

PORT LUDLOW VOICE

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Tell a Friend: Meet Me at the Friday Market!

contributed by Barbara Bradford



Hillside Farm in Gardiner has organic produce.

Port Ludlow's Friday Market is the place to spend Fridays, whether it's obtaining fresh fish at Ike's, selecting organic vegetables from Hillside Farm or honey from Elwha Apiary. The Sharp Man tends dull knives and scissors.

Each week we feature local entertainment and an activity such as making a lavender sachet, a moss hanging basket, bracelet, watercolor, or learning how to grow tomatoes and to discover what ails your plants.

Local non-profits inform the community and sell their wares. These have included: Centrum, Last Chance Ranch, Community Enrichment Alliance, the Port Ludlow Trails Committee, Master Gardeners and the Arts Council. Remember, non-profits set up free of charge.

To learn about each week's special events, entertainment, new vendors expected, get on the Market's e-mail list. Send a note to barbarajeane10@hotmail.com.

We are working hard to recruit vendors and keep them. Please show them that you support the market.



Market Weekly Special Events

- August 5 *Noxious Weeds* with Carol Dargatz
- August 12 *Wanderlust: A Photographic Essay* with local author Bill Schoenemann. He will talk about his book and signed copies will be available for purchase.
- August 19 *Gazpacho: How to Use Local Vegetables* with Executive Chef Joseph Mollerus, Inn At Port Ludlow
- August 26 *How to Care for Fresh Flowers*



And, now we're 7!
(See story on page 9.)

For more Friday Market pictures, see page 3

From the Editor's Keyboard

by Barbara Wagner-Jauregg, Managing Editor

Anyone attending the South Bay Community Association (SBCA) Annual Meeting in mid July couldn't help but be pleased that members remembered their manners, treated each other with respect, and behaved in a dignified way. The two slates of Board member candidates held diametrically opposing views that they embraced with passion—yet they were able to maintain decorum.

Much credit goes to outgoing president Bill Browne and his Board for establishing guidelines for the conduct of the meeting. Each attendee received a copy of the guidelines printed on the back of the agenda and was made fully aware that they would be followed. A parliamentarian was in place, and time limits on speaker presentations were enforced.

At the *Voice* staff meeting at the end of June, we decided to send reporter Bill Hansen to cover the SBCA Annual Meeting. Hansen, a resident of North Bay and a Jefferson County Fire Commissioner, is an expert in parliamentary procedure. His report appears on page 21 of this issue; but more importantly, he enjoyed the meeting and felt it was well run with the ground rules carefully laid out and no disruptions. Bill expressed that he wanted to extend congratulations to the Board and President for a job well done.

The final 2005 election in Port Ludlow will be in **September** when five new Port Ludlow Village Council (PLVC) Board members are elected—three from North Bay and two from South Bay. During the past year the PLVC has established communication channels with Jefferson County government, whose representatives have stated they prefer to work through one community-wide organization. Communications with the Developer have not gone as smoothly, and all parties need to work to get back on track.

PLVC Board members represent you—so be sure all whom you elect are good stewards of our beautiful Village in the Woods by the Bay—who will educate themselves by regularly attending meetings and striving for compromise. They should be open to all sides of an issue, be willing to work with both the Developer and County government, represent the desires of the residents and not just a few special interests with their own personal axes to grind.

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Helping Hands Wanted

Many organizations in Port Ludlow and Jefferson County need a helping hand. Each month this column will be devoted to requests for assistance.



Volunteers Needed

Friday Market Flyer Distributors: Port Townsend route. Why not post our flyers in a dozen established locations? We'll give you a list of sites for distribution at the beginning of each month. Other routes available: Port Hadlock, Chimacum, Port Ludlow, and Shine. Kitsap County to be established. (No route set up south of the bridge.) Contact: Barb Bradford, 437-0358.

Port Ludlow FunFest 2005 (formerly known as Port Ludlow Days): Day-of-the-Event Volunteers to work the days of the event: October 1 and 2. Shifts are 2–3 hours, allowing you time to enjoy the festival. You will have many choices of assignments. Remember, many hands make for light work. Contact: Barbara Bradford, Funfest Chair, at 437-0358.

Hospitality Volunteers: Olympic Peninsula Visitor Center needs volunteers to provide information to motorists. Opportunities to learn all of the region's wonderful assets and share your favorites. Contact: Jutta Gebauer, 437-0120.

Home Sewers to make t-shirts for needy children. Fabric will be provided, and shirts are donated to local children. Contact Lucile Nilsen, 379-2666, or Bonnie Parker, 379-5535.

Labor Day Bake Sale: Jefferson Healthcare Hospital Auxiliary needs volunteers to make calls to request donations of baked goods. Callers also needed to remind volunteers about the bake sale and to staff and sell baked goods during the sale on Labor Day weekend. Contact: Veronica Schroeder, veronicaschroeder@msn.com or at 437-4178.

Scribe: The Port Ludlow Arts Council needs someone to record its monthly Board meeting minutes in traditional style, or using your computer laptop. This volunteer also would maintain the member roster, assist with customer database, and handle correspondence. Contact: Connie Wilkinson, 437-9450.

If you or your organization has a need for "Helping Hands," and you would like your appeal to appear in the *Voice*, contact Barbara Landi, 437-7730, or deerbarb@waypt.com. Deadline for the coming month is the tenth of the previous month.

Scenes from the Friday Market (continued from page 1.)

Photos by Barbara Bradford



The Arts Council's Jean Taylor sells concert tickets—a free service available to non-profits at the Market.



Barbara Nobles and Teresa McCrary receiving watercolor instruction from local artist Betty Cooper—an example of fun activities at the Market.



Bremerton herbalist Kathleen Puhls sells organic produce and flowers.



CEA Ice Cream Social

The Community Enrichment Alliance (CEA) Ice Cream Social will take place at the Marina, **Saturday, August 6**, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

But **Monday, August 1**, is your last chance to purchase tickets and tee shirts at the pre-event reduced rate: All-

you-can-eat ice cream plus a tee shirt (sage green with the Ice Cream Social logo) for \$15; one sundae and one cone for \$5; two sundaes for \$7.



CEA volunteers Val Vogt and Mary Stuart sell Ice Cream Social tickets and tote bags at the Friday Market.

Photo by Barbara Bradford

After **Monday, August 1**, the prices will be: All-you-can-eat for \$15 but no tee shirt; one sundae \$4, and a cone will be \$2. Pre-event tickets can be purchased any **Wednesday or Friday** from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the CEA table in the Bay Club, or at the Friday Market from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

In addition to the scrumptious ice cream and toppings, there will be entertainment. We have clowns, just for fun. At 3:00 p.m., the Choral Belles will perform their repertoire of patriotic songs. Five firemen will be bringing their truck to provide photo opportunities for you and your children. Have your pictures taken with the truck and firemen for only \$2 per photo. Come and join your neighbors from Chimacum, Port Hadlock and Port Townsend, and help CEA to raise funds for our Chimacum High School Scholarship Fund.

Editors Keyboard continued from page 2

What have you done for Port Ludlow? Are you a FIP* that doesn't have to be proactive anymore? The Developer will be leaving Port Ludlow in a very few years. We all should consider what we could do to assure a smooth transition and maintain this fabulous community for years to come.

*FIP: Formerly Important Person

The views expressed in this column are the Editor's alone—and don't necessarily represent the views of every volunteer member of the Voice staff.

Photo Contest Winners



Paul Merritt's award-winning photograph, Dosewallips River.

Movie Makers' second photo contest brought together 76 outstanding photographs by 21 photographers. Since every photo was worthy of exhibition, the contest was very difficult to judge.

Gary Settle, a semi-retired professional photographer, was up to the challenge, however.

Youth Division: Two young photographers from the Brinnon area took first place. Jasper Hendricks wins for his non-edited photo *My Dog Scotty*, while Jacob Murray won for his digitally-edited photo, *Mask*.

Adult Division: First place (non-edited) went to Paul Merritt of Brinnon for his photo of the Dosewallips River. First place (digitally edited) goes to Peggy Lee Flentie of Port Ludlow for her photo of the Inn at Port Ludlow. A total of sixteen ribbons were awarded including first, second, and third places, and Honorable Mention. Each first place winner received a check for \$25. Cheers for all who entered!

You still have a chance to view the exhibition because it will be on display at First Federal Savings and Loan in Port Townsend beginning **Monday, August 1**. A coffee and cookie reception is planned for **Friday, August 19**, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. For more details, call Maureen Poole, 437-2165.

Help Revive the Singles Group!

All singles are invited to the Beach Club, **Sunday, August 28**, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m., for the revival of the Port Ludlow Singles Group. While you enjoy coffee, tea and dessert, questionnaires will be available to determine your interests and preferences such as age, gender, activities, hobbies and travel.

Many changes have transpired since the first Singles Group was formed in 1991. All singles are encouraged to come and help form a new Singles Group. Bring your comments and suggestions. For more information, call Peggy Schafran, 437-9935.

Noted Garden Designer to Visit Port Ludlow

Wednesday, August 10, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Bay Club, the Port Ludlow Garden Club will feature Andrew Schulman, noted Seattle garden designer and nationally published author. Mr. Schulman will speak on the topic, "Color and Structure in the Late Summer Garden." His presentation includes an extensive selection of slides that show examples of both deck and garden border plantings using a collection of pots. Mr. Schulman is a regular contributor to *Fine Gardening Magazine*, and several of his articles have been reprinted in the *Fine Gardening Design Guides: Creative Ideas From America's Best Gardeners* (Taunton Press, 2002). He earned his Master of Landscape Architecture degree from the University of Pennsylvania and has worked in corporate and park design, environmental restoration, and residential garden design. His book, *The Northwest Cottage Garden*, published in 2004 by Sasquatch Books, as well as the *Design Guide* will be available for sale and autographing following his Bay Club lecture.

Everyone attending the meeting will receive a raffle ticket for a free copy of Mr. Schulman's book, *A Northwest Cottage Garden*. We will hold the raffle following his presentation.

Garden Club non-members are welcome to attend this presentation and are asked to contribute \$3 each toward the Club's expense in bringing Mr. Schulman to Port Ludlow. Following the lecture and book signing, if the weather permits, we will have a picnic on the Bay Club's back lawn with beverages and desserts furnished by the Garden Club. Please join us for a fabulous summer afternoon.

Mr. Schulman is accepting a limited number of invitations to consult at individual residences in Port Ludlow on design and planting questions for \$65/hour, following his remarks at the Bay Club. Any drawings or formal design plans requested during a consultation come at additional expense to the homeowner. To schedule a personal visit by Mr. Schulman, contact Sydney Hatch, 437-9111.



New Assistant Fire Chief Appointed

by Bill Hansen, Contributing Editor



Ed Wilkerson, new Assistant Fire Chief. Submitted photo

Port Ludlow Fire and Rescue has hired Ed Wilkerson as Assistant Chief in charge of operations and Emergency Medical Services (EMS) training. Formerly with Fire District #6 in the Vancouver, Washington, area, Wilkerson has 28 years of experience.

Wilkerson began his fire service career in 1977 as a summer fire fighter in the

Jackson County area of Southern Oregon. Since then he has been a paramedic, firefighter, Lieutenant and Battalion Chief. He leaves the Vancouver area after serving 18 years, the last 6 years as Battalion Chief. His professional service has also included work in Oregon, Alaska, and Saudi Arabia. He has a fire science degree and will graduate from the National Fire Academy Executive Officer Program this fall.

Ed and his wife Sally love the out-of-doors and traveling. They are avid boaters and look forward to Port Ludlow's boating activities.

Bake Sale Volunteers Needed

by Veronica Schroeder

The Jefferson Healthcare Hospital Auxiliary (JHHA) annual bake sale in Port Ludlow is coming up again. The Labor Day Sale will be **Saturday, September 3, and Sunday, September 4**. This endeavor raises money to purchase equipment for the hospital.

About 30 volunteers are needed to be on a phone committee to call and ask residents for baked donations. Volunteers are also needed the weekend of Labor Day to price and sell the baked goods. It is a lot of fun and a worthwhile cause. If you can help, please call me at 437-4178 or e-mail veronicaschroeder@msn.com. Without your help, this will not be a success.

Thanks in advance!

Jefferson County Fire District #3

Alarm Statistics June 2005

Alarms	
Fire	3
Emergency Medical	39
Motor Vehicle Accidents	3
Rescue	1
Hazardous Materials	0
Service	1
Total Alarms	47

Ambulance Transports	
Jefferson General Hospital	13
Harrison Memorial Hospital	7
Harborview Medical Center	2
Naval Hospital Bremerton	0
Olympic Hospital Port Angeles	0
Total Transports	22

Mutual Aid with Neighboring Districts	
Provided	2
Received	1
Total Mutual Aid	3

Chief Wayne Kier's Safety Tip: Oven Fires

Cooking is the leading cause of fire and civilian fire injuries in U.S. homes. If you have an oven fire, turn off the heat and keep the oven door closed to prevent flames from burning you and your clothing. Call the fire department using 911.

Examiner Rules Against Les Powers

Hearing Examiner Irv Berteig of Seattle has denied townhome owner and Yakima attorney Les Powers' motion for Reconsideration of the Examiner's June 27 decision to deny Powers' appeal of the County's State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) Mitigated Determination of Non-Significance (MDNS) on Olympic Terrace II.

