

PORT LUDLOW VOICE

So. Bay Owners Getting Village Council Info

The presidents of South Bay homeowner associations met Monday, January 11th, and discussed member selection for a first-year, "experimental" Village Council. They agreed it was essential to communicate more fully with South Bay property owners on this issue.

They decided to create and distribute material to owners. The material has three goals: first, to summarize the Village Council proposal and provide answers to frequently asked questions; second, to survey resident support for launching the Council for a trial year and third, to solicit applicants for the four South Bay council member positions.

All South Bay owners should have received this information before the end of January. If you have not, contact one of your association officers. Responses and applications are requested by Monday, **February 8th**. The association presidents will meet after that date to select a slate of candidates for a general (South Bay) election.

LMC Rejects Village Council As Presented

The LMC formally rejected the Articles and By-laws regarding the formation of a Village Council. The rejection was because of some of the language in the documents.

The LMC has prepared a list of recommended changes that will be presented to the Governance Committee of CLOA. Meanwhile it is apparent that a vote for the election of Council members is desired and it is anticipated that nominations will soon be forthcoming.

Light At The End Of The Drainpipe

By George L. Dyer, Jr.

As a result of a negotiation on December 30th, 1998, between the LMC Drainage Committee and ORM, there may be some light at the end of the drainpipe concerning some of our more immediate drainage problems. At the very end of the meeting, when it appeared that nothing had been accomplished and that litigation would ensue, Greg McCarry made an offer that, in return for a release by the LMC of ORM from all liability to the LMC with respect to drainage matters, ORM would repair the 30-inch drainpipe in the drainage easement between Lots 48 and 49, Port Ludlow No. 2, Area 1.

If the LMC accepts ORM's proposal, and ORM repairs the 30-inch pipe, what will be accomplished? Erosion of the seaward bank will be reduced. Other progress depends primarily upon the County. We have had serious flooding problems, particularly on Montgomery Lane. The principal cause of the flooding has been excess water coming from the Oak Bay Road ditch system, where it collects, down Montgomery and Baldwin Lanes and turning south on Montgomery, where the ditches and culverts are simply too small to handle the aggregated amount.

LMC members Walt Cairn and Bill Wilke, both engineers, have devised a relatively simple solution, which calls for regrading the pertinent part of the Oak Bay Road ditch system, which is substantially level, so that the water runs south to the access to the 30-inch drainpipe to be repaired by ORM, instead of north to the Montgomery and Baldwin Lane ditch system. Because the Oak Bay Road ditch

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system is part of the County right of way, the regrading work will have to be done by the County.

If the County does the regrading work and also repairs the connecting culvert under Montgomery Lane, near Libby Court, Montgomery Lane's flooding problems will be substantially reduced. Otherwise, they won't be. At present the culvert repair by the County is temporarily held up by weather, electric line complications and other problems.

Should the LMC accept ORM's offer and give up the right to litigate the issue of responsibility for repair and maintenance of the North Bay drainage systems? Before and during the meeting on December 30th, 1998, the LMC was particularly frustrated by ORM's insistence that nothing could be done except as part of a long-term North Bay drainage plan. On October 16th, 1998, the President of the LMC wrote to ORM stating the LMC's position:

1. The LMC is willing to involve itself to some degree in developing a long-term solution to these problems.
2. The LMC objects most strongly to even the appearance that ORM and the County are holding the residents of Montgomery Lane hostage to the imposition of a long-term solution.
3. The LMC expects ORM to be involved. ORM's predecessor Pope & Talbot designed and constructed the drainage system that is now failing. There may be liability for design deficiency. There may be liability for failure to notify the community that the system might fail.
4. The responsibility for maintenance of the drainage systems in greenbelts must necessarily rest with ORM. Al Scalf, Director of Community Development, so concludes in his letter to Ron Percidale of Pope & Talbot Development, Inc., dated January 21st, 1998. He clearly analyzes the documents. He points out that the conveyance of the greenbelt, called "reserve areas," to the LMC by quit claim deed dated July 10th, 1978, expressly excludes the LMC from responsibility for the maintenance of drainage systems located there.
5. The maintenance of those greenbelt areas that are conduits for water collected by the County in its roadside ditches ought to be the County's responsibility. It is the County's common law duty to do that.
6. The LMC objects to the County's attitude that they will not repair anything that is not in a roadway. Once the

County collects the water, it's theirs, and it ought to be their responsibility. Al Scalf's letter states that the County has the right to maintain the drainage easements, but that they do not have the responsibility. If ORM cannot induce the County to take that responsibility, then it must reside with ORM.

