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OCTOBER 2014  
newsletter

### *A Note from our Chapter President*

Dear Chapter Members,

October is National Kitchen & Bath Month and as such NKBA has a variety of resources at your disposal for promoting your business. As an example check out the Trends Report produced by NKBA, it's packed with great information.

[http://www.nkba.org/Libraries/Public\\_Documents/2014NKBAKitchenandBathDesignTrendReportFINAL.sflb.ashx](http://www.nkba.org/Libraries/Public_Documents/2014NKBAKitchenandBathDesignTrendReportFINAL.sflb.ashx)

For those of you who use Pinterest, NKBA is having a Pinterest contest – to participate go to <https://www.facebook.com/notes/national-kitchen-bath-association-nkba/nkba-kitchen-bath-pinterest-contest/1026258830749685>.

National Kitchen & Bath Month is also a great time to be recruiting new members for our chapter. New members who sign up now can effectively receive the last three months of 2014 for free! It is easy to

<https://www.nkba.org/Participate/Find/Join/MembershipApplication.aspx>.

A big THANK YOU goes out to Dave Faye Northwest Passage Door & Window Co., Lorrie Kile of the Well Dressed Windows and Mark Thomas of Kitsap Kitchen & Bath for presenting at our October meeting. They all shared valuable information on how to avoid the pitfalls of specifying and installing their products which in turn helps keep projects on track and profitability up for everyone.

The Chapter Board has scheduled their 2015 planning meeting for December 8<sup>th</sup>. If there is a topic you would like covered at an upcoming meeting or if you know of someone who would be a good presenter, please don't hesitate to call me. I can be reached at 206-780-1906 or [molly@akitchenthatworks.com](mailto:molly@akitchenthatworks.com). We are here to serve you and welcome your input.

I hope to see you all at the next Chapter meeting on November 12<sup>th</sup>.

All the best,  
Molly McCabe, AKBD, CGP, CAPS  
Chapter President



**10/08/14 Meeting – Thank You:  
Mark Thomas, Lorrie Kile & Dave Faye,  
Held at A Kitchen That Works**

## Upcoming Olympic West-Sound Chapter Events

(All events : 6:00 - 8:30pm)

NOV 12

NKBA Class on Demand & Discussion,  
[CEU .01]  
**"Trends in Kitchen – Adjacent Rooms"**  
**Presenter:** Moorea Hoffman  
@ Elmer's in Poulsbo, 6-8PM

For more details... [www.nkbaolyws.org](http://www.nkbaolyws.org)

FIND SOMETHING  
YOU ARE  
PASSIONATE  
ABOUT AND KEEP  
TREMENDOUSLY  
INTERESTED IN IT.

- Julia Child

### Connect with local NKBA Chapters

Olympic-West, WA [www.nkbaolyws.org](http://www.nkbaolyws.org)  
Puget Sound, WA [www.nkbapugetsound.org](http://www.nkbapugetsound.org)  
Palouse, WA [www.nkbapalousechapter.org](http://www.nkbapalousechapter.org)  
Columbia River, Oregon [www.nkbaoregon.org](http://www.nkbaoregon.org)

NKBA National Website [www.nkba.org](http://www.nkba.org)

SEP 26 & 27:

**PALOUSE CHAPTER EVENT WEEKEND:  
WALLA WALLA WINE TOUR & NKBA**

## Save the Date

OCTOBER

### **28 More Money, More Profits**

The Business of Design  
@ FloForm, Kent 6-8PM  
RSVP: [kpatch@floform.com](mailto:kpatch@floform.com)

### **29 Grand Opening Party**

Kitchen Plus & FloForm New Slab Gallery  
@ KitchenPlus, Bellevue 5:30-8:30PM  
RSVP: [amyataerickson@kitchenplus.com](mailto:amyataerickson@kitchenplus.com)

NOVEMBER

### **06 Impact of Plumping on Interior Design @**

Chown Hardware, Bellevue 11:30-1PM,  
RSVP: [kitty@chown.com](mailto:kitty@chown.com)

### **07 Student Day - Seattle Design Center**

Students can tour (explore and learn) about the  
showrooms INFO: [www.seattledesigncenter.com](http://www.seattledesigncenter.com)

### **12 Olympic West-Sound Chapter Mtg/Event "Trends in Kitchens & Adjacent Rooms"**

.01 CEU Class on Demand  
@ Elmer's in Poulsbo, 6:00-8:30PM  
RSVP: [www.nkbaolyws.org](http://www.nkbaolyws.org)

### **20 Product Showcase**

@ Seattle Design Ctr, OPEN: 2-5PM

### **20 Puget Sound Chapter Mtg**

@ Pental/Seattle, 5-8PM

DECEMBER

### **04 Holiday Party & Year End Celebration**

More info @ [www.nkbapugetsound.org](http://www.nkbapugetsound.org)

Las Vegas  
January 20-22

**KBIS** 2015

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bolder.  
BETTER.**

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

KBIS 2015 and Design & Construction Week is quickly approaching January 20-22 at the Las Vegas Convention Center.

Take advantage of affordable airfares and Vegas hotel rates while taking in all the latest products at the show. Invest in your career by taking a CEU class, network with your peers and rub elbows with Remodeling Reality TV show stars. It will all be there waiting for you!