Berteig concludes, "The Appellant's post hearing submissions are mostly restatements of his arguments [from the original hearing] plus rebuttals to testimony and arguments from the hearing. The new information does not have significant relevance, and is not accepted." He continues, "Having considered all elements of my June 27, 2005 decision and the Appellant's arguments for reconsideration, I must conclude that no error was made in my decision, and further that the Appellant did not meet his burden of proof."

Artists' League News

Judith Johnson is the featured artist for **August**. She is from Wisconsin, where she obtained a degree in art, and California, where she began her watercolor studies. Preferring representational work to abstract and non-objective, she paints landscapes with old barns, animals and flowers. Johnson has won several awards in California. She is completing a new studio and will begin painting on a regular basis when it is finished. Her work will be exhibited at the American Marine Bank and next door at the League's Art Gallery from **Friday, August 5, through Thursday, September 1.**

Joseph Lesser has been painting landscapes throughout the Northwest for almost a decade. His work has been exhibited widely, and he is the recipient of several national and regional awards. Lesser will be demonstrating aspects of working in oils with landscape as the subject matter at the monthly meeting of the League on **Wednesday, August 17, 1:00 p.m.**, at the Beach Club. The public is welcome to attend.

Lesser has developed proficiency in oils, acrylics, and pastels. His subject matter includes landscapes, still-lives, and interiors as well as pure abstraction. He has devoted much of his time to the teaching and mentoring of other aspiring artists and is appreciated for giving technical assistance as well as personal encouragement.

Contact League President Marti Mathis at 437-2704 or marti@waypt.com for further information.

Out To Lunch in Seattle

Thursday, August 11, the Community Enrichment Alliance (CEA) Out to Lunch Bunch will venture to the House of Hong, at 409 Eighth Avenue in Seattle for a Dim Sum lunch at noon. Register at the CEA Ticket table in the Bay Club any **Wednesday or Friday** from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The deadline for registration is **Monday, August 8**. Estimated cost is between \$10 and \$13. The agreement with the restaurant is that all will order and share the bill and the Dim Sum. Paying with a credit card will be awkward so please bring cash.

If you take the walk-on ferry from Kingston to the Argosy Pier, you can catch a trolley heading south all the way to Jackson and 6th Avenue, the end of the line. Then walk up to 8th Avenue where House of Hong is located. Roz Greene planned this adventure, so if you have questions, call her at 437-9870.

Medicare Drug Benefit: What You Need to Know

by Dave Aldrich, Senior Information and Assistance

If you have Medicare, you can get new prescription drug coverage beginning **January 2006** in one of two ways:

- A prescription drug plan (PDP) from a private company. You will continue to get coverage for your other medical services through original Medicare.
- A Medicare private plan, like an HMO or PPO, that offers medical and hospital benefits in addition to drug coverage.

You can enroll between **November 15, 2005, and May 15, 2006**, and change plans once a year between **November 15 and December 31.**

Each drug plan will have its own list of covered drugs called a formulary. You will have to pay the full cost of drugs not on the formulary and about 25 percent of the cost of other drugs. You must also fill your prescription at a pharmacy in your plan's network.

You will pay a monthly premium, annual deductible and coinsurance, all of which may vary by plan. After you spend a maximum amount out-of-pocket, which will be \$3,600 in 2006, you will only have to pay 5 percent of the cost of each covered prescription you fill. If your income is low, you can get extra help paying for these costs.

You do not have to sign up for the Medicare prescription drug benefit. It is important to note though that, unless you have drug coverage that is at least as good as Medicare's, you need to enroll between **November 15, 2005, and May 15, 2006**, to avoid a premium penalty for late enrollment.

If you need assistance or information concerning the Medicare prescription drug benefit or any other issue concerning senior citizens, feel free to contact your local Senior Information and Assistance office at 385-2552.

Give Blood

Tuesday, August 23

11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.; 2:45 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Port Ludlow Community Church
Community Room

For information,
contact Sally Hirschmann 437-1377

Please call 1-800-398-7888 for appointment

Harrison Hospital Revisited

Prior to a presentation in May by Scott Bosch, CEO of Harrison Hospital in Bremerton and Silverdale, many residents completed medical questionnaires. They have now been tallied and reveal the top six health concerns among our residents: Heart, stroke, knee, osteoporosis, cancer, and sleep disorders.

Did you know that Harrison Bremerton has a sleep disorder chamber and three physicians who specialize in the 86 different types of sleep disorders? Free cancer screening is available, as well as stroke and vascular screening for qualified recipients (see related article on page 12). If you wish to receive Harrison's quarterly informative pamphlet, call 1-800-281-4024, ext. 6869.

Based upon residents' input, a Recommended Doctor Listing (and those not highly recommended) has been compiled and is available for review at both the Bay Club and Beach Club. If you wish to add a physician to this listing, call Peggy Schafran at 437-9935. New residents to the community have requested this information.

Harrison Hospital has recently hired nine new physicians. A non-profit hospital, it plans to launch a \$10 million dollar fund drive in five years to cover its on-going plans.

Back to School is a Labor of Love

Each year many Port Ludlow residents go back to school, volunteering at Chimacum Schools. Bernie Robinson heads up the volunteer organization C-VIPS. The *Voice* staff commends this effort and thanks Bernie and her volunteers for their tireless work. Volunteers have included:

Connie Abang, Jim Amende, Aven and Shirley Anderson, Mary Kay Baldwin, Judy Blair, Trix Bouterse, Flora May Bradley, Mary Brannaman, Stephanie Buehler, Judy and Arnie Danberg, Ron Dawson, Lorraine and Philip Erickson, Evelyn Fett, Frosty and Dorothy Foust, Karen Fyock, Suzanne Graber, Bruce and Marilyn Hudson, Jeanne Joseph, Dorothy Kimble, Pat Nesbitt and Fran Oxton.

Others include Karl Perry, Don Peterson, Bill Promisel, Jack Randall, Gerda Randolph, Bob and Nancy Reasoner, Russ Reed, Marielena Roberts, Bernadette and Robbie Robinson, Bruce and Dot Schmitz, Bill and Bonnie Schoenemann, Sharon Sorenson, Al Standish, Dick Swindler, Ruth Weyman, Bob and Connie Wilkinson, Olga Wilson, Jill Yetter and Rose Yim.

Unfortunately, some names may have been left out inadvertently. Several other residents volunteer directly with the school and haven't "registered" with C-VIPS. Bernie wants to also extend thanks to the many Port Ludlow residents who donate generously when the call for items needed by the school is sent out.

For further information on C-VIPS and to join this active group of volunteers, contact Bernie at brob@olyphen.com or call 437-0703.

Emergency Preparedness

Community Enrichment Alliance (CEA) presents an Emergency Preparedness Seminar, **Thursday, September 15**, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Beach Club. Are you prepared for an earthquake, tsunami, wildfire, wind-storm, or terrorism? Being prepared reduces injury, trauma, loss, and damage.

Learn how to prepare for any disaster when Jefferson County's Department of Emergency Management conducts a "Getting Ready" class for the Port Ludlow community. Both personal and neighborhood disaster preparedness will be covered. In the event of a disaster the capacity of police, fire, medical and utility responders may be overwhelmed, and Port Ludlow could be cut off from outside support for days. What can you do until help arrives?

Register at the CEA ticket table at the Bay Club on **Wednesday or Friday**, 11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., or at the Beach Club. Pre-registration by the deadline of **Tuesday, September 6**, is necessary to insure an adequate number of manuals. The registration fee is \$5 per packet (one packet per family). Questions? Call Pat Lohrey, 437-7760.

Beginning Computer Classes

Bernie's Beginning Computer Class, sponsored by the Port Ludlow Computer Club (PLCC), is now open for registration and will begin on **Wednesday, September 14**, continuing for four consecutive **Wednesdays, September 21, 28, October 5 and 12**. PLCC membership is not a requirement. Class hours are 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. at the Bay Club. The fee is \$30 and includes an easy-to-use text. Over 600 Port Ludlow residents have already attended this popular course and it fills very rapidly. To register, please call Bernie Kestler at 437-5102 for all the details.

From the County Administrator's Desk

by John F. Fischbach, Jefferson County Administrator

Greetings to all residents in the Port Ludlow area. I hope this communiqué finds you enjoying your summer. Here are some items of interest I'd like you to be aware of:

Michelle Farfan: After 19 years of public service, the senior planner in the Department of Community Development (DCD) for Port Ludlow is departing her full-time employment with Jefferson County. A new planner is anticipated to begin in late **August**. Michelle will continue to work part-time for DCD handling building cases and will be available to train the new planner for Port Ludlow. In working with the Port Ludlow Village Council (PLVC) Board we are looking at the feasibility of hosting a reception for the final candidates so the public can meet and assess them. We'll let you know if that works out.

Olympic Terrace II: As you may know, a public hearing was held on June 7, 2005, regarding the project. Because the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) appeal and the preliminary plat hearings were combined, special procedures were explained addressing the sequence of the testimony, which lasted nearly three hours. On June 27, 2005, Irv Berteig, the Jefferson County Hearings Examiner, denied the appeal with the conclusion that Leslie A. Powers, the appellant, had made numerous arguments and assertions on subjects that are beyond the scope of SEPA. On July 1, 2005, Mr. Berteig gave preliminary plat approval for the 80-lot subdivision. Final plat approval will be granted from the Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) based upon the Hearing Examiner's decision.

The decision of the Hearing Examiner grants preliminary plat approval for the 80 lots; this is considered the quasi-judicial decision of the County. This means the proponent can prepare a final plat consistent with the conditions of approval from the Hearing Examiner. The final plat is then submitted to the BOCC within five years of the preliminary plat decision for a final legislative approval on the plat. The BOCC is expected to sign the final plat in view of the decision rendered by the Hearing Examiner. Upon receiving the preliminary plat decision, Port Ludlow Associates (PLA) can install roads, utilities and stormwater controls. No lots can be sold until the final plat is approved by the BOCC and recorded with the County Auditor.

Trendwest is a 120-unit timeshare project that's the next phase of the Ludlow Cove subdivision. The public comment period has ended and the next step is the final environmental determination. A staff report is being prepared for the public hearing before the Hearings Examiner on **Tuesday, August 16**, 1:30 p.m., at the Jefferson County Courthouse.

Finally, an application has been received by DCD for the Ludlow Bay Village Resort redevelopment. It's available for public review at the Permit Center in the DCD office. The next step will be a public notice of the application with a public comment period. For more information, go to the County's website at www.co.jefferson.wa.us and review cases MLA 05-00407 and MLA 05-00404 or e-mail mfarfan@co.jefferson.wa.us.

As always, please feel free to contact me at 385-9100 or via e-mail at jfischbach@co.jefferson.wa.us if you have questions or comments.

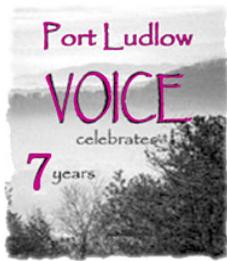
There's a Whole Lot of Singin' Goin' On!

Nothing lifts the spirit more than song—and for a couple of dozen Port Ludlow Singers, the added thrill of “show biz” is irresistible. Every **Tuesday** evening for the next several months, these dedicated men and women will be rehearsing for concerts to be held in late **October**. Some of them sing with the Sounders Barbershop Chorus, others come from the ranks of the Choral Belles, while several people heard about the Port Ludlow Singers and wanted to be a part of their show. All of them have one thing in common: they love to sing and have been doing so, in some cases, since they were in elementary school, 60 or more years ago.

Last fall the Port Ludlow Singers took a show to the students of Chimacum Schools. Their goal was to show today's youths that singing is something you can do all your life. Were you a member of your high school or college choir? Perhaps you actually taught music in an earlier life. If you read music, love to sing, and are willing to put in time rehearsing at home each week—call Bonnie Van Allsburg at 437-2959 and see if you'd like to be part of this musical endeavor.

Voice Celebrates its 7th Birthday!

by Maureen Poole, Contributing Editor



The Voice celebrates its 7th Birthday with a new symbol

Artwork by Marti Duncan

Everything old is new again and, as I looked through back issues of the *Voice*, I was struck with just how many of the items of interest and concern in Port Ludlow are still with us in one form or another. And that goes for Birthday Greetings.

Back in 1998, Ralph Thomas had a vision and the tenacity to follow through to get the *Voice* started. Through the years, volunteers have changed, hats worn by the remaining volunteers have changed, and new folks have participated, bringing great, fresh ideas. Sure we've added staples, pages, and a new masthead; but most importantly we've added more dedicated, passionate individuals willing to volunteer to see that you the reader get current news, balanced reporting, and as much information as we can cram between the covers of each month's complimentary issue. That's the crux of the *Voice*! Volunteers, balance, and delivered free to your Port Ludlow address.

So while we shout out our cheers, we hope you agree that the *Port Ludlow Voice* is a one-of-a-kind effort, worthy of your interest. We eagerly look forward to input from the community and encourage any and all of you to contribute and participate. Not only do we feel the *Voice* is "the best," we know that our group of volunteers is definitely "the best!" Look at the staff listed on the back page and contact them with your suggestions, or offer to participate. This is definitely a case of "the more the merrier." Happy Birthday.

Port Ludlow Computer Club Welcomes Mac

by Mark Garcia, PLCC President

At first blush you might think that the Montague family was finally getting together with the Capulet family. Romeo is on the PC side and Juliet is on the Macintosh side. Will love of computing reconcile the two families?

In the early days, the families were unable to communicate together. As time wore on, the languages started to blend. Today they often get together for a barbecue to share in their newly-discovered commonality.

