowed.



## STORE NEWS

**NOVEMBER NEWS**

**10% Off**

Essential Oils & Diffusers  
&  
Candle Warmers & Candle Wax

Don't see what you need? Please let us know what you are looking for. We will be happy to see what we can do to help you.

**Inventory red tag sale:** Check out the red tag sale going on at all SBEA stores on kid's clothing, toys, jewelry, sunglasses and more.

## COUNT DOWN TO CHRISTMAS

Well, if you really must know, YES! The elves (even the grumpy ones!) have fun counting down the 62 sleeps left till Christmas Day (as of Oct. 23). That's 62 whole days to figure out your Christmas shopping and SBEA can help. Did you know as a SBEA member you can do payroll deductions on your merchandise purchases? Stop by your SBEA store and see how we can help you out. **Don't forget our Christmas Extravaganza sale October 28 to help you save.**



## MEMBER NEWS

### FAMILY MEMBERSHIP CARDS/INFORMATION CHANGE

2024 Membership cards will be printed in December and sent to the main store in plant II around the 1st of January. Please help us keep our files current. Have you gotten married, have children between the ages of 14 – 21 living at home with you? Have you moved, changed your phone number? If the answer is yes, you may pick up a family card application at any SBEA store to add your family, change your address, phone number. Please take a moment to make any changes on the form on the back of this newsletter and return them to any SBEA store or email us at [Missy@beatoday.com](mailto:Missy@beatoday.com).



### CHANGE IN YOUR SBEA PAYROLL DEDUCTION POLICY

SBEA Code of conduct on Payroll Deduction is there for the safety of our members and also the SBEA. Due to continued problems of misuse of this privilege, the Board has updated the rules for payroll deductions. The only change applies to when someone breaks the rules on amounts allowed or number of payroll deductions allowed each month.



1. Members can only do 2 payroll deductions per month, limit of \$600 per month.
2. Each payroll deduction is limited to \$300.
3. Member must spend \$25 to do a deduction. Any deduction from \$25 - \$100 will come out in one pay check.
4. Any amount over \$100, you may divide into 2 pay checks.
5. If your account balance goes over \$600 for any reason your account will be frozen until you have it paid down to \$300.
6. If for any reason your account is not paid off in 60 days you will not be allowed to do any more payroll deductions until the full amount is paid in full.
7. If a member does 2 payroll deductions in one week the deductions will be added together and processed as 1 deduction.
8. Violators of payroll deduction rules will receive a certified letter from SBEA stating the violation and will be placed on probation for payroll deducts for 1 year. During that year a second violation the member will be suspended from doing payroll deducts for 90 days. A third violation the member will be suspended from doing payroll deductions for 6 months.
9. If for any reason we cannot collect what is owed to SBEA when a payroll deduction is submitted, you will be suspended from doing further deductions until debt is paid in full. If this problem continues your privileges will be reviewed for suspension or payroll deduction privileges will be revoked.
10. If your payroll deduction is sent to collections, you will lose the privilege of doing payroll deductions permanently and your membership is suspended until the debit is paid.

## KC CHIEFS TICKETS



SBEA members can save up to \$75.00 per ticket with no taxes, shipping, or handling fees. Prices vary per game, check with your SBEA store for seating and availability. Some games are limited on tickets.

## THUNDER HOCKEY

Thunder Hockey season is starting soon. Your SBEA stores will be selling tickets to the games. To save money be sure to check your SBEA store before going to the game.

## CONCERTS / EVENTS



SBEA is your ticket to amazing events without all the added charges that other ticket companies tack on. We sell tickets to Intrust Bank Arena, Hartman Arena, Kansas Star Arena, The Cotillion, The Orpheum, The Wave and Century II, Arrowhead Stadium. Stop by any SBEA store to order your tickets.

