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PEOPLE ON THE MOVE

Patrick Peters is a new account representative at **Strategic Staffing**, a temporary employment agency in Corvallis. Peters, the president of the Corvallis City Council, is a member of the Corvallis Budget Commission. He has served on the board of directors of United Way of Benton County and is involved in many other community organizations. His last position was as the executive coordinator of the OSU-Corvallis Symphony Society.



Samantha Alley
Associate broker



Angelika Gampert
Associate broker

Realtors **Samantha Alley**, **Angelika Gampert** and **Pamela Gonzales** have been granted the professional licensing status of associate broker by the Oregon Real Estate Agency. Alley, Gampert and Gonzales are members of the Willamette Association of Realtors and are affiliated with **Landmark Realty** of Philomath.



Pamela Gonzales
Associate broker

Doug Ingalls is the new vice president and manager of the Circle Boulevard branch of **Citizens Bank** in Corvallis. Ingalls has over 16 years of commercial banking experience. He started his career with Citizens in 1974 and was a founding officer of the Bank of Corvallis. Most recently he managed the OSU Federal Credit Union. Citizens Bank, headquartered in Corvallis, operates eight branch offices in Benton, Linn



Doug Ingalls
Branch manager

and Lane counties. A ninth office will open soon in McMinnville.

Karen Potts has joined the Corvallis office of **Ticor Title Insurance Co.** Potts brings more than 18 years of public relations and marketing experience at a variety of firms to her new job. Her expertise will be directed toward client, employee and community relations. Prior to joining Ticor Title, Potts was the business development manager at Ramsay-Gerding Construction Co. Ticor Title is a local land title specialist that provides title insurance and escrow services for real estate transactions.



Karen Potts
Marketing specialist

OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

Four new members have been appointed to the board of directors of the **Boys & Girls Club** of Corvallis. They are: **Carol Blodgett** of the Corvallis Gazette-Times, attorney **Ron Marek**, **Ron Theberge** of the OSU Foundation and **Lark Wysham** of Citizens Bank. The 30-member board of directors is responsible for program and staff oversight, program funding and facility oversight. The Boys & Girls Club of Corvallis serves the youth of the Corvallis area through sports programs, cultural activities, open clubhouse activities, school-age care programs and a coordinated effort with the STARS program.

NEWS & NOTES

Families in Good Company is accepting entry forms for the 1999 FGC Awards. If your company is utilizing family-friendly business practices, you could be honored among the best at a statewide awards ceremony on May 6. All employers — including nonprofit and government agencies — are encouraged to enter. The deadline for application is March 26. Application forms may be obtained by calling **Children First for Oregon** at (503) 294-1456 (800) 544-0376 or online at www.familiesingoodcompany.org. Families in Good Company is a program of Children First for Oregon in partnership with local commissions on children and families, the **Oregon Commission for**

Child Care, Portland Human Resource Management Association and the **Women's Bureau** of the **U.S. Department of Labor**.

TAKE A BOW

Corvallis resident **Ginger Butler Nelson** has been named **Junction City Business and Professional Women's Young Career Woman** for 1999. Nelson, a Junction City High School graduate, will represent Junction City at the Business and Professional Woman southwest Cascade district conference April 17 in Reedport. District winners will compete at the state convention May 21-23 in Yachats. Nelson, 35, works for the **Oregon State University Foundation**. She also attends OSU, majoring in computer science.

PROFIT & LOSS

Denver-based **RE/MAX International** has reported that its sales associates in the RE/MAX Pacific Northwest region — Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Washington — brokered 29,206 home sales in 1998, a 9 percent increase over 1997 and a record. Total dollar volume, also a record, was \$4.5 billion. Dollar volume per agent was up 15 percent, and transaction volume increased 5.4 percent. Founded in 1973, RE/MAX International has more than 52,000 associates in more than 3,200 offices worldwide. At year end there were 1,340 RE/MAX sales associates in the region, working out of 86 offices. The RE/MAX office in Corvallis is at 310 N.W. Seventh Street. There are also offices in Albany and Lebanon.

SUBMISSIONS

"Movers & Shakers" welcomes submissions of business news about local companies. Submission forms are available at the front desk of the Gazette-Times, 600 S.W. Jefferson Ave. They may be returned to the front desk; faxed to 758-9505; or mailed to Business Editor, Corvallis Gazette-Times, P.O. Box 368, Corvallis, OR 97339. Please submit items intended for this section by Monday for publication the following week. Photos will be used on a space-available basis. If you would like a photo returned, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.