Yes, programs are now commonly available for both families. "PC or not PC," that is no longer a compelling question. The Port Ludlow Computer Club (PLCC) welcomes the Mac Special Interest Group (SIG). Although their numbers are relatively few, these Mac (Capulet) people grow larger in numbers every day. The Patriarch of the "Capulet" family is Dean Mosier, a benevolent leader whose vision and drive started the group. He recognized that these two families could communicate with each other and share many things (besides Romeo and Juliet). We find that the General Meetings more often than not offer entertainment and knowledge where both families can draw great amusement and benefit.

So all you Capulets in Port Ludlow, hearken, the Port Ludlow Computer Club offers you the opportunity to broaden your horizons with the Montagues.

Thanks, Dean, for all your efforts. Interested Apple computer users please contact: Dean Mosier, gbboatman@aol.com, or phone 206-310-3149.

August Hiking Events

by Dan Darrow, Hiking Club Scribe

For all hikes, meet at the Bridge Deck at 8:00 a.m. to arrange car pools and get directions to the trailhead.

Friday, Aug. 12: Choose One of Two Hikes

Tubal Cain Trail: A moderately difficult hike of eight miles with 1,050-foot elevation gain to the site of a historic mine. There is an optional additional 800-foot elevation gain to Tull Canyon and the wreckage of a B-17 bomber that crashed in 1952. Information: Jerry and Diana Coburn, 437-0840.

High Divide: A difficult 14-mile hike with 3,500-foot elevation gain. This is the most spectacular trail in the Olympics with views of the Hoh Valley, Mount Olympus and more. Information: Bill Lane, 437-2044, or Adele Govert, 437-8090. Herman Schweizer, 437-2168, will lead a slower-paced group.

Thursday, Aug. 25: Rosario Beach Trail

The group will take the 9:30 a.m. ferry from Port Townsend to Whidbey Island. The hike is an easy six miles along the beach and woods near Deception Pass. Information: Edel Bahr, 385-2519.

Fall Blooming Crocus

by Eline Lybarger, Contributing Editor



The fall-blooming *Colchicum speciosum* 'Waterlily.'

Photo courtesy of Broadleigh Bulbs, who trades in EU only.

Crocus, those harbingers of spring that defy the February ice to bloom. But there is also a whole array of crocus that bloom in **September and October**. There is the true crocus that blooms in the fall, and the fall-blooming colchicums. These look like crocus on steroids, and they flower before the leaves appear; both are in the *Iridaceae* (Iris) family.

Crocus banaticus is only five inches tall, but its petals are ivory to dark purple, and **September** flowers resemble Iris. It is ideal for our area because it likes to be cool in well-drained mulched soil.

Crocus Sternbergia 'Lutea' looks exactly like its spring cousin, with tiny, bright yellow flowers, and prefers full sun.

Crocus sativus has early spring foliage, and then in September there are lavender flowers with brilliant orange stigmas that are the source of saffron. It takes about 70,000 flowers to make one pound of saffron; 12 plants will produce enough saffron for paella. For best results harvest the stigmas as soon as the flower opens, dry without heat, and store in an airtight container.

Crocus speciosus is striking with its purple-veined lavender flowers and bright orange stigmas.

Colchicums look like large crocus but, unlike their cousins, are extremely poisonous and have more stamens. They bloom long after their handsome leaves have turned yellow. *Colchicum 'The Giant'* has many large mauve pink flowers from one bulb, and can bloom as early as August. *Colchicum bornmuelleri* only grows to six inches, but has a delicate pink flower with a white center.

Colchicum speciosum 'Waterlily' grows above ground to about six inches but has double petals of lavender pink, and like 'The Giant' it sends out many blooms from a single bulb.

The best news is that it isn't too late to plant these fall blooming beauties. In fact, you can procrastinate for a few more weeks and still have flowers this year, for unlike their spring blooming cousins these hearty plants will bloom two to four weeks after you plant them. Plant them in a location that gets about six hours of sun per day, with well drained rich soil.

The crocus should be planted with the top of the bulb two inches below the soil surface, while the larger colchicum needs to be four inches below the surface. They are not fast spreaders, but in three or four years you will have a nicely mounded mass of fall-blooming flowers.

Scores from the Bridge Deck



by Barbara Bradford, Reporter

On **Mondays** Port Ludlow bridge enthusiasts gather for ACBL-sanctioned bridge. The number of tables ranges from three to seven.

Winners:

June 13 North/South

- 1st Doris and Ian Feltham
- 2nd Tom Stone and Dick Padilla

East/West

- 1st Darrell Fett and Bruce Schmitz
- 2nd Dan and Soozie Darrow

June 20 1st Doris and Ian Feltham
2nd Carol Land and Michael Bloch

June 27 North/South

- 1st Bill Schoenemann and David Hendrie
- 2nd Eleanor Roden and Norm Crump

East/West

- 1st Barbara Bradford and Peg Olsen
- 2nd Ralph Phillips and Michael Walker

July 11 1st Eleanor Roden and Bernice Ingham
2nd Ralph Phillips and Lois Ruggles

If you don't have a partner and would like to play, contact partnership chair, Vivian Hayter, 437-9341. Ian and Doris Feltham, 437-9196, direct the games. Games begin at 12:30 p.m. with a fee of \$1.

B&B in Port Ludlow:

Bill and Bonnie Schoenemann

by Eline Lybarger, Contributing Editor



Active volunteers and travelers, Bill and Bonnie Schoenemann.

Submitted Photo

On his doorstep, Bill Schoenemann was not surprised to find a cake next to his morning paper. He shared his life with three daughters, but was considered an “eligible bachelor,” which sent the local ladies into a competitive bake-off.

In California’s San Francisco area, Bonnie had not met Bill, and was too busy with her own two daughters to compete in any bake-off. At a Parents Without Partners meeting they met and decided to marry, merging two families, with five teen and pre-teen daughters. Bill happily became a minority-in-a-sorority, while Bonnie remained the peacemaker. During this time Bonnie and Bill developed a life-long love of travel, for that was the only way they could be alone.

Once the girls were launched, Bill and Bonnie decided to build their retirement dream house and bought property in the Sierras. Then one fateful day Bill saw a magazine advertising Port Ludlow, and sent for the free video. He watched it several times, but Bonnie wasn’t interested; after all they had property in the Sierras. Later a friend recommended they travel to Washington to see Port Ludlow. They arrived on one of those golden-green days of sunshine and sparkling water. Bonnie fell in love, and they bought their present home that weekend. In December 1994 Bill, Bonnie, and Bonnie’s mother Margaret moved to Port Ludlow.

Almost immediately Millie Reed recruited Bonnie to help set tables for a Free Spirits dinner, and over the years both Bill and Bonnie have chaired that organization. At Jefferson County Hospital, Bonnie volunteered in the gift shop, while Bill was a patient care volunteer—a job he still enjoys today. Bill soon became a Hidden Cove Village officer; and when Pope Resources owned the Bay Club he was Chairman of the Advisory Board, which negotiated with Pope Resources to contribute a significant sum to the Bay Club for maintenance when it was transferred

to the homeowners. After Pope Resources departed, he was President of the first homeowner-controlled South Bay Community Association (SBCA) Board.

Before the *Voice*, Bonnie was a Village representative to Pope Resources regarding community communications. Seven years ago she, Mary Ronen, and Ralph Thomas started the *Voice*, and she has supported it continuously. Today she is also on the Jefferson County Literacy Council, which assists all ages to read and communicate in English.

Bonnie and her late mother, Margaret, performed in “Broadway” shows at the Bay Club. Today Bonnie still enjoys tapping with the Rockettes.

Bill went on to serve on the Port Ludlow Village Council (PLVC), and he was on the Arts Council for five years, with Bonnie joining three years ago. In addition to volunteering together, they have square danced together; however, Bill has given up tennis, while Bonnie continues to play.

The Schoenemanns continue to travel; in fact, two years ago Bill passed his 100-countries-visited mark, and Bonnie will hit 100 in **October** when they visit Prague. From all these travels Bill has published *Wanderlust*, a collection of pictures for family and friends. Bonnie says she is “only a laundry load away from going anywhere in the world.”

A trip to Dortmund, Germany, held special memories for Bill. He was able to get inside the actual apartment where he grew up. It had been 64 years since he had seen it. Later they returned to find it locked.

In Bill’s working life he was a consultant for many small businesses, and in 1998 hoped this was a ticket to exotic places. Volunteers were needed to help businesses in developing countries. His first, last and only assignment was a month in Bosnia. The hotel was old and unoccupied. His first breakfast was an ordeal; he could not read Croatian and the waitress spoke nothing else. Finally he got an English menu, but the waitress couldn’t read it. He ended up with an egg floating in a bowl of oil. He worked five days a week, but the weekends were his. He was nervous about going for a walk because, if you strayed off the path, there might be unexploded land mines. There were no tours so he used the public busses, and would ride to the end of the line (Sarajevo was one of his favorite destinations). Now he pays for his own travel and continues to volunteer here.

Patients Encouraged to Ask Doctors About Alternatives

by Dr. Jerry Brady D.C., Brady Chiropractic Clinic

That was the headline in *USA TODAY*, April 8, 2005, regarding options for joint pain sufferers with fears of heart attacks or strokes resulting from pain medications. NSAIDS (non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs) Vioxx, Celebrex, and Bextra (all cox-2 inhibitors) and others like Aleve (naproxen), Advil (ibuprofen) significantly increase risk of heart attack, stroke, and other problems. Vioxx and Bextra are now off the market. Celebrex has strong warnings of risk. The Deputy Director of the Federal Drug Administration's (FDA's) Office of New Drugs said about Aleve "...there is little data about the long-term effects of naproxen or any other related pain reliever." According to David Graham, FDA whistle blower, an estimated 88,000 to 140,000 heart attacks may be attributed to NSAIDS.

Recently, the *Seattle Times* has published a series of scathing articles called "Suddenly Sick, The Hidden Big Business Behind Your Doctor's Diagnosis." The articles highlight a troubling marriage between the media, traditional medicine, and the pharmaceutical industry and raise serious questions about the integrity of our health care system. Drug companies spend upwards of \$3 billion annually in direct marketing to influence patient/doctor behavior. Networks cooperate with their major advertisers. The result is seniors taking upwards of 7 to 13 different pills daily. Does any doctor know how all these drugs might react in any one patient?

Interestingly, heart disease, strokes, and joint pains have a common link. They are all inflammatory conditions that burden the heart, brain, and joints. Some possible reasons for inflammation are the standard American diet, alcohol, smoking, toxins, excessive medicines, and stress. Genetics have a role but we can't change our genes. We can modify our lifestyles. Health literature is replete with ways to help prevent these serious threats, but many people know little about them.

Prevention of heart disease and stroke is vital and drugs have a role. However, health education, good life habits and a good attitude can do a lot to control pain and reduce heart disease and strokes. Proper exercise, good nutrition, and alternative treatments can help Port Ludlow residents

prevent pain and feel better, eliminating reliance on drug cures. Try this nutritional website to search out different remedies for yourself: www.drjerrybrady.meta-ehealth.com. Check out "Wellness Essentials" formulas for men and women, as well as for joint pain.

Good health to you!

Computer Club News

Port Ludlow Computer Club meets **Monday, August 8**, at the Bay Club. There will be a social time at 6:00 p.m. with the meeting starting at 6:30 p.m. The program will feature a demo of setting up and using a personal web cam for such things as video conferencing and general communications. Just imagine, you can communicate "live" using your computer and an inexpensive piece of hardware! PLCC General Meetings are open to all, membership is not a requirement. Please come.

The Outlook Express SIG meets on **Monday, August 1**, 10:30 a.m.–noon. Bring your questions, Pat will answer them! Genealogy SIG meets on **Thursday, August 11**, 1:00–3:00 p.m. and welcomes all PLCC members who are interested in tracing their families. Photography SIG is **Monday, August 22**, 10:30 a.m.–noon. The Mac SIG meets **Saturday, August 6**, 9:00–10:30 a.m., and **Monday, August 15**, 6:00–7:30 p.m. Workshops are held every **Saturday** morning 11:00 a.m.–noon at the Bay Club. We are looking for PLCC members who would be willing to help at Saturday morning workshops. No special expertise is needed.

Bob Graham will be conducting five sessions on photo editing and storage, using PhotoShop Elements 3 beginning **Thursday, August 18**, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. For more information, contact him at 437-0680.

All SIGs and Workshops are for members only. For information about joining PLCC, contact Homer Evans at 437-2430 or e-mail him at hpevans@cablespeed.com. Visit the Club website at www.pl-cc.com for more Club information and computing tips.

Go Visit a Lighthouse!

The Point Wilson Lighthouse, adjacent to Fort Worden in Port Townsend, is open for tours on **Saturdays** between 1:00 and 4:00 p.m. For more information, visit www.jchsmuseum.org/lighthouse.html.