# 2023 BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION

## SBEA ANNUAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION

Voting is one of the most important responsibilities you have not only as a U.S. citizen but also as a member of an association. It's your chance to select leaders who understand serving on the Board offers an opportunity to play a direct role in determining an organization's overall direction and impact. The Spirit Boeing Employees' Association will hold its annual Election of Directors Oct. 30 - Nov. 3. You are allowed to vote for 3 of the 4 candidates to fill 3 open positions on the SBEA Board. Each winning candidate will serve a 3-year term. To vote go to <https://beatoday.com/board-of-directors-election/> to cast your votes. Paper ballots are available at all SBEA stores if you choose to vote that way. All ballots must be submitted whether online or to a SBEA store no later than 5:00 p.m. Friday, November 3, 2023. Please submit your ballot ASAP to make sure it gets counted in the election.

You may only vote 1 time per member. If you vote more than once, all your votes will be thrown out. Paper ballots **must be signed by member with membership ID number** to be valid.



**Pam Brown\*** Incumbent

*Why do you want to be on the Board of Directors for the Spirit/Boeing Employee' Association?*

I want to help make SBEA better for all members/families. I understand the importance & benefits of working together and help bring new ideas to the SBEA to help make opportunities for members easier to access. I've been a board member for 5½ years. Served as an Executive Officer and Chairman on the SBEA Board. I helped SBEA back into New Hire Orientation; got a Spirit SBEA group mailbox; helped add SBEA events to the weekly Spirit Newsletter and SBEA member electronic online voting option. Worked with SBEA Board to get the lake entrance road paved.

### **Qualifications**

- Incumbent\*
- Salvation Army Homeless Lodge Intake volunteer
- Girl Scouts Leader for 7 years
- Volunteered at SBEA functions



**Rick Wilson\*** Incumbent

*Why do you want to be on the Board of Directors for the Spirit/Boeing Employee' Association?*

I have been an SBEA member for 39 years. Served as an Executive Officer and Chairman on the SBEA Board. It has been an honor to represent the Spirit/Boeing members as a Director in serving (3) separate terms throughout my career. It is so rewarding to be an active part of a great organization and I welcome members in sharing new thoughts and ideas for improving and growing our organization. It is very fulfilling to help unite people from diverse backgrounds to work together toward a common goal. It is sharing of these experiences and interacting with our great membership that brings forth a fundamental belief that: "Everyone is Important and Everyone Counts".

### **Qualifications**

- Incumbent\*
- Big Brothers & Big Sisters of Wichita
- Special Olympics of Kansas
- Volunteered at SBEA functions



**Lloyd VanDever \*** Incumbent

*Why do you want to be on the Board of Directors for the Spirit/Boeing Employee' Association?*

I have been an SBEA member for 32 years. I am dedicated to serving SBEA members and their families. I bring many years of experience as a Board Member, Executive Officer and Chairman on many SBEA committees. I will continue to work to bring activities and more savings to members.

### **Qualifications**

- Incumbent\*
- Kansas Honor Flight 6 1/2 years
- Board Member Honor Flight Wichita 5 years
- Special Olympics Volunteer 26 years
- Goodwill Cajun Fest Volunteer 16 years
- Blood Donor 25 years
- Board of Directors of Augusta Senior Center 8 years
- Served in United States Army
- Volunteered at SBEA functions



**Roger Smith**

*Why do you want to be on the Board of Directors for the Spirit/Boeing Employee' Association?*

I have been an SBEA member for 2 years. I would like to utilize my experience and contribute to the success of SBEA. I care about the organization and want to help keep it going in the right direction.

### **Qualifications**

- Shriner units Provost Guard and Mini Cycles at Midian Shrine Temple in Wichita 17 years
- Led and participated in many fund raising efforts with the Shriners over the years
- Volunteered at SBEA functions

## SBEA LAKE NEWS

**Winter Hours:** Nov. 1

**Store Hours:**

Wed.- Sun. 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Lake Hours:**

Wed.- Sun. 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Lake & Store** are both closed on Monday & Tuesday year round except for some holidays.