7. When the work has been completed, the LMC will be happy to discuss with ORM long-term solutions to the drainage problems.

With both ORM and the County obviously responsible for the repair and maintenance of the North Bay drainage systems, there is a strong incentive for the LMC to litigate. There is a moral obligation to compel the two entities to perform their duties. On the other hand, ORM's proposal does not deprive the LMC of its right to litigate against the County. It does not deprive individual property owners of any litigation rights whatsoever. And because of the time it will take, LMC insistence on litigation might well have the same weakness as ORM's insistence on a long-term plan. The Montgomery Lane residents may suffer while the litigation lingers on.

During the closed portion of its meeting on January 16th the LMC Board of Trustees approved a motion directing its President to continue negotiations with ORM concerning its proposal to repair the 30-inch pipe between Lots 48 and 49, in return for a release from all liability to the LMC with respect to drainage matters. The motion was confirmed when the meeting was reopened.

Old-Fashioned Town Hall Meeting

The Lot Owners Association meeting for February will be in the evening at the Beach Club at 7:00 p.m. on **February 11th**. We will have an old-fashioned town hall meeting that will involve audience participation. The topic for discussion will be storm water control.

We intend to invite representatives from the County, the Ludlow Maintenance Commission and Olympic Resources Management. A statement will be made by each of the participants followed by a moderated question and answer session. We are hopeful that this format will serve to enlighten the residents regarding the complexity of the storm water issue. The regular board meeting will follow.

Village UGN Contributions Beat Goal

The 1998 Port Ludlow drive for contributions to support United Good Neighbors humanitarian programs in Jefferson County is now complete. John Seaberg of Pioneer Drive, who has chaired the Port Ludlow UGN drive since 1989, reported that the 1998 receipts totaled \$20,726. This sum is about \$2000 higher than our goal.

According to Dr. Mary Lynne Derrington of Port Ludlow, superintendent of Chimacum Schools and president of the UGN Board, UGN is not a member of United Way of America but does belong to the United Way of Washington. "As a result," said Derrington, "at least 85¢ of each dollar donated to UGN here goes to helping someone in Jefferson County." None of the money goes to agencies not serving Jefferson County.

UGN program managers expressed their appreciation for the generous response by Port Ludlow contributors. Bob Peden of Ludlow Bay Road serves as UGN Manager in Port Townsend. If you have questions about United Good Neighbors or your contribution, he can be reached at the UGN office, 385-3797. The office is open Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Explorers To Hear Tales From the Amazon

The Explorers Club Meeting and Potluck will be held on Monday, **February 1st**, 6:00 p.m. at the Beach Club. Guest speakers will be Elaine and Don Brown of Port Ludlow. Their topic will be "Amazon Adventure." The Browns will share experiences of their 1997 trip to the Amazon's neo-tropical rain forest.

This event is open to the entire Village. Sign up at either the Beach or Bay Club. Cost is \$1.00 per person. BYOB, a dish to share and place settings. For further information, call Bernie Robinson at 437-0703.

Real Estate Loan Rates

15 Year Fixed 6.225% 1.00 points
 30 Year Fixed 6.663% 1.00 points
 5 Year ARM 6.188% 1.00 points
 7 Year ARM 6.464% 1.00 points
 10 Year ARM 6.625% 1.00 points

Bay Club Long-Range Planning Committee

A Long-Range Planning Committee has been assembled to look at the future of the Bay Club.