Village Activities Calendar

Most events are open to everyone in the community unless members-only is indicated, or are obviously special-interest groups

August

Mon., August 1

Indoor Pool closed until August 15, Beach Club
10:30 a.m.–noon, Computer Club Outlook Express SIG (members), Bay Club
3:00–5:00 p.m., Voice Staff Meeting (members), Beach Club
7:00–10:00 p.m., USCG, Advanced Coastal Navigation “Piloting” Class, Fire Station

Tues., August 2

9:00–11:00 a.m., LPV-4 Board Meeting (members), Bay Club
10:00 a.m.–noon, CEA Meeting, Beach Club
11:00 a.m.–noon, Teal Lake Landscape Committee, Bay Club
11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., Thai Cooking Class, Bay Club
2:00–5:00 p.m., Plush Investment Meeting, Bay Club
5:00–9:00 p.m., Fly Fishers’ Barbecue, Bay Club
5:45–7:45 p.m., Port Ludlow Singers’ Rehearsal, Bay Club

Wed., August 3

4:30 p.m., PL Chamber Barbecue Mixer (members, friends and associates), Meydenbauer Bay Yacht Club Outstation

Thurs., August 4

9:00 a.m.–noon, PLVC Workshop, Bay Club
10:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Knitwits, Beach Club

Fri., August 5

9:00–11:00 a.m., SBCA Board Meeting (members), Bay Club
9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., Friday Market, Village Center

Sat., August 6

9:00–10:30 a.m., Computer Club Mac SIG (members), Bay Club
2:00–4:00 p.m., CEA Ice Cream Social and Scholarship Benefit, Marina

Mon., August 8

9:00–11:00 a.m., Bluebills Meeting, Bay Club
9:00 a.m.–noon, Bayview Board Meeting (members), Bay Club
2:00–3:00 p.m., Woodworkers, Bay Club
4:00–6:00 p.m., Ten Karat Women’s Investment Club, Beach Club
6:00–6:30 p.m., Computer Club Social, Bay Club
6:30–8:00 p.m., Computer Club General Meeting, Bay Club

Tues., August 9

9:00–11:00 a.m., MGA Meeting, Bay Club
5:00–8:00 p.m., Thai Cooking Class, Bay Club
5:45–7:45 p.m., Port Ludlow Singers’ Rehearsal, Bay Club

Wed., August 10

11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m., Garden Club Luncheon and Noted Garden Designer, Bay Club
6:30–8:30 p.m., Readers’ Theatre Group, Beach Club

Thurs., August 11

10:00 a.m.–noon, Port Ludlow Drainage District, Beach Club
Noon, Out to Lunch Bunch, House of Hong, Seattle
Noon–8:00 p.m., Hands on Clay, Bay Club
1:00–3:00 p.m., Computer Club Genealogy SIG (members), Bay Club
5:00–9:00 p.m., MGA Member/Guest Dinner, Bay Club
8:00 p.m., Hood Canal Bridge Closes

Fri., August 12

Hood Canal Bridge Closed
8:00 a.m., Hiking Club Departs for Tubal Cain Trail, Bridge Deck
8:00 a.m., Hiking Club Departs for High Divide, Bridge Deck
9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m., Hands on Clay, Bay Club
9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., Friday Market, Village Center
10:00 a.m., Movie Makers, Port Ludlow Community Church
3:00–5:00 p.m., Inner Harbor Board Meeting (members), Bay Club
5:00–7:00 p.m., SBCA Members’ Cocktail party (members), Bay Club

Sat., August 13

Hood Canal Bridge Closed
9:00 a.m.–noon, LMC Board of Trustees Meeting (members), Beach Club
9:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m., National Marina Day Celebration, Marina
Noon, Olympic Music Festival Picnic and Concert

Sun., August 14

Hood Canal Bridge Closed
9:00 a.m., Anglican Service, Beach Club
7:00–9:30 p.m., North Bay LOA Cool Jazz on a Hot Night II, Beach Club

Mon., August 15

Indoor Pool reopens, Beach Club
Club Championship, Golf Course
4:00 a.m. or before, Hood Canal Bridge Opens
10:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., Computer Club Special Topics SIG (members), Bay Club
6:00–7:30 p.m., Computer Club Mac SIG (members), Bay Club

Tues., August 16

10:00 a.m.–noon, Knitwits, Beach Club
1:00–4:00 p.m., Fly Fishers General meeting, Bay Club
5:45–7:45 p.m., Port Ludlow Singers’ Rehearsal, Bay Club

Wed., August 17

Club Championship, Golf Course
10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Stamp Art Club, Beach Club
1:00–4:00 p.m., Port Ludlow Artists’ League, Beach Club

Thurs., August 18

2:00–4:00 p.m., Photo Editing and Storage Class, Bay Club
3:00–8:00 p.m., Nifty Niners Potluck, Bay Club

Fri., August 19

Club Championship, Golf Course
9:00–11:00 a.m., SBCAARC Review Meeting (members), Bay Club
9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., Friday Market, Village Center
1:00–5:30 p.m., Courtwright Art Workshop
2:00–4:00 p.m., Photo Contest Reception, First Federal Savings and Loan

Sat., August 20

1:00–5:30 p.m., Courtwright Art Workshop

Sun., August 21

8:00 p.m., Hood Canal Bridge Closes

Mon., August 22

Hood Canal Bridge Closed

10:30 a.m.–noon, Computer Club Photography SIG (members),
Bay Club

3:00–3:30 p.m., Teal Lake Working Board (members), Bay Club

3:30–4:45 p.m., Teal Lake HOA Board Meeting (members),
Bay Club

Tues., August 23

Hood Canal Bridge Closed

11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., Blood Drive, Community Church

Noon–4:00 p.m., PLWGA Club Championship Lunch,
Beach Club

2:00–4:00 p.m., Photo Editing and Storage Class, Bay Club

2:45–5:00 p.m., Blood Drive, Community Church

3:00–5:00 p.m., NRC/Trails Committee, Bay Club

5:45–7:45 p.m., Port Ludlow Singers' Rehearsal, Bay Club

Wed., August 24

Hood Canal Bridge Closed

Thurs., August 25

4:00 a.m. or before, Hood Canal Bridge Opens

8:00 a.m., Hiking Club Departs for Rosario Beach Trail,
Beach Deck

10:00 a.m.–noon, Port Ludlow Drainage District, Beach Club

Noon, Lunch after Niners Exchange, Niblick's

2:00–4:00 p.m., Photo Editing and Storage Class, Bay Club

5:30–9:30 p.m., Hawaii Club Lu'au, Bay Club

7:00 p.m., USCG Auxiliary General Meeting, Fire Station

Fri., August 26

9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., Friday Market, Village Center

9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m., Hands on Clay, Bay Club

Sun., August 28

10:00 a.m.–noon, Photo Editing and Storage Class,
WSU Hadlock

2:00–4:00 p.m., Revival of Singles Group, Beach Club

Mon., August 29

3:00–5:00 p.m., Voice Staff Meeting, Bay Club

4:00–7:30 p.m., Homer Smith Awards Ceremony, Bay Club

Tuesday, August 30

5:45–7:45 p.m., Port Ludlow Singers' Rehearsal, Bay Club

Future Events

Courtwright Outdoor Workshop, September 1, 2 and 3

Arts, Crafts & Antiques Fair, September 3 and 4

JHHA Annual Bake Sale, September 3 and 4

First Wednesday Luncheons Resume, September 7

Family Movie Nights, September 9 and 23

Hiking Club Fall Getaway, September 27–30

Beginning Computer Classes, September 14, 21 and 28

Emergency Preparedness Seminar, September 15

Port Ludlow FunFest, October 1 and 2

Port Ludlow Singers in Concert, October 27 and 28

Free Spirits Halloween Party, October 31

Tri-Area Community Center Trips

Here's a great idea for those of us who don't or would rather not drive long distances but still want to do some local sightseeing. The Tri-Area Community Center in Chimacum is offering the following interesting trips:

- **Thursday, August 4**
Seattle's New Library and Pike Place Market – \$35
- **Tuesday, August 9**
Washington State History Museum – \$27 includes admission and transportation
- **Tuesday, August 23**
Kalaloch on the Coast – \$25 includes lunch and transportation
- **Monday, August 29**
Sol duc Hot Springs – \$25

This is just a sampling of the trips that are driven by qualified and careful drivers. The **August** trips also include shopping sprees to Silverdale and Sequim. They'll also do trips to ball games, etc., if there is enough interest and tickets can be obtained. For further information, call 360-732-7363.

Thank you to alert reader Ann Radwick for calling this to our attention!

Port Ludlow: One of the Best Places to Retire

The July/August 2005 issue of *Where to Retire* magazine lists Port Ludlow among "America's 100 Best Master-Planned Communities." Alan Fox, Editor and Publisher of the magazine, says: "You're not just buying a home in these communities, you are buying a lifestyle." He describes master-planned developments as secure and well maintained with amenities like clubhouses, fitness centers and social clubs. Generally there is a golf course or access to one, and facilities including tennis courts, indoor and outdoor pools and walking trails. Classes, computer rooms and organized group trips are frequently offered as well.

Anglicans Hold Service in Port Ludlow

As you know, the Hood Canal Bridge will be closed the evening of **Thursday, August 11 until Monday, August 15**. On **Sunday, August 14**, at 9:00 a.m., St. Paul Anglican Church of Port Gamble will hold a Rite I Morning Prayer Service at the Beach Club. All worshipers are welcome. Questions? Call Frank or Irma Siler at 437-9107.

Port Ludlow Village Council

Workshop Highlights

by Kay Standish, Contributing Editor

The July Workshop meeting of the Port Ludlow Village Council (PLVC) was held at the Beach Club on Thursday, July 7.

Council Treasurer Elizabeth Van Zonneveld reported the balance for the PLVC was \$15,192 and the Trails Committee’s balance was \$4,442 as of July 7.

Larry Nobles, Council member, delivered the Community Development Committee (CDC) report. He had met with Greg McCarry, Port Ludlow Associates (PLA) CEO and Larry Smith, Olympic Water and Sewer, to discuss the development of the remaining 290 units approved within the Master Planned Resort (MPR) total of 2,250 Measurement Equivalent Residential Units (MERUs). The following is currently planned:

- WorldMark by Trendwest will take up 120
- 60 for Falls Terrace
- 30 in Ludlow Bay Village
- 39 in Admiralty III
- 41 unallocated

Breaker Lane in the Village Center will be adjusted to the left and three commercial pads are being developed. Kitsap Bank’s permanent building will occupy one pad. PLA has had discussions with a Mexican restaurant regarding another pad. The third pad occupant is unspecified.

The construction of any grocery store would be in the general area of the current recycling bins. The space would accommodate a store approximately three-quarters the size of QFC in Port Hadlock. PLA has held discussions with the Red Apple chain.

The Jefferson County Department of Community Development (DCD) approved the Olympic Terrace II preliminary site plan. Les Powers, a Port Ludlow townhome owner, has filed a motion for reconsideration following the denial of his appeal to overturn a previous DCD decision. (See County Administrator report on page 8).

WorldMark has agreed to support the Trail System at \$1,000/year once operational, recognizing that unforeseen circumstances could require a higher amount in a given

Port Ludlow Village Council

Workshop Meeting
Thursday, August 4, 9:00 a.m.
Beach Club

- **Standing Committee Reports:**
 Community Development, Future of Port Ludlow, Recycle, Trails, Utilities, Resort Plan, Website Maintenance
- **Reports/Comments of Involved Parties:**
 Fire District #3, Jefferson County officials, Port Ludlow Associates, and other entities or individuals wishing or needing to be heard

Next Workshop Meeting
Thursday, September 8, 9:00 a.m.
Beach Club

year. The CDC will be meeting with WorldMark representatives to discuss the 14 provisions that CDC has identified as needing to be added to Trendwest’s Covenants, Codes and Restrictions (CC&Rs) to ensure compliance with the Ludlow Maintenance Commission (LMC) and South Bay Community Association (SBCA) covenants.

Reporting on the Friday Market, Barbara Bradford said that 28 or 29 vendors are coming every Friday. She has visited Port Angeles and Port Townsend markets to invite vendors to participate and hopes they will participate.

Marge Carter stated that the Trails and Natural Resources Committee meets monthly to identify areas needing work (see related story page 16).

Elizabeth Van Zonneveld, Ludlow Bay Village Resort Committee Co-Chair, reported they have received a copy of PLA’s application to the County and will be meeting to review it. She stated that “on first read it appears that PLA has chosen to go with the higher density plan they originally submitted. There will be 100 Marina slips. PLA will phase or bond the amenities and will pursue building over the water. PLA has requested an August hearing by the County.”

There were no reports from Emergency Preparedness, Future of Port Ludlow, Marine, Recycle and Utilities Committees.

Dwayne Wilcox, PLVC President, called for a Board meeting on July 21 to discuss and vote on a draft of the new PLVC bylaws. They are to be presented for voting to residents at election time in **September**. Frank Siler has agreed to chair an Election and Nomination Committee. Additional members are needed (see related story page below). Wilcox wishes to establish a Budget Committee composed of all PLVC officers and a representative from LMC and SBCA. He announced that Michelle Farfan, County DCD Planner for Port Ludlow, has retired. He requested an opportunity to meet final candidates for the position. (See County Administrator report on page 8).

Fire Commissioner David Wheeler announced two fire commissioner positions would be up for election and encouraged people to consider running.

Barbara Bradford, Chair of Port Ludlow Days, announced the event has been renamed Port Ludlow Funfest 2005. Seventy-two people have volunteered to assist with the event, **Saturday and Sunday, October 1 and 2**. A chair is needed for the Golf Tournament and PLVC's Beer and Brat tent.

The next Workshop Meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, August 4**, 9:00 a.m., at the Bay Club.