### Lake Holiday Hours:

November 23 & 24 Closed

November 25 & 26 Lake open

December 8 Close at 4:00 p.m. - All stores

December 23 Lake Open

December 24 - 26 Lake closed

December 27 - 30 Lake open

December 31 - January 2 Lake closed

January 3 Lake open

January 2 All plant stores & office open

### Last Months Creel Report

#### October

Catfish 110, Bluegill 101  
Bass 86, Crappie 91 **Total 388**

## FISH TOURNAMENT

### NOVEMBER 25

7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The largest fish caught wins a South Bend Trophy Stalker spinning rod & reel. You must be a member and register your catch with the ranger, and fish must be legal size and alive.

### 10% Off

All Nebo  
Lake Store Only

Your SBEA's lake store is packed with fishing goodies from head to toe! Stop by and check out the store today. We also have yummy snacks to see you through. If you do not see what you are looking for, ask Pat and he will be glad to see what he can do to help find what you are looking for.

**Notice: Please fill out this form to make sure we have your current information to guarantee your membership cards reaches you at your company mail code. Please send in home address changes to SBEA at K 30-35.**

Please help us keep our files current. If your home address has changed, please return this form to SBEA, K30-35. We do not get advised of home address changes or work mail code changes.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Employee ID \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (h) \_\_\_\_\_ Work for Spirit \_\_\_\_\_ Boeing \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

## TICKETS (526-2111)

Due to the amount of concerts, tours and events coming to Wichita, we are unable to list all of the them in the newsletter. Please visit SBEA website at [www.beatoday.com/events](http://www.beatoday.com/events) or one of the SBEA stores for more concerts and upcoming attractions. **Concerts and shows are subject to change or cancel at any time without notice.**

### Kansas Star Events

**Aaron Lewis**

Nov. 3, 8:00 p.m.

Tickets \$52.50 - \$90.50

### Intrust Bank Arena Events

**Trans-Siberian Orchestra**

Dec. 6, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by Nov. 20, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$43.50 - \$114.25

**Wichita State vs South Dakota State**

Dec. 9, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by Nov. 11, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$19.50 - \$104.50

**Adam Sandler**

Dec. 10, 7:30 p.m.

Order tickets by Nov. 27, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$70.00 - \$190.00

**Cody Johnson**

Feb. 9, 7:30 p.m.

See store for prices

**Monster Jam**

Feb. 24, 1:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Feb. 25, 1:00 p.m.

Order tickets by Feb. 5, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$19.50 - \$84.50

**Harlem Globetrotters**

April 5, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by March 18, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$35.50 - \$333.50

**Jeff Dunham**

April 25, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by April 8, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$60.25

## TICKETS (526-2111)

### Hartman Arena Events

**Skillet & Theory of a Deadman**

Dec. 9, 7:00 p.m.

Tickets \$41.00 - \$61.00

**Hairball**

Feb. 10, 7:30 p.m.

Tickets \$34.50 - \$48.50

### Century II Events

**Blippi: The Wonderful World Tour**

Nov. 13, 6:00 p.m.

Order tickets by Nov. 10, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$33.50 - \$73.50

**Annie**

Dec. 1 - 3, see stores for times

Order tickets by Nov. 20, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$49.25 - \$104.25

**Cirque Musica Holiday Wonderland**

Dec. 18, 7:30 p.m.

Order tickets by Dec. 8, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$53.50 - \$144.50

### Cotillion Events

**Casey Donahew**

Nov. 4, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$35.25

**The Ozark Mountain Daredevils**

Nov. 10, 7:00 p.m.

Tickets \$49.25 - \$89.25

**The Guess Who**

Dec. 1, 7:00 p.m.

Tickets \$49.25 - \$99.25

**Phil Collins Experience**

Dec. 2, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$29.25 - \$59.25

**Croce Plays Croce**

Dec. 6, 7:00 p.m., tickets \$39.25 - \$89.25

**Riot Ten**

Dec. 8, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$20.25