Some of the areas to be focused on by this committee are:

- Facility Usage
- Operations
- Financial
- Communications

The Long-Range Committee will review everything from building size and usage to hours of operation and staffing. It would be very helpful if all Bay Club members could make an extra effort to SIGN IN at the front desk upon entering the facility. This would greatly help the usage statistics being tracked by this committee.

The Long-Range Planning Committee expects to present a report to the membership at the Annual Meeting in June.

Just a reminder: The Bay Club is now OPEN on Tuesday and Thursday evenings till 8:00 p.m.

A Call For Volunteers

The Lot Owners Association is seeking nominees from its membership for positions on the LOA board, the LMC board and the potential Village Council. If you are interested in serving on any of these boards please communicate with any LOA board member. If you wish to nominate someone please ensure that they are willing to run for the position before you nominate them.

All of the positions will be filled by a vote of the membership. The LMC nominees will be presented for election at the annual meeting of the LMC. If you have any questions please contact the LOA board. Nominees are expected to provide a statement as to their reason for running for the positions and any other items of interest that will aid in their selection. In the event that we receive too many nominees the board will utilize a nominating committee to select a slate of candidates for the membership's consideration.

Village Activities Calendar

All events are at the Bay Club and are open to both South Bay and North Bay members unless otherwise indicated.

February, 1999

Mon., Feb. 1st

2:00-4:00 p.m., Water Colors
6:00-9:00 p.m., Explorer's Club Potluck, Beach Club

Tues., Feb. 2nd

10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, "Inside Jefferson Co.,"
WSU Learning Ctr.
1:00-3:00 p.m., "Armchair Traveler," WSU Learning Ctr.
1:00-4:00 p.m., Amateur Radio Club
3:00-5:00 p.m., Beginning Computer Class
3:00-5:00 p.m., Investment Club

Wed., Feb. 3rd

11:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m., First Wednesday Luncheon,
Beach Club

Thurs., Feb. 4th

1:00-4:00 p.m., Playing with Clay
5:00-7:00 p.m., Hoyt Robey Financial Seminar

Fri., Feb. 5th

9:30 a.m.-2:15 p.m., Playing With Clay

Sat., Feb. 6th

11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, Computer Club SIG
7:00 p.m., LOA's "Healing & Nutrition," Beach Club

Mon., Feb. 8th

9:00-11:00 a.m., Bayview Village Board Meeting
1:00-2:00 p.m., Woodworkers
6:30-9:00 p.m., Computer Club General Meeting

Tues., Feb. 9th

9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, CLOA
1:00-2:00 p.m., Woodworkers
1:00-3:00 p.m., "Inside Jefferson Co.," WSU Learning Ctr.
1:00-4:00 p.m., Amateur Radio Club
3:00-5:00 p.m., Beginning Computer Class
7:00-9:00 p.m., Book Club

Wed., Feb. 10th

3:00-5:00 p.m., Beginning Computer Class

Thurs., Feb. 11th

11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Amateur Radio Club
3:00-5:00 p.m., Computer Club Board Meeting

Fri., Feb. 12th

5:00-7:00 p.m., So. Bay Members Cocktail Party

Sat., Feb. 13th

11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, Computer Club SIG
6:00-11:00 p.m., Dancers by the Bay Valentine's
Sweetheart Dance

Mon., Feb. 15th

3:00-5:00 p.m., Computer Club Spreadsheet
5:00-9:00 p.m., So. Bay Potluckers

Tues., Feb. 16th

10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, "Armchair Traveler," WSU
Learning Ctr.
1:00-3:00 p.m., "Inside Jefferson Co.," WSU Learning Ctr.
1:00-4:00 p.m., Fly Fishers General Meeting
1:00-4:00 p.m., Amateur Radio Club Class
1:30-3:30 p.m., Jefferson Hospital Auxiliary High Tea
3:00-5:00 p.m., Beginning Computer Class
6:00-9:00 p.m., Mardi Gras Party

Wed., Feb. 17th

8:00 a.m., Garden Club meet in parking lot
3:00-5:00 p.m., Beginning Computer Class