PLVC Seeks Election 2005 Candidates

by Dwayne Wilcox, President PLVC

In **September** the community will again be electing Port Ludlow Village Council (PLVC) Board members. The Council is designed to be the facilitator of communications among the Ludlow Maintenance Commission (LMC), South Bay Community Association (SBCA), individual homeowner associations, and the developer, Port Ludlow Associates (PLA). This year we need again to elect five people to the Council—two from South Bay and three from North Bay. Also on the ballot will be a referendum on accepting a change to the current bylaws.

Council members whose terms expire this fall are Doug Herring and John Golden from South Bay and Phil Norwine, Larry Nobles and Don Clark from North Bay. Continuing for a second year are Bert Loomis, Tom McCay, Ralph Stroy, Elizabeth Van Zonnenveld and Dwayne Wilcox.

A Nominations and Election Committee has been established to oversee the election and to encourage our voting members to take part in the process. In the past we have actually had to recruit volunteers to run for the Council positions due to lack of interest. This year we are encouraging interested individuals to run for the positions. If you are interested in serving your community, please contact any present Council member or any member of the Nominations and Election Committee. In addition to Frank Siler, Chair, Fran Wickeham from South Bay has agreed to serve on the Committee. The North Bay representative and other members are pending.

The PLVC board members encourage your participation. Our names and phone contacts are listed on the organization website www.plvc.org.

Trail Topics

by Marge Carter, Trails/NRC Committee Co-Chair

Confused About the New Golf Course Trail?



Well, you're not alone. Several people have called to report they can't find it or to ask when we would have signs up and maps out.

Golf Course personnel and contractors have completed work on the trail and, if you know how to find it, it is open and walkable. However, its course may yet be altered to make it more user friendly. Some trail marker rocks, like those on the Timberton Loop, may be placed to help assure that people won't get lost. When all that is done, a "trail opening" celebration will be held to introduce the new trail to the community.

Even after that, the Trails Committee will be fine-tuning it even more by placing navigational signs where needed and, finally, getting a new map made.

In keeping with the established policy of naming our trails after local geographic names, the new trail will be known as the "Olympic Loop." This name was chosen because the trailhead will be in the Olympic Terrace area.

To all anxious users of the Olympic Loop, we say: please be patient, but stay tuned!

Newcomers Welcome—Even Sought After!

If you are new to Port Ludlow and want to contribute to the quality of life in our beautiful Village, there are many

worthwhile groups that would love to have your help. Trails/NRC is one such group.

“Trails/NRC” is a combined Committee of two like-minded groups interested in our environment and interfacing with it. “Trails” is self-explanatory; “NRC” stands for “Natural Resource Committee.” Originally two separate Committees, we realized a couple of years ago that a lot of the same people were attending both Committees’ meetings each month. We wanted to make it easier for our members, so we combined our meetings. Some of us are more interested in creating and maintaining local pedestrian trails and some of us are more interested in nature and natural places and the protection and preservation of those things. But we are all interested in our natural locality and how we can enjoy it.

Unfortunately, our numbers have been dwindling over the past few months, due to health problems, travel, or other interests taking precedence—so we need some new folks with vigor and enthusiasm! We get a lot done, but we have fun, too. We meet on the fourth **Tuesday** of each month, 3:00 p.m., at the Bay Club. Come check us out!

Movie Makers

It’s coming together! Movie Makers are producing a promotional CD for the Jefferson County Tourist Board. Our videographers and photographers have been combing the County and taking those “perfect” shots to woo vacationers and journalists. Join us **Friday, August 12**, at 10:00 a.m., on the lower level of the Port Ludlow Community Church for a planning session. Learn what it takes to produce a film. Participate and perfect your skills. Whether you prefer to hold the camera or stand behind it, keep track of finances or take notes, there is a place for you in this group.

Announcing a new Special Interest Group (SIG): Movie Makers is expanding our talent pool, and stretching our creativity. Drawing on member talent, supplemented with the acting and directing skills of Ludlow Little Theatre and Port Ludlow Players, we have embarked on a project entitled “The Courthouse.” Not to give the story away, it is a three-act production to be filmed this winter. Currently a writer’s group is filling in the dialog. We can always use additional input and invite prospective writers to call Maureen Poole.

Additionally a Production Crew “call” is out. This production is in need of volunteers who would like to: direct the screenplay, serve as Stage Manager or Prop/Costume Manager, and be Associate Producers (interested in financial and public relations). If you have these skills, or think you would like to try a role in this production, please attend the Movie Makers meeting, **Friday, August 12**, at 10:30 a.m. (After our 30-minute business meeting.) For more information on any aspect of Movie Makers, please call Maureen Poole at 437-2165.

Judy Courtwright Art Workshops

Workshops conducted by Judy Courtwright continue at the Bay Club in August. “Watercolor and Colored Pencil” will be held **Friday and Saturday, August 19 and 20**, 1:00–5:30 p.m. Judy explains, “Combining colored pencil and watercolor is an excellent way to learn more about both media. Colored pencil can be used on top of watercolor to make otherwise bland paintings more vibrant. Watercolor can be used in tandem with colored pencil to add texture and to work more quickly. Alternating between them speeds learning and achievement of richer values.” Tuition for the two-day workshop is \$50, or \$45 for Bay Club members

“Painting and Drawing Outdoors” conducted on the beautiful grounds of the Bay Club is planned for **Thursday, Friday, Saturday, September 1, 2, and 3**, 1:00–5:00 p.m. Challenges specific to outdoor artwork will be discussed each day. The class will learn to render shapes using composition of light and dark patterns. Students may choose a favorite medium, either representational or abstract expression. Courtwright assists beginners in learning to represent various elements of landscape and architectural painting and drawing, such as water, trees, flowers, rocks, windows, and stone. Advanced students may select compositions incorporating several of these elements. She will give daily demonstrations based on students’ questions and works in progress. Tuition is \$65, or \$60 for Bay Club members.

All Courtwright workshops are suitable for beginners. Calligraphy classes will resume in **September**. Call now to help determine the dates. For more information, or to be added to the mailing list, send e-mail to judy@judycourtwright.com or call 379-4037. To register, send checks to Judy Courtwright, P. O. Box 765, Port Hadlock, WA 98339.

Beach Club/North Bay News

Carol Shamhart is the Beach Club editor. Submit your articles to her by e-mail at shamhart@cablespeed.com or call her at 437-0141 no later than the 10th of the preceding month.

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LMC Board Meeting

Saturday, August 13, 9:00 a.m.
All North Bay residents are welcome. ☼

LMC Board Meeting Highlights

by Carol Shamhart

The monthly Ludlow Maintenance Commission (LMC) Board of Trustees meeting was held on Saturday, July 9.

Trustee John Van Zonneveld chaired the meeting for absent LMC President Bruce Schmitz. He reported the ladies' locker room construction contract had been signed, and it is anticipated the project will be completed before the end of **September**. Acknowledgement was given to Teddy Clark, Lidija Gregov, Jeanne Joseph, and Sharon Sorenson for their input on the project.

Beach Club General Manager Brian Belmont reported Jamie Flitton had been hired to fill a vacancy in the maintenance department. Belmont expressed appreciation to Phil Eng for his flexibility and commitment. To help eliminate nonmember use of the Beach Club, hostesses will be asking all users to show either a membership or guest card when using the facility. A new procedure has been developed for obtaining guest cards. Members are asked to stop by the Beach Club and fill out a brief form. Telephone calls for authorization have been discontinued. Guest cards are valid for no more than 15 days.

Elizabeth Van Zonneveld reported for absent Architectural Control Committee (ACC) Chair Veronica Cross. Twenty requests were approved since the last meeting, including one roof, four repaints, nine tree removals, one fence, one flagpole, one deck replacement, one house addition and two new houses. Twenty-three requests are being considered.

Greenbelt Committee (GBC) Chair Ron Garton reported the GBC is working on 22 active cases. The fringe areas along Oak Bay Road near Walker and Swansonville Roads are being mowed to improve driver safety and for beautification. The GBC is monitoring several contractor greenbelt infractions and are hopeful these will be resolved. A proposed major Drainage District project in

the vicinity of Rainier Loop down to Oak Bay Road is being closely monitored.

Board approved items:

- Reconfirmation of Operations Committee members as requested by Chair Teddy Clark.
- Addition of Cory Sattler to the ACC Committee.
- Not more than \$19,000 to repair and resurface the indoor pool (bid \$17,716.80).
- \$3,222.11 to replace the 17-year old HVAC heat pump in the Bayview Room.
- Proposed changes to Regulation II, Article III, Section 4 (Procedures) 14. Construction Standards and LMC Introduction to Regulations (2). See LMC bulletin board for full text.
- North Bay Lot Owners Association (NBLOA) Fine Arts Committee gift to LMC consisting of an artwork hanging system for the south wall in the Gallery, for use by all members.
- Move \$20,000 from Reserve account to Capital Improvement account to cover the difference between the insurance payment and the costs of the current planned restoration in the ladies' locker room.
- General Manager Belmont to contract with Nordic Services for janitorial services two nights per week for heavy duty cleaning of the exercise room, etc., not to exceed \$600 per month.
- Continue existing system of ferry ticket sales for another six months or until the anticipated electronic system is implemented, whichever comes first. Brian Belmont will determine sale hours and any change will be posted. Current sale hours are 5:00–7:00 p.m. daily.

Other items of interest:

- The new hot water storage tank has been installed and is operational.
- An \$800 IRS credit balance will be applied to the 2005 tax return.
- The Greenbelt Committee is revising a list of plants for replacement planting.

- The indoor pool will be closed for approximately three weeks commencing on or about July 31 for repair, resurfacing and pool deck painting.
- It is expected Admiralty Condo Building 12 will be rebuilt by February 2006. Work is continuing on Building 13 and should be completed in September. Both buildings will be equipped with sprinklers.

LMC Board and Committee meetings (with the exception of Executive Board meetings) are open to all LMC members. Check at the Beach Club for dates and times.

The next LMC Board of Trustees Meeting will be held on **Saturday, August 13**, at 9:00 p.m. LMC members are encouraged to attend. Get involved...your community needs you. 🌴

Meet Brian Belmont



*Brian Belmont, the new Beach Club GM.
Photo by Carol Shamhart*

On July 1 Brian Belmont became the Beach Club's new General Manager. Working with former Manager Dick Smith for three weeks prior to taking over the reins resulted in a smooth transition.

Brian has lived in Jefferson County for over 25 years. He and his wife Patty recently celebrated their 21st wedding anniversary. They have four children and six (almost seven) grandchildren. Brian enjoys scuba diving, sports with the grandchildren, and is very close to his family and friends.

Although for the past 20 years Brian has been the General Manager at Kala Point, he is thrilled to now be a part of Port Ludlow. He is enjoying meeting the members and staff and is looking forward to the challenges ahead. Brian brings a wealth of information and experience in community association management and believes he will increase that knowledge working at Port Ludlow. He is a current member and past president of the Rotary Club of East Jefferson County and is a member of Washington State Community Associations Institute. Brian is very happy with his decision to become part of Port Ludlow and Port Ludlow is very fortunate to have found him.

North Bay Fine Arts Group

The North Bay Fine Arts Group (NBAG) has volunteered to provide an artwork hanging system for the south wall of the "Gallery" meeting room as a gift to the membership of the Beach Club. They feel they can provide a more balanced grouping and a more visually-pleasing display for the members' enjoyment by utilizing the facing walls (the north wall already has a system).

Francy Gronewald and Penny Sanzaro, co-chairpersons of the North Bay Lot Owners Association (NBLOA) Fine Arts Committee (NBAG), have volunteered to oversee and coordinate with Club Manager Brian Belmont tasteful bi-monthly art displays. The LMC Board of Trustees accepted this offer at their July 9 regular monthly meeting. The Committee would like to extend an invitation to any LMC artist member who would like to display his/her work to call Francy or Penny and submit a request for consideration and scheduling.

Due to scheduled work on the deck in front of the Gallery room, our next show will be delayed until the repairs are completed. We will advise by posters and e-mail when the new show will be hung. If you have any questions concerning displaying or workshop activities, call Francy at 437-2781 or Penny at 437-7970.

NBAG continues to have its weekly Friday afternoon workshops and welcomes newcomers at all times.

Hawaiian Lu'au and Entertainment

Tickets are still available for the Hawaii Club of Port Ludlow "local style" Lu'au, **Thursday, August 25**, at the Bay Club. Enjoy pupus and mai tais along with great Hawaiian music by Naki'i starting at 5:30 p.m. A full-course Hawaiian buffet with poi, lomi salmon, kalua pork, etc. starts at 6:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by the dancers of Na Hula O Kauhale No Nahele Kai, under the direction of Bernie Robinson. They'll share their love of the hula with you in an hour-long program of music and dance.

Tickets are \$25 per person and are available at the Beach Club; or mail your check payable to the Port Ludlow Hawaii Club to Bernie Robinson, 210 Dunsmuir Road, Port Ludlow, WA 98365. Any questions? Contact Bernie at 437-0703 or e-mail her at brob@olyopen.com.

Port Ludlow Arts, Crafts & Antiques Fair

by Penny Sanzaro



Mark your calendar for Labor Day Weekend to attend Port Ludlow's 30th Annual Arts, Crafts & Antiques Fair. The Fair will be held at the Beach Club from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on **Saturday and Sunday, September 3 and 4.**

All members of the Ludlow Maintenance Commission (LMC) are again invited to exhibit their creative works and antiques in this annual sale. One-of-a-kind arts and crafts offered for sale in previous years included such items as children's books, wood puzzles, handmade jewelry, knitted and sewn articles, paintings, flower arrangements, handmade greeting cards, handbags, needlework, candles, t-shirts, scarves, quilted items, stained glass, teddy bears, wood carvings, antiques and much more.

