



## It's a Wrap: Industry Government Engagement and Golf Tournament a Success! New Board Installed



### April 18th IGE Opportunities for Businesses and Pro-Tips for Small Businesses

We want to thank all of our speakers who presented such helpful and valuable information!

Presentations have been posted to our website. We hope you found the program beneficial and appreciate your feedback to continue to bring valuable programs.

A big thank you to our event sponsors: Banda Group International, Wilson & Company, WSP, LDG, Victaulic, Four Tribes Civil Construction, Graphic Ideals.

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**Presentations**

## Over \$10K raised at Annual Falcon Dunes Golf Tournament

Over 60 golfers enjoyed great weather, an airshow and prizes!

It was a perfect spring day in the Valley of the Sun on April 19th as we hosted our annual Golf Tournament at the exclusive Falcon Dunes Golf Course.



A big thank you to all of our volunteers for the Golf Tournament:

- ~ Ryan Gibson
- ~ Charles Northrop
- ~ Venessa Gleich
- ~ Linda Sandoval
- ~ Hal Archer
- ~ Carly Crisp



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**2024 Phoenix Post Officers and Directors Installed**



Past National SAME President, **Cindy Lincicome** installed new president Ms. **Gabriel "Sam" Groves** and her fellow Officers and Board of Directors. New to the Board this year are VP Programs **Vickie Maranville** and VP Membership **Zeferino Banda III**, both with BGI. Returning members are President Elect **Julie Hamilton** with WSP, **Carly Crisp** as Secretary with Michael Baker International, **Ed Mears** as Treasurer with Garney Construction, **Venessa Gleich** as Director with APEX Accelerator, and **Neil Wentz** with Luke AFB as Director (not pictured). Also in the photo are **Bruce Preston**, SAME Regional Vice President with Larson Design Group and SAME National Executive Director - **Maj. Gen. Mike Wehr**, PE, USA (Ret.).

## RVP Medal Presented



The **Regional Vice President Medal** was presented by RVP Bruce Preston to President-Elect **Julie Hamilton**.

Julie has been a vital part of the Phoenix Post, here are just a few of her contributions:

- Julie stepped in as our Treasurer two years ago and has continued to

help implement financial excellence in our post.

- She implemented Money Minder program for our post. This program assists us in tracking our finances against a budget better and allows transparency to the Board for monthly income statements along with annual audit reviews.
- She is our President Elect in 2024 and has committed to a three year leadership within the post. This consists of: 2024 President Elect, 2025 President and 2026 Past President.
- Julie has continued to step up by volunteering in several capacities over the past few years, adding value to our Board while easing the load for other Board members.

### iFly Registration Open. Friday, June 7th, Scottsdale. No-fee STEM program for Students!

Registration is open and limited. Students are encouraged to join this annual SAME Phoenix STEM event to learn the principals of flight, aerodynamics and fly like a parachutist!



### [iFly Info and Registration](#)



Save the Date - Casino Night  
October 17, 2024  
Stay tuned for updates  
Joint fundraiser with CMAA

All proceeds will go to support the SAME and CMAA Scholarship Program.



### ADOT BDE & Small Business Transportation Expo

Mesa Convention Center, Building C  
Tuesday, May 7th - 7 a.m. to 12 p.m.

In-Person and FREE to Attend!

[Info and Registration](#)

### SAME JETC 2024

It's almost time for one of the biggest events of the year! There's still time to register if you want to attend. May 14-16, 2024 in Orlando,



Florida.

Join your colleagues from across the A/E/C industry for three days of education, training and networking opportunities in Orlando, Florida. #SAMEJETC24

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