Thurs., Feb. 18th

9:30-11:30 a.m., SBCA Advisory Board Meeting
1:00-3:00 p.m., Computer Genealogy
1:00-4:00 p.m., Amateur Radio Club Class
1:00-4:00 p.m., Playing With Clay
3:15 p.m., Bowlers meet in parking lot

Fri., Feb. 19th

9:30 a.m.-2:15 p.m., Playing With Clay
10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Trash Bash
6:00 p.m., Poulsbo Players Dinner/Theater Party

Sat., Feb. 20th

11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, Computer Club SIG
12:00 noon-4 p.m., Coast Guard Boating Safety Class
6:00 p.m., LMC/LOA Potluck, Beach Club

Mon., Feb. 22nd

3:00-5:00 p.m., Computer Club Windows 95/Internet

Tues., Feb. 23rd

10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, "Armchair Traveler," WSU
Learning Ctr.
1:00-3:00 p.m., "Inside Jefferson Co.," WSU Learning Ctr.
1:00-4:00 p.m., Amateur Radio Club Class
7:00-9:00 p.m., Coast Guard Auxiliary Meeting

Thurs., Feb. 25th

1:00-4:00 p.m., Amateur Radio Club Class

Sat., Feb. 27th

11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, Computer Club SIG
12:00 noon-4:00 p.m., Coast Guard Boating Safety Class

Future Events

Tues., March 6th, 9th, 20th,
"Inside Jefferson Co." series cont'd.

First Wednesday Luncheon

Save Wednesday, **February 3rd**, 11:00 a.m., for the First Wednesday Luncheon at the Beach Club. Lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. (Note: a charge of \$1.00 is now being collected to help defray the cost for paper products, coffee and tea.)

All Port Ludlow residents and guests, including gentlemen, are welcome. There will be a brief business meeting at noon followed by a program presented by The Washington Nature Conservancy. They will tell us how they work to save our natural "spaces and species" for future generations.

Donations for the Tri-Area Food Bank (cash or food) are always welcome.

Sneak Preview

Chimacum Jazz Band in March – What FUN!

Questions: Call Bev Rothenborg at 437-0505

Village Social Committee Gearing Up For Spring

The Village Social Committee is planning its next Village-wide cocktail party. It is also looking forward to the year's first big tent party at the Resort.

The committee is sponsoring the Manresa Castle Valentine Dinner and Tour, which sold out in two weeks. They are now working with a waiting list and if requests keep coming in they may repeat this event. If you are interested in another tour and dinner let your programs director, Art Clement, know.

The committee recently made contact with the Executive Director of the Paramount Theater and the Seattle Landmark Association and is in the process of putting a promotional event together. We hope to be able to offer a package that involves dinner, transportation and a show at a reasonable rate that will ensure some of the best seats in the house. We are also looking into events at the Moore Theater.

As a group we can obtain the better seats and the best prices available. You will be kept informed as we progress in this endeavor.

Mardi Gras Carnival

Anyone desiring a taste of Carnival will certainly find it in Port Ludlow this year. Social outing after social outing led to the Best, Biggest, 1st Annual Mardi Gras Party, "Tastes and Sounds of New Orleans" at the Bay Club. Join the fun on "Fat Tuesday" **February 16th** from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Tickets are \$15 per person and include authentic Cajun food, beer, wine, music and dance, as well as fun and prizes.

The "Krewe" of Port Ludlow will be sponsoring the fun. Tickets are available at either the Bay Club or Beach Club. This event is open to all residents of Port Ludlow and their guests! Costumes encouraged but optional. (Limit 100 tickets.)

Bay Club Financial Review

The South Bay Community Association Financial Review Committee has completed its review of fiscal year 1998. The Committee prepared a final report that will be available to SBCA members at the Bay Club front desk.

The Financial Review Committee worked diligently to produce this report and a big "thanks" is extended to:

Otto Ewaldson, Chairman
Bert Goldstein
Moulton Prussing
Joseph Quisenberry
William Schoenemann



Happy Valentines Day !