Join the fun! Exhibit your professional skills and talents. No commercially made items.

Entry fees are \$10 for a 6-foot table and \$14 for an 8-foot table. The Gazebo is also available for \$35. Fees must be paid in advance. Share a table or the Gazebo with a friend and split the cost.

Sign up at the Beach Club. Please fill in the information sheet provided. Reservations are on a first-come, first-served basis. For additional information or questions, call Penny Sanzaro at 437-7970 or Francy Gonewald at 437-2781.

The Jefferson Healthcare Hospital Auxiliary will also be holding its Annual Bake Sale at the Beach Club the same days and hours with all proceeds given to the hospital.

Welcome, New North Bay Residents

Anne Fangman	Yawl Lane
James and Margaret Gormly	Resolute Lane
Shirley Pappas	Montgomery Court
Brian and Monica Van Loon	Goliah Lane
Patricia White	P.O. Box only

News from The Beach Club

by Brian Belmont, General Manager

Brian Belmont, General Manager of the Beach Club, has announced there will be three different major construction/repair projects underway at the Beach Club during **August**. He asks everyone to be patient and says the staff will try to keep disruptions at a minimum.

The first project is the fire restoration of the women's locker room, which he hopes will have begun during the latter part of July and take approximately 10 weeks to complete. The general contractor, Nordic Services, and the Ludlow Maintenance Commission (LMC) will work closely with Jefferson County in an attempt to expedite the permitting process.

Rebuilding the walkway deck leading to the Gallery and the Gazebo rooms is the second project. It was expected to also start at the end of July and be finished by **Friday, August 12**. The project impacts access to the upper level rooms and the Cove Room below. Beach Club staff will work to make other arrangements for groups normally using these areas.

Resurfacing of the indoor swimming pool is the third project. The pool will be closed beginning July 31 and reopen on **Monday, August 15**.

Brian reminds everyone that start and completion dates aren't always cast in stone.

Family Movie Night Returns in September

Friday, September 9, is the date for the next Family Movie Night. All parents and children in Port Ludlow are welcome to attend. Films are shown on the odd Fridays of each month at the Bridge Deck. Movie dates for **September are the 9th and 23rd**.

Movie selection is chosen the evening of the showing. Show time is 7:00 p.m. and the film ends about 9:00 p.m. Popcorn and juice are provided. See you at the movies in **September!**

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SBCA Board Meeting

Thursday, August 4, 9:00 a.m.
All SBCA members are welcome. 🌲

South Bay Community Association (SBCA) Update

by Bill Browne, President, South Bay Community Association

July Board Reports and Commentary

The ARC Committee: An overview of the year's ARC activities indicates widespread homeowner interest in approved changes to CC&Rs. Members filed 135 requests for 39 different types of changes in their landscaping, home structure, and maintenance (e.g. painting, deck additions/replacements/removals, exterior structure and landscaping repair, roof repair or replacement). The SBCA ARC issued 58 permits and 77 were issued by individual village ARCs. We owe many thanks to the ARC members involved in the administration of our CC&Rs. As of July 1, only two cases remained under consideration.

Ad Hoc Tennis Committee: Members of the tennis community, the SBCA and Port Ludlow Associates (PLA) combined a modest sum plus a good deal of sweat to the restoration of the South Bay tennis courts. This demonstrates the power of cooperation among all interested parties. I encourage you to take a look at the facility on Highland Drive, across from the Golf Course, and then use it. The Committee is formulating plans for short-term maintenance of the current courts with a long-term goal of building new ones.

Use of Bay Club Facilities: The Bay Club has had a very busy year. There were 1,244 meetings (~24/week), 1,193 class sessions (~24/week), and 168 special events (~3/week), all held at the Clubhouse facility over the course of the past year. Villages held 77 meetings, while the SBCA Board and Committees held 55. The Arts Council met and 182 card playing/mahjong sessions were held. A total of 218 groups interested in art and hobbies met, along with the Men's Golf Association. The Computer Club held 126 meetings and classes, including special interest groups, genealogy, etc. The Port Ludlow

Village Council met bi-monthly, while their Trails/Natural Resources Committee met monthly.

Class sessions ranged from aqua-aerobics to dance and general exercise. Events included potluck suppers, cocktail parties, concerts, golf socials and dinners, health screening, trash bashes, Garden Club luncheons and meetings, Village annual meetings and related social gatherings, Free Spirits celebrations, Dine and Discover potlucks and speakers, plays, and Arts Council concerts and other events.

Over 27,282 members signed in for general use of the Bay Club. Last November the Club began staying open later in the evening hours, and over 200 members per month took advantage of these new hours. General use of the Club increased by 13 percent this past year. This is partly due to new members from 34 new homes and the increase in operating hours. Members purchased 10,722 reduced price ferry tickets at the Bay Club, and 85 members used the notary service provided by the Club.

SBCA Annual Meeting

by Bill Hansen

The Annual Meeting of the South Bay Community Association (SBCA) was held at the Bay Club on Friday, July 15. The agenda provided for officer and financial reports, election of members to the Board of Directors and a decision on annexing a new Village into the Association.

With 492 members eligible to vote, 392 or nearly 80 percent cast ballots—a record response. Members selected Roy Kraft, Jack McKay, Tom Stone and Connie Wilkinson to the Board for two-year terms. A slate calling themselves the Reformation candidates, composed of Del Jacobs, Richard Rozzell, Randall Shelley and Robert Skodis, ran in opposition to recent Board actions.

Prior to the election, each of the eight candidates was given an opportunity to speak. Most of the presentations centered around the Board’s cautious approach to resolving the issue of multiple sets of Master Declarations filed by the Developer and its predecessors.

One resident, unwilling to comply with current regulations, had caused the Board to take legal action to determine whether the current CC&Rs are in fact legal and enforceable. Twenty-three villages and sub-villages have the same regulations, while two were set up with different rules. A charge that legal problems could arise in resale of properties was made. The matter is expected to be a prime issue for the new Board.

SBCA members were also asked to decide whether to annex Olympic Terrace II, which is in early stages of development. The action would allow the new homeowners to have access to the facilities and activities of the Bay Club and participate in the organization’s business. The election results, over 300 for and 15 against, demonstrated the strong support of the membership to approve annexation.

South Bay operational funds are normally generated through member fees. A suggestion that the Developer should provide upfront monies for new villages generated strong opinions pro and con. Candidates were again divided and those elected spoke in favor of supporting the Board’s position.

Following adjournment a social hour was held.

South Bay Gains Eight New Members

Please welcome:

Robert and Tan Ebert	Fairwood Village
Donald and Jan Givens	Olympic Terrace
Roger and LeAnndra Harmon	Olympic Terrace
Stephen and Carol Holmes	Bayview Village
Diane Ruff	Teal Lake Village
Marvin and Heather Segar	Bayview Village
Paul and Kathleen Traci	Ludlow Point Village IV
David and Jane Wheeler	Olympic Terrace

Bay Club Summer Hours

The Bay Club will be open every Sunday, noon to 4:00 p.m., during the month of **August**.

Free Spirits Forecast

The Free Spirits have put together another exciting program for the 2005-2006 year. We started off with our customary Independence Day celebration, and were blessed with a gorgeous day to devour our hot dogs, hamburgers and salads—while being serenaded by the talented Choral Belles singing patriotic songs.

Our next event is the Halloween Party on **Monday, October 31**, with prizes for the best costumes. Come and laugh as well as appreciate the artistic talents of your neighbors in their crazy costumes.

The annual Holiday Party is scheduled for **Saturday, December 10**. Our guest chefs for this event promise to make it a memorable festivity with a Scandinavian holiday theme.

For Valentine’s Day in **February**, Master Chef Jon Olsen will prepare a romantic fine-dining experience featuring roast beef. Our final event of the year will be the Cinco de Mayo celebration. We are still scouting for a volunteer chef to take charge of this dinner. Please call any Board member if you would like to take the baton for this event.

The following are the Free Spirits Board responsibilities for the year:

- President: Bill Schoenemann
- Vice President: Dan Clinkenbeard
- Treasurer: Bob Duncan
- Secretary: Barbara Landi
- Publicity: Marti Duncan
- Volunteer Coordinator: Betty Kingston
- Table Setting Queen: Millie Reed
- Decorations: Lee Brush and Betty Hites

If you have not signed up for membership, there is still time. Join your friends to commiserate about health problems, neighborhood gossip, politics and grandchildren. Don’t be sorry when the Holiday Party comes around and you haven’t signed up, as it is always sold out! For information, call Bill Schoenemann, 437-2583. 🍷

South Bay Members’ Cocktail Party

If you are not boating or otherwise venturing off to faraway places, be sure to attend the monthly cocktail party at the Bay Club, **Friday August 12**, at 5:00 p.m. Bring an appetizer to share and enjoy the opportunity to reconnect with all of your South Bay neighbors. 🍷

Arts and Entertainment

This section features news on Port Ludlow arts and entertainment events as well as a performing arts calendar for Jefferson, Clallam and Kitsap Counties. Submit news and calendar items to Beverly Rothenborg, editor, at rothenborg@waypt.com by the 10th of the preceding month.

Cool Jazz on a Hot Night II

by Lenetta Johnson



Cool Jazz features local musician Skip Morris and friends. Submitted photo

Calling all Port Ludlow residents! By popular demand, the North Bay Lot Owners Association (NBLOA) will sponsor “Cool Jazz on a Hot Night II,” with the Skip Morris Quintet, **Sunday, August 14, 7:00-9:30 p.m.**, at the Beach

Club. Morris will be featured with his friends, George Radabaugh, Ted Enderle, Tom Svornich and Rex Rice.

Admission is \$15 per person and tickets are on sale now at the Beach Club. Beverages and snacks will be available.

Call your friends and book a table for an evening of easy listening and dancing. A larger crowd is expected this year, so get your reservation in early as seating is limited. If you have any questions, call Lenetta Johnson at 360-215-0171.

Don't Miss the Music and the Picnic!

by Bev Rothenborg, Arts and Entertainment Editor

There's quite a group of music-loving gourmets planning to attend a potluck picnic at the Olympic Music Festival on **Saturday, August 13**, prior to the Concert in the Barn. The picnic, sponsored by the Port Ludlow Friends of the Festival, attracted 50 people last year to a wonder-

ful afternoon of food and music. This year the concert will include quartets by Haydn, Mendelssohn and Grieg performed by the Festival musicians.

The Festival in Quilcene is a short 15-minute drive from Port Ludlow. We'll gather at our reserved tables around noon to sample delicious potluck picnic fare. Bring enough to serve you and your guests and some to share. Tables and benches are available, but bring your lawn chair or blanket for extra seating, as well as picnic dishes and utensils.

After dining, we'll select our seats in the 120-year-old barn. Your choices are comfortable padded pews or a cozy hay bale (my personal favorite!). Reserved seating for handicapped guests is available. The music begins at 2:00 p.m. Brochures describing the Festival are available at the Bay Club.

We will be able to enjoy a group-rate discount of \$18 per ticket (regularly \$22 and \$24). To take advantage of this reduced price, make your check payable to me for the number of tickets you wish to purchase and mail to 20A North Keel Way, Port Ludlow. I will distribute tickets on the day of the performance or in advance, if that is your preference.

After **Wednesday, August 10**, you may have to pay the higher rate. Of course, there is always lawn seating, too, and the music is broadcast over loudspeakers. The prices for those tickets are \$12 advance and \$14 at the gate (children under 6 are admitted free to the lawn). Please make your own reservations for lawn seating by calling 206-527-8839. You may still enjoy our picnic! For questions, call Suzanne Graber at 437-8081 or yours truly at 437-0505.

If you've been to the Festival, you know what a wonderful day is in store! If you haven't, get ready to enjoy a highlight of our Pacific Northwest summer.

Outstanding Musical Fare, Minutes from Home

by Barbara Wagner-Jauregg

The Arts Council is pleased to announce its Fourteenth Annual season of Performing Arts in Port Ludlow. Each of the seven concerts in the 2005-2006 series features outstanding professionals, personally auditioned by Council members. Concerts will be held at the Bay Club and feature performers from the Northwest and across Canada. The end result is an eclectic mix including jazz, blues, folk, pop, country, Mediterranean, flamenco and Latin. Classically trained singers will perform ballads, songs from musical theater, pop opera, and classical opera. Plus a Victorian-flavored holiday extravaganza will put you in a festive spirit.

Port Ludlow's Arts Council has been presenting concerts for the past thirteen years. These events are part of the vital fiber in the fabric of Port Ludlow. Offered as an alternative to lengthy and costly outings to Seattle, Performing Arts in Port Ludlow brings high-caliber professionals to our doorstep—only minutes from home! No bridge waits, ferry lines and fares, no parking fees—but outstanding entertainment—and only minutes from home.

As a prelude to Port Ludlow's FunFest celebration, the Arts Council will hold its gala champagne opening concert on **Friday, September 30**, at 8:00 p.m., featuring the Jeni Fleming Acoustic Trio, out of Bozeman, Montana. This beautiful and exciting young female vocalist will perform jazz, breezy folk and vibrant pop. She is joined by husband Jake Fleming on guitar and saxophone, and Chad Langford on bass. Enjoy complimentary champagne up until 15 minutes before curtain.

