

Dave Bang Associates, Inc.

About Our Organization



Dave Bang Associates, Inc. was started by Dave Bang in 1979. Dave was the sole salesman in the early years but quickly became a major supplier of high quality playground equipment for manufacturers across the United States. Today, Dave Bang Associates, Inc. has grown to hold a 10,000 square foot showroom, office and warehouse facility and a 100,000 square foot manufacturing facility on 7 acres. As a result of our dedication to customer service and quality products we have grown to become the largest outdoor recreation equipment distributor in the nation. Thanks to our more than 40 hard working employees, we have come to be known for our commitment to excellence and client satisfaction.

Dave Bang Associates, Inc. is active in Arizona and California and is currently working with cities, municipalities, school districts and private contractors. Dave has steadfastly refused to represent any manufacturer who does not stand behind their product, to meet public and private customer needs, with customer safety and satisfaction in mind.

Because of our constant struggle for excellence we have been able to introduce exciting and forward-thinking ideas to our company in the last few years, including a large warehousing and receiving facility, increased manufacturing capabilities and the implementation of an in-house Customer Service Construction Supervisor responsible for performing minor repairs and coordinating shipments and construction services.

Experience & Qualifications of Key Employees



John Wormell,
President, CPSI

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John Wormell has been designing, selling and installing park and playground equipment for Dave Bang Associates since 1993. John's an expert in playground design by current safety and accessibility standards and is familiar with all aspects of construction which ensures your play area will meet or exceed all current standards/codes. He's able to manage projects from concept/design to completion all while keeping your project within budget. John's passion is creating play spaces for children, families and adults of all ages and abilities.



Deland Bentz,
Vice President, CPSI

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Deland Bentz started designing and installing playgrounds & parks after a career as a graphic designer, entrepreneur & artist. Deland's enthusiasm for creating wildly fun play environments is perfectly balanced with his desire to keep kids safe as they explore, play & learn. He has been certified by the National Recreation & Park Association as a Certified Playground Safety Inspector (CPSI) and is a student of the psychology of play.



Stephen Ross,
Sales Associate, CPSI

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Stephen Ross has been designing, selling, and installing park and playground equipment for Dave Bang Associates, here in Arizona since 2001. He has been granted certification by the National Certification Board of the National Recreation and Park Association as a Certified Playground Safety Inspector (CPSI) since April 2002. Stephen's CPSI certification allows him to design and create fun, yet safe, play and recreation spaces for children and adults of all ages. His project management experience will ensure a seamless project from conception to installation. If you let him know what you are looking for, he will work to help make your dream come true.



Andrew Ross,
Sales Associate, CPSI

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Andrew Ross began designing and installing park and playground equipment following a successful career in culinary arts. He has a natural ability to bring fun wherever he goes. A desire for kids to explore, be creative and socially engage with others is what drives Andrew to work each day with excellence. With your budget in mind, he will work to bring the most play for pay for your project. Andrew firmly believes that communication is key and strives to maintain open lines from start to finish on each job. He is passionate about bringing communities together with the power of play.



Trevin MacLay,
Sales Associate

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Trevin began designing and installing park and playground equipment soon after graduating from ASU and spending 4 years in the residential solar industry. He developed various skills from project management, customer service, finance, and sales support, and can manage projects from concept to completion while keeping your design within budget. With a passion and talent for communication and hard work, Trevin will work with you to bring your vision to life and help bring the community together. He enjoys creating environments where kids can grow, make friends, and have fun.



Shanna Liles,
Inside Sales Associate

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Shanna Liles has been with Dave Bang Associates for over 25 years. She has been directly involved in sales since the day she started, along with invoicing, deliveries, customer service and other facets. Shanna is qualified to answer all questions regarding playgrounds and is always ready to assist our customers with their projects.

Experience & Qualifications of Key Employees



Angel Myers,
Director of Customer Success

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Angel Myers has been with Dave Bang Associates for over 15 years. She works closely with the sales associates and their support specialists each day and is highly involved in customer service and direct customer sales. As Director of Customer Success, Angel oversees much of the day to day operations in our Mesa, Az office. Additionally, she works to be a liaison for our customers and our manufacturers for each project. She has been an integral part of the extraordinary expansion of Dave Bang Associates over the past 15 years and looks forward to continued growth. Angel excels in all areas of the company and is always enthusiastic to assist customers with their DBA accounts.



Dacie Calvert,
Sales Support Specialist

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Dacie Calvert joined our team Summer 2017 and has already progressed from our Estimating Department to our Sales Support Specialists Team . She utilizes her abilities of multitasking and resourcefulness every day as she directly assists our sales team with quoting and ordering. She has a “get it done” attitude and strives to ensure each customer has a positive experience from start to finish.



Heidi Miller,
Sales Support Specialist

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Heidi Miller implements a customer satisfaction geared culture to every aspect of her position with our company. Her primary responsibility is to assist our team during the various phases of the sales cycle. She also helps to coordinate both the quoting and ordering processes for each project. Heidi prides herself in her ability to be a quick learner, which has proven to be an amazing asset with her only joining the company in Spring of 2018. She is eager to continue learning the industry and growing in her new position.

More Key Employees

Linda Bang, CEO

Brad Enslin, CFO

Kelsey Bashaw, Director of Operations

Geralyn Freund, Director of Collections/Credit

Jamie Bigley, Customer Service

Whitney Breinholt, Customer Service

Mendy Smith, Estimator

Marilyn Allen, Creative Resource Specialist

Bryan Hunsinger, Yard/Building Supervisor

Ryan Stark, Creative Resource Specialist

Susan Reddaway, Purchasing Agent

Lauren Shinavar, Billing Specialist

Melanie Hughes, AP Specialist

Katarina Myers-Mazaros, Contract/ SO Coordinator

Angela Schlett, First Impression Advocate

Julie Spezzano, First Impression Advocate

Aubrey Finlinson, Executive Secretary