Bay Club Update

Bonnie Schoenemann, Editor

This section tries to encompass all Bay Club activities of interest to our members. If you would like your organization's news to be included, please submit to the editor no later than the 12th of the preceding month. E-mail bills@waypt.com; fax 437-2078; phone 437-2583.

Valentine Sweetheart Dance

An invitation is extended to Bay Club and Beach Club members and their guests from Dancers-By-The-Bay to a Valentine Sweetheart Dance on Saturday, **February 13th**, from 7:00-10:00 p.m. at the Bay Club. Light refreshments will be served, but BYO beverages. Tickets are \$15 per person and table reservations are available; seating is limited to 32 couples.

This will be a romantic evening, so bring your sweetheart or a special friend. Music will be provided by the very talented Gary and Diane.



Dancers-By-The-Bay is interested in your comments. Would you like dances more often? Do you prefer dinner or supper dances, or just light refreshments? Are you interested in classes or brush-up workshops? If so, what type: swing, foxtrot, waltz, Latin-tango, Western??? Your input is welcome. Call Ann Radwick at 437-0318 or Marian Pace at 437-0744.

South Bay Potluckers

Kudos to the January Potluck Committee of Sandy Withers, Gladyce Olsen, Ina and Carl Pipkin, Bev Kestler, Karen and Flemming Lorck, Grace Easterbrook and Teddy Conover for a job well done. Mark your calendars for Monday, **February 15th**, for the next chance to sample our local culinary talents. Sign-up sheet is at the Bay Club.

Call Art at 437-2208 for information on Club Activities

Bowling

As usual on Thursday, **February 18th**. Meet at the Bay Club parking lot at 3:15 p.m. or at the Bowling Alley in Port Townsend. Any questions, please call Karen Lorck at 437-7723.

Financial Seminar

The community is invited to a two-hour financial class entitled "Master Plan to Discovering Financial Truth" on Thursday, **February 4th**, 5:00-7:00 p.m. at the Bay Club.

Part I (the first hour) will concentrate on those with large estates and discuss the pitfalls of survivorship, life insurance, estate tax, family trusts/partnerships, give it away and still keep it, long-term care asset preservation.

Part II is for anyone who wants to know more about finances, and will cover minimizing IRA taxes, pros and cons of reinvesting dividends, compound interest: miracle or nightmare, hidden agenda of financial institutions.

This class will be given by Hoyt S. Robey, a successful financial planner from Bellevue who has been saving people money for the last 8 years. There is no fee for this seminar and all Villagers are welcome.

CPR Refresher Course

Wednesday, **February 10th**, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Bay Club, \$5.00.

Della Witt is offering this refresher course for people who are already certified and have completed the full course within the last four years. Please bring your manual. Sign-up sheets are at the Bay Club and Beach Club, or you can call Della at 474-0434 to register.

Quilters Club

Port Ludlow's Quilters by the Bay had a record year in 1998. They held a craft sale at the Bay Club's Show and Share Day and participated in the Port Gamble Christmas Bazaar. A portion of the sales went to provide four families with Christmas food boxes. The boxes were filled with eggs, ham, fruit, cereal and fun things such as candy, small toys and quilts. Each was topped with a Christmas wreath made by Monica Martin.

Lap quilts were also donated to the Veteran's Hospital and to others in need.

The Club has started a 1999 project which will result in a pieced Christmas quilt. Anyone wanting to learn the process or help in the work is invited to join.

Thanks to Peggy Scarborough for the good job as 1997 and 1998 Treasurer. Mary Lou Wentworth has assumed the responsibility for the new year. Thanks also to Mike and Bob at the Bay Club for putting up rods to display the Club's handiwork.

Meetings are held each Wednesday from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Trips to find that perfect fabric are scheduled as needed. New members are always welcome. For information call Jan Knodle at 437-9641.