Henri Loiselle, sometimes called the Pavarotti of the Prairies since he hails from Saskatchewan, is back for a return engagement. He'll appear **Wednesday, November 16**, at 7:30 p.m. Singing softly with heart-warming tenderness or soaring to incredible heights with his powerful baritone voice, Henri will perform songs from Broadway, country favorites and ballads as well as familiar folk, classical and opera selections.

The Arts Council's Christmas concert, performed in the beautifully decorated Bay Club, has become a holiday tradition. On **Sunday, December 11**, at 3:00 p.m., Brass Rings with William O'Meara will appear in "Time For Christmas." These five musicians will create a Victorian-flavored holiday extravaganza for the whole family by incorporating theater, movement and spoken word.

The magic of a wildly entertaining Canadian folk trio, teamed with a champion fiddler/clogger, and presented in a cabaret or pub setting, will take the audience on a delightful romp, **Saturday, January 7**, at 8:00 p.m.

The Ecclestons take the power of Canadian Celtic soul and, with the magic of their performing, exhibit great energy, share fine stories and have a wonderful time. Appearing with fiddler Ivonne Hernandez, this ensemble will turn an audience of strangers into a family connected by the roots of music.



The Ecclestons with fiddler/clogger Ivonne Hernandez burst with energy. Submitted Photo

The Michael Strickland Trio, featuring piano, bass and woodwinds, will perform familiar jazz and blues tunes on **Sunday, February 12**, at 3:00 p.m. Strickland's own memorable classical, jazz and blues styles have been inspired by the great jazz and popular pianists Henry Mancini, Peter Nero, George Gershwin and Dave Grusin. His 13-year-old daughter Elizabeth, a classical pianist, will join him on stage.

Three classically trained, incredibly talented, young lyric tenors have been thrilling audiences across North America and Europe—they are The Canadian Tenors—and on **Sunday, March 12**, at 3:00 p.m., they will present their repertoire covering a wide range of music—ballads, musical theater, opera, pop opera and some of the world's most beloved songs.

The season concludes on **Thursday, April 20**, at 7:30 p.m., with Pavlo, *A Mediterranean Man*. A dynamic and captivating composer, guitarist and recording artist, Pavlo's music is best described as Mediterranean—a combination of Flamenco, Latin, classical and Mediterranean



The dynamic Pavlo, A Mediterranean Man, is a captivating performer Submitted photo

guitar with the Greek bouzouki. Backed up by a band of four, Pavlo is a dynamic and captivating performer.

Ticket Options

Ticket packages are now available at the Bay Club. By purchasing either of two packages, you'll save 12 and 1/2 percent of the price of individual tickets. By far the most popular ticket package is the six-concert Flex Pass for \$84. Now Snowbirds and people with travel plans, who order their tickets by mail, can specify particular concerts with their Flex Pass order. Your pass will be punched and the requested tickets mailed to you. But for guaranteed center seats in prime up-front locations, you should purchase a seven-concert season ticket for \$98. Then you'll know your seat will be one of the best in the house and you'll get a coupon for a free glass of wine. To purchase by mail, send a check and stamped self-addressed envelope to P. O. Box 65210, Port Ludlow, WA 98365.

Individual concert tickets are priced at \$16 each and will be available for sale at the Bay Club approximately one month before each concert.

Performing Arts Calendar

Friday and Saturday, August 5 and 6

Take a musical journey with the most amazing acoustic blues players in the world when Centrum's Blues & Heritage Festival comes to Port Townsend with intimate club shows both nights and two performances at McCurdy Pavilion, Saturday, 1:30 and 7:00 p.m., 385-3102, www.centrum.org.

Fridays and Saturdays, August 5 through August 20

Bleacher Bums, a nine-inning comedy, which unfolds in a row of bleachers where an assorted bunch of characters gathers to root for their hapless Chicago Cubs against the hated St. Louis Cardinals, Poulsbo, 8:00 p.m., 360-779-9688, www.jewelboxpoulsbo.org.

Saturday and Sunday, August 6 and 7

This weekend you'll hear quartet masterworks by Haydn, Beethoven and Brahms at the Olympic Music Festival's Concerts in the Barn, Quilcene, grounds open at noon, concert begins at 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839, www.olympicmusicfestival.org.

Saturday, August 13

American dance pioneer Bill Evans brings a diverse group of performers to McCurdy Pavilion, Port Townsend, for Centrum's inspiring evening of modern dance, jazz, tap, and improv, 7:30 p.m., 385-3102, www.centrum.org.

Saturday and Sunday, August 13 and 14

Composers Haydn, Mendelssohn and Grieg and a variety of string quartets are featured when Concerts in the Barn continue at the Olympic Music Festival, Quilcene, grounds open at noon, concert begins at 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839, www.olympicmusicfestival.org. Join Port Ludlow Friends of the Music Festival for a potluck picnic preceding the Saturday concert. Call Bev Rothenborg at 437-0505 for your discounted tickets.

Sunday, August 14

CanUS, the popular jazz band from across the border, performs at the Jazz in the Olympics event, Eagles Club, Port Angeles, 1:00–4:00 p.m., large dance floor, food and bar available, 360-681-0710.

Sunday, August 14

Cool Jazz on a Hot Night II, features Skip Morris and Friends performing music both old and new, 7:00 p.m., Beach Club, Port Ludlow, 360-215-0171.

Saturday, August 20

The Onion Twins is a dance opera which brings together a chamber orchestra of live musicians, singers, a narrator, and five dancers plus guest performers from the Port Townsend community, 7:30 p.m., McCurdy Pavilion, 385-3102, www.centrum.org.

Saturday and Sunday, August 20 and 21

Quintets by Shostakovich and Mozart plus a sonata by Debussy are the program for Olympic Music Festival's Concerts in the Barn, Quilcene, grounds open at noon, music begins at 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839, www.olympicmusicfestival.org.

Saturday, August 27

Just give them suggestions for building scenes and watch them go! *What Happens Next?* is the Jewel Box Theatre's amazing improv comedy troupe, 8:00 p.m., Poulsbo, www.jewelboxtheatre.org.

Saturday and Sunday, August 27 and 28

At the weekend's Olympic Music Festival, you'll hear music for strings, piano and clarinet by composers Dvorak, Bartok and Mozart when Concerts in the Barn continue in Quilcene, grounds open at noon, concert begins at 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839, www.olympicmusicfestival.org.

Jefferson County Fair

Explore with Lewis and Clark as they discover the 68th Annual Jefferson County Fair, **Friday, August 12, through Sunday, August 14**. Join Lewis and Clark "On the Trail" in their epic adventure as they search for a water route to the Pacific and explore the uncharted West.

For more information call the Fair Office, 385-1013, from **Monday through Friday**, 9:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. or go to www.jeffcofairgrounds.com.

Hidden Thespian?

Readers' Theater will meet **Wednesday, August 10**, 6:30–8:30 p.m. at the Beach Club. The group sight-reads plays from melodramas to Shakespeare—all interpretations are welcome. For more information, call Val Durling at 437-2861 or Melanie Lewis at 437-9088.

Three Artists at Northwind

From **Friday, August 19, until Monday, September 26**, Northwind Arts Center in Port Townsend showcases an eclectic mix of ideas and media with the works of Mark Allen, Mike McCollum and Irene Yesley. The Arts Center is open **Friday through Monday**, noon to 6:00 p.m. In conjunction with this show, there will be a “Coffee, Talk and Dessert” lecture on **Friday, August 19**, at 7:00 p.m. There is a suggested donation of \$3 for Jefferson Arts Alliance members and \$6 for non-members. For more information, call the Center at 379-1086 or visit www.northwindarts.org.

Mark Allen’s found-material boxes can represent a window on a bygone world or a box holding a fading memory. He says, “With boxes there is an enclosure around my work, acting as a frame, but it’s part of the work, an extension, not just something tacked on.” Mike McCollum has worked in many media, but currently is fascinated with wood. Irene Yesley has moved from weaving rugs and tapestries to works on paper and unstretched canvas. Currently, she creates three-dimensional work using layers of Lucite in combination with paper and canvas.

There will be a reception for the artists on **Saturday, September 3**, 5:30–8:00 p.m., during Port Townsend’s monthly Gallery Walk.

Arts, Crafts, Music and Dancing at Uptown Fair

The Port Townsend Arts Guild will stage its 14th annual Uptown Craft Fair on **Saturday, August 20**, in conjunction with the Uptown Street Fair sponsored by local merchants. The Uptown Fair will be held in the vicinity of Lawrence and Tyler Streets in Port Townsend, near the newly re-built Aldrich’s Grocery.

The fair promises to be filled with fun for all with music, crafts, food, art activities, dancing, and a parade at 1:00 p.m. Festivities begin at 10:00 a.m. and run until 5:00 p.m., with the street dancing continuing until 7:00 p.m.

In addition to the Uptown Fair, the Kiwanis will hold their huge car show a few blocks away downtown in Memorial Field.

For fair information or a booth application, call (360) 379-3813. Information on the fair can also be found on www.ptguide.com.

Port Ludlow Chamber of Commerce

Summer Mixer

Again this year, thanks to our friends at Meydenbauer Bay Yacht Club (MBYC), our Summer Barbeque Mixer will be held at their Port Ludlow Outstation, at 351 South Bay Lane, on **Wednesday, August 3**. We will be starting about 4:30 p.m. All our members, Port Ludlow residents interested in our Chamber, and Chamber members from Port Townsend, Port Hadlock, and Quilcene are invited.

Who knows...Elvis may even show up!

This is a great mixer to attend. Good people and good food.

RSVP (please) to sterling@ludlowmortgage.com or 437-0120.

Our sponsors are:

- Ludlow Mortgage, Inc., great place for your mortgage needs
- Dana Pointe Interiors, Inc., great place for home interior design ideas
- Port Ludlow Chamber of Commerce, great place to be a member
- MBYC, great neighbors

Hood Canal Bridge Closures

Our Washington State Department of Transportation has confirmed the two **August** Hood Canal Bridge closure dates. The first closure is a weekend closure from 8:00 p.m., **Thursday, August 11**, to 4:00 a.m., **Sunday, August 15**. The second closure is a weekday closure from 8:00 p.m., **Sunday, August 21**, to 4:00 a.m., **Thursday, August 25**.

The Port Ludlow Chamber of Commerce is working to help our businesses with the second closure, which is a weekday closure. We are trying to sponsor a passenger-only ferry from Port Ludlow to Kingston for the **Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, August 22, 23 and 24**, closures. We are hoping for 18 trips to Kingston to coincide with the Aqua Express sailings to and from Seattle. Details are still being finalized. The Chamber is also seeking sponsors for this worthy project. If you are interested in helping with sponsorships, please call Sterling Couch at Ludlow Mortgage Inc., 437-0210.

Port Ludlow Associates

Use the Inn At Port Ludlow to Stay Close to Friends and Family

by Rebecca Ammeter, General Manager, The Resort at Port Ludlow

Not everyone has an inn in his or her backyard.

The Inn At Port Ludlow is a delightful amenity for community residents because it provides a fun way to stay close to friends and family. The Inn can serve as the centerpiece for memorable get-togethers that will charm your friends and family and help ensure that you'll see the people you love more often.

With a little creativity and some "packaging," it's easy to come up with irresistible reunions. Here are some ideas to begin with:

Family Golf Tournament: If you come from a family that loves golf, why not put together an unusual family gathering centered on golf at Port Ludlow? Start with a creative invitation for family members to come to a golf getaway and stay at The Inn At Port Ludlow. If people can leave during the week, the Inn offers special Mid-Week Rates. Assign family members to foursomes that will compete against one another. The foursome with the best scores wins a prize. You can make up special "prize" categories so that everyone comes away with something. Prizes can be inexpensive "just for fun" gag gifts. Book a family "awards" dinner at either the Fireside or The Harbormaster. A special touch to consider—make up simple gift baskets with a golf theme. Bring them to us at the Inn, and we'll place one in each family member's room to greet them when they arrive.

Treasure Hunt: Gather your technology-oriented friends together for a treasure hunt at Port Ludlow. The Inn offers "Geoteaming," essentially a treasure hunt using hand-held Global Positioning System (GPS) devices. Participants also use a two-way radio, a personal digital assistant (PDA) and a digital camera. We'll help you "hide" the "treasure." A treasure hunt theme (ships, pirates, treasures) offers numerous creative possibilities for you to have some fun with invitations, dinners, party themes, etc. (minimum of 15 people). With some advance planning, you and your "pirate" friends can save money with the Fireside's Early Dining Specials, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.,

Sunday through Thursday, and The Harbormaster's Happy Hour, 3:30 to 6:30 p.m., **Monday through Friday.**

Mother-Daughter/Father-Son Getaways: Maybe you have a child that's away at college or grown up and living on his or her own, and you're thinking it would be nice to spend some quality time together. Plan a mother-daughter or father-son escape with a stay at The Inn At Port Ludlow. Mothers and daughters may want to focus on pampering, including an in-room massage at the Inn, and appointments for pedicures and manicures at a local nail salon. Fathers and sons may want their getaway to revolve around sports, such as golf or boating.

Other themes you might want to consider for family and friends include hiking, bird watching, kayaking, boating and sailing, fishing, jazz and blues, food, history or antiques. And don't forget, the Inn stands ready to help you celebrate special occasions, such as birthdays, weddings and anniversaries.

Share Your Ideas

If you put together a great Port Ludlow getaway with family or friends, consider sharing your ideas with us. We'll post the best ideas on the website, and we're always looking for ideas featuring Port Ludlow residents for our advertising efforts.

Call us at The Inn At Port Ludlow, 437-7000. We're ready to help you stay close to your loved ones!

Are You at Risk for Vascular Disease or Stroke?

Harrison Hospital and Life Line Screening will provide a free exam for those who may be at risk for vascular disease and stroke on **Tuesday, August 16**, at their Silverdale Hospital. If you are over 60 and have at least one risk factor, you are a good candidate for this test. Risk factors include smoking, high blood pressure, heart or lung disease, or a family history of abdominal aortic aneurysm.

Early detection of vascular disease or stroke can prevent serious and even fatal outcomes. Call 1-866-220-7283 toll-free to schedule an appointment.

Mariners' News

Dock Talk

by Kori I. Ward, Port Ludlow Marina Manager

National Marina Day Celebration

Port Ludlow Marina will celebrate the fourth annual National Marina Day on **Saturday, August 13**. National Marina Day is an annual celebration of the important role marinas play in waterfront communities all across America. Each day, this country's marinas serve as safe, family-friendly gateways to boating and as stewards of the environment.

The entire community is invited to visit Port Ludlow Marina on National Marina Day to learn about the Marina and enjoy the following events:

9:00 a.m. to noon

- Underwater shore clean up performed by Marine Dive Services and Ultimate Boat Care, who will donate their time and energy
- Boat rides will be offered by Port Ludlow Yacht Club volunteers
- The Etchell fleet invites you to join them for a race around Ludlow Bay
- One hour of free kayaking around Ludlow Bay
- Donuts and coffee
- A National Marina Day visor to the first 50 visitors

1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

- Live music from the Dukes of Dabob!
- Barbecue

Important Reminders

- Pick up your barbecue ticket at the Marina through **Monday, August 1**
- Two free tickets for each Marina tenant
- \$10 per person for our friends, family, and neighbors
- Please RSVP by **Monday, August 1** for boat rides, Etchell rides, and kayaks

Crab Rally

- Crab derby continues through the end of **August**
- Boundaries are from Ludlow Bay northeast to Mats Mats Bay, south to the Hood Canal Bridge
- All participants must have a valid shellfish license

- No commercial activity allowed
- Must be a Dungeness crab
- No soft-shell crabs
- Crab must be alive for measuring
- At the end of the season, the person with the largest crab receives a dinner for two at the Resort at Port Ludlow.

No Boat, No Crab Pot, No Worries Mate!

- Boat rental special continues through end of **August**
- 1 and 1/2 hours boat rental
- Crab pot and accessories rental
- Bait
- 1 bag of ice
- Ice chest

Come take advantage of some of the best crabbing on the Puget Sound! Take home the big one!

Coast Guard Auxiliary's Classes Take Break

The "How to" boating series, sponsored by Flotilla 41 of the U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary (USCG), continues its hiatus during the month of **August**. The series continues with a class on weather, **Wednesday, September 7**.



The USCG's Advanced Coastal Navigation Course, Part I, continues throughout the summer with instruction on piloting on **Monday, August 1**, 7:00–10:00 p.m., at the Fire Station. Cost is \$10. In addition, participants pay a one-time charge of \$35 for course materials covering the entire series.

For further information on all of USCG training opportunities, check the Flotilla's website at www.uscgaux.org/~1300401. To register call David Aho at 360-302-0113, a cell phone, or e-mail address daho@cablespeed.com.

Speed Limit in Port Ludlow Bay

5 mph

No Wake, It's the Law!



Tide Timber Trail

Dog Talk

by Kevin Earl, Director of Golf, Port Ludlow Golf Course

FunFest in Port Ludlow

Slated for **Saturday and Sunday, October 1 and 2**, this event is a re-incarnation of a past event. Barbara Bradford has taken the lead and organized an army of volunteers. This could become an annual tradition that our community marks on their calendars early every year.

As part of the two-day event there will be a FunFest Golf Tournament. Early planning involves some events that we are looking into: a junior clinic, 9 hole junior event and an 18-hole tournament with awards. (See related story on page 30.)

Vandalism

Sadly, I need to report that the Golf Course has been the target of vandalism. Our 12-person van has been stolen and since recovered, the entry ship near the 4th green has been destroyed, and mustard sprayed on the 8th green. Each of these events has taken place since my last article; and if anybody has information, please contact me or any of our staff.

Member Guest

Slated for **Thursday and Friday, August 11 and 12**, 40 teams will be competing for the honor and the glory—and a trophy. This will be the biggest event of the year with both men's and ladies' flights competing in six different flights in a Match/Stableford format. Good luck to all participants.

Congratulations to our 2005 match play champions:

1st flight: Ken Baldwin

2nd flight: Harry Jevas

3rd flight: Jim Watson

Make a note of the Club Championship slated for **Monday, Wednesday and Friday, August 15, 17 and 19**.

Clubhouse Update

October 2005 still is the scheduled demolition date of the clubhouse. Early work for the trailers and parking lot will be moving forward in late **August**.

Rules of Golf

by Dave Ramsay

Every once in a while, we hear the question about a ball coming to rest on a bridge crossing a water hazard (three times in the last few weeks, leading me to believe that it is happening more often than one would imagine). It is true that your ball is resting on an obstruction, but since the obstruction is within the margins of a hazard, you do not receive relief. However, unlike in a normal lie within a hazard, you are allowed to ground your club on an obstruction within a hazard. It is always permissible to ground your club at address or in the backward movement for the stroke, since an obstruction in a hazard is not "ground under repair." See Rule 13 and Decision 13-4/30, and do try to stay away from those hazards!

Four architect renderings are hanging in Niblick's for anybody who wants to take an early peek at the design. Bring out the sunblock and sunglasses!

Nifty Niners' August Schedule

by Beverly Browne

On **Thursday, August 4**, the Nifty Niners men and women will participate in the Homer Smith Play Day. The game begins at 8:21 a.m. on Timber. This will be Captain's Cup game no. 3 for the ladies. They will compete for Low Net and Low Gross.

August is apparently "togetherness month" because ladies and men play Mixed Couples on **Thursday, August 11**, on Timber. The yet-to-be-announced game will commence at 8:00 a.m. Another couples' event on **Thursday, August 18**, is a Shotgun to be played on Tide at 9:00 a.m. Couples will play "Sexist Best Ball." Play will be followed by a potluck at the Bay Club to recharge everyone's batteries.

On **Thursday, August 25**, the ladies break free of the men and host an exchange with the Dungeness, Sunland, and Discovery Bay ladies at 9:00 a.m. on Timber. They will play a four-person shotgun. Sign in by 8:00 a.m. at the

Pro Shop. Players will be served coffee, muffins and other goodies. After the game the ladies will lunch at Niblick's, verbally replay their best shots, and complain about their worst ones. The men will improve their mental discipline with a Low Net Minus Worst Hole on Tide beginning at 8:03 a.m.

Moving into September, Nifty Niners ladies will play a Modified Mexican Standoff on Tide on **Thursday, September 1** at 8:00 a.m. The men play Individual Low Net in the Ludlow Challenge on Timber beginning at 8:03 a.m.

Homer Smith Memorial Golf Tournament

On **Monday, August 29**, the Homer Smith Insurance Agency is hosting the 28th annual Homer Smith Memorial Golf Tournament at the Port Ludlow Golf Course.

The tournament is a 9:00 a.m. shotgun with an Individual Low Net format. Members of the Men's and Women's Golf Associations are eligible to compete that day; and, for the first time, Homer Smith III is cordially inviting all Port Ludlow residents to participate in this 18-hole tournament. The greens fee is \$40 for non-members and \$10 for a golf cart. Sign up at the Port Ludlow Clubhouse or contact Michael Graham at michaelg@cablespeed.com.

Members of the Men's and Women's Niners will hold their tournament on **Thursday, August 4**. The format will be Individual Low Net.

An awards ceremony, hosted by the Homer Smith Insurance Company, will be held at the Bay Club following the **Monday, August 29**, tournament. Refreshments and heavy hors d'oeuvres will be served at 4:00 p.m., with the awards presentations and raffle scheduled for 5:00 p.m.

Women's Golf Association (WGA)

by Debi Bozanich, Captain

August is another very busy month for the Women's Golf Association so watch for notices and sign-up sheets so you don't miss out on any of our events. We would like to extend a warm welcome to new member Nancy Schamadan.

We have two league-play challenges this month—**Monday, August 8**, at Alderbrook and **Monday, August 29**, at Rolling Hills. Lucinda Thompson will be coordinating our team participants and tee times.

The Men's Golf Association and the staff at Port Ludlow Golf Club are coordinating the fourth annual Member/Guest Tournament. The event runs from **Thursday, August 11, through Saturday, August 13**.

Our Club Championship Tournament is scheduled for **Tuesday, August 16, and continues Monday and Tuesday, August 22 and 23**. Chairperson Nancy Cooper will be in charge of the event. Winners will be recognized on final day of play with a luncheon for all members and also receive special awards at our end-of-year banquet.

Smack dab in the middle of our Club Championship is the Semiahmoo/Shuksan Golf Gal Get-Away for **Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 17, 18 and 19**, coordinated by Barbara Adams.

Tie down your shoelaces and get ready for the first Washington State Women's Public Links Association Tournament on **Thursday, August 25**. We have a 12-noon shotgun start and women from all over the state will be here for the competition.

And now it is time for some recognition: Congratulations to Linda Aho, our Captain's Cup Match Play Tournament winner. Many thanks to Carol Shamhart who managed a very successful and profitable garage sale in May. Hats off to Turney Oswald who coordinated our Ladies Guest Day on Thursday, June 30. And I would like Sandie Yonke to take a big bow for her outstanding administration of another successful Rally for a Cure tournament, which exceeded last year's donation to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

Electric Car is Top Prize at Port Ludlow FunFest Golf Tournament

Anyone can win a prize at the FunFest Open on **Saturday, October 1**, at 10:00 a.m. All tournament players are eligible for a hole-in-one contest on a Timber par 3 sponsored by the Columbia Electric Automobile Company. The first person that makes this perfect shot will win a street-legal electric car valued at over \$13,000.

In addition to 25 competitive prizes, all entrants will be given a "Tee" prize for simply striking the little white ball. Ladies will tee off on Tide and finish on Timber. Gentlemen will tee off on Timber and finish on Tide. The entry fee is \$39 for general entrants. Port Ludlow Golf Club members pay only \$15 to enter. Calloway handicapping

will be used for those without a GHIN handicap. Any profit will be donated to a yet undecided charity.

First prize for low net men and women is a beautiful framed print of the Port Ludlow golf course. There are second and third place low net prizes as well. Other prizes include:

- Low gross prizes and KPs on all four par-three holes for men and women
- The longest putt prize for women on Timber No. 18
- A “Nostradamus” prize awarded to any lady that can correctly predict her score
- A “sandbagger” prize for men who shoot better than their predicted score
- Fewest putts prizes for both men and women

The Port Townsend golf team will help by hitting balls for participants on selected holes. Balls can be purchased for \$3; the revenue goes toward defraying the Club’s expenses.

A Junior/Young Adult 9-hole clinic and tournament will be held in conjunction with the adult Funfest. The free putting and range clinic will be hosted at the Golf Club from noon to 1:00 p.m. There is a \$15 entry fee for juniors. Ted Wurtz, PGA professional, will manage the clinic. Boys and girls will compete for prizes in age divisions (8-11 years, 12-15 years, and 16-18 years). There will be special tee areas, 100 yards from the greens, for the youngest golfers. Juniors will compete in a putting contest with prizes in each age group.

The Columbia electric car will be on display on the tee at Timber No. 5. A factory representative will be available to answer questions. Apparently it only costs 40 cents to fill up the street-legal car. Be sure to see it!

Sign up for the FunFest Tournament at the Golf Club. The last day to register is **Monday, September 26.**

To support the Golf Tournament and Port Ludlow FunFest 2005 you can donate:

- Hole sponsorship at \$30
- Silent auction items (e.g., Seahawks tickets, dinner for four, condo stays, Seattle trips)
- Prizes (money to purchase or items to award)
- Items for tournament entry bags

To contribute or get information, contact Bill McKinley, Tournament Chair, at 437-1800.

Thanks to Rally For A Cure Contributors

Thanks go to the following businesses from Port Ludlow and surrounding communities that contributed goods and services to the 2005 Raffle For A Cure, held in conjunction with the Rally for a Cure Golf tournament. They are:

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More than \$800 was raised by this year’s raffle. The donation to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation from the Golf Tournament and Raffle exceeded last year’s. Thank you, one and all! Support our contributors and let them know how much they are appreciated.

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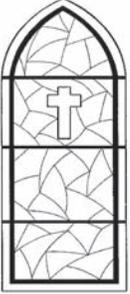


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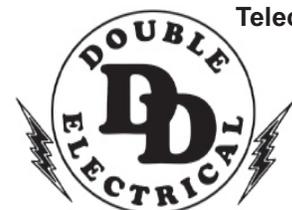
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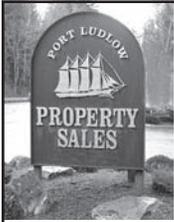
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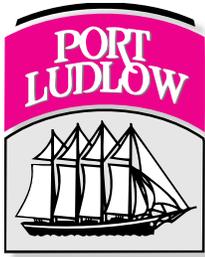
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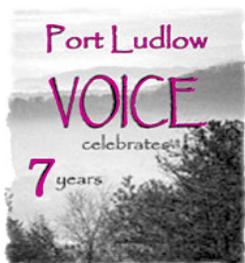
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