New Faces to Welcome in South Bay

Timberton: Richard and Georgiane Dunlap

Timberton: Don and Roz Plorde

Bayview Village: George Gelman

Ludlow Point Village I: Bob and Barbara Globus

Ludlow Point Village IV: Mike and Shirley Fleming

We try very hard not to miss newcomers to our community, but alas, it does happen. If we've neglected you, please let us know.

Overtricks Bridge Club

Close to 70 people attended the cocktail party given by "**Overtricks**" (the Friday afternoon bridge group at the Bay Club). Bridge groups from both North and South Bay were invited along with their mates.

The Overtricks group was started in 1990 by Maurie and Peg Randall and Ernie and Jean Roth. Both of the fellows have December birthdays; so as a surprise (it was Ernie's

70th), Jean hired the Uptown Lowdown Jazz Band--a treat for all at the party.

Making it even more festive was the attendance of Jayne Brill and Al Giffan who were married on December 22nd.

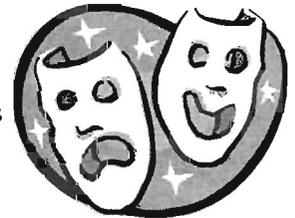
Thanks to all who attended and brought such fabulous hors d'oeuvres.

Poulsbo Players

Let's Party!!!

How about a party? A dinner and theater party? On Friday, **February 19th**, we'll travel across the bridge to Poulsbo in carpools for the Poulsbo Players' production of Mark Dunn's "**Five Tellers Dancing in the Rain.**" It's a sparkling comedy that is sure to delight you and your Valentine as five saucy Southerners take on each other, the men in their lives and the world in general!

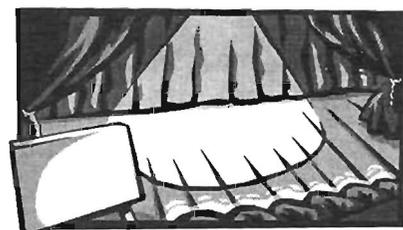
The Players have a new, intimate theater space at Liberty Shores--it only seats 49 people and no one is more than four rows from the action. If our party is big enough, the entire playhouse will be ours.



At 6:30 p.m. we will dine in Liberty Shores' elegant Rose Room. A delightful gourmet seafood dinner will be provided by Chef Brian Brown with plenty of time to relax before the 8:00 p.m. curtain. The cost of dinner and the play is \$28.

Call Art Clement at the Bay Club (437-2208) for tickets. Reservations must be made no later than Friday, **February 12th**. We need a group of at least 20. All Villagers are welcome.

(If you can't make the party, "**Five Tellers Dancing in the Rain**" will be playing on Fridays and Saturdays from **January 29th** through **February 20th**. Tickets are \$8 and are available at Liberty Bay Books and Poulsbo Village Chiropractic in Poulsbo.)



Memorial Gift Honors Leonard Pedersen

The Friends of Chimacum Schools Education Foundation recently received a very generous memorial gift from Audrey Pedersen of 413 South Bay Lane in honor of her husband Leonard, who passed away July 11th, 1998. The Pedersens have long felt a close relationship to the schools. Their youngest daughter, Marsha, was valedictorian of her 1983 Chimacum High School graduating class. Marsha now teaches at Walla Walla High School.

Memorial gifts to the Education Foundation are always welcome, as are other contributions. The Foundation Board, which has three members from Port Ludlow, appreciates the support the Port Ludlow Community provides the Chimacum Schools. To receive a brochure or obtain additional information about the Friends of Chimacum Schools Education Foundation, call Marilyn Hudson at 437-0188.

A Message to Port Ludlow

Ron Green, principal at Chimacum High School, and his wife Linda live on Topsail Lane, and send this message:

"As residents of Port Ludlow, we want to thank this community for the outstanding support it has shown to Chimacum High School. The volunteer support to our students and staff has been nothing short of spectacular. Special kudos to Bernie Robinson for her untiring efforts to connect Port Ludlow to Chimacum High School.

Chimacum High School, thanks to the voters, is about to open its new classrooms and library. The new library doubles the previous book shelf space, which means we have a need for books—books of all kinds—hardback and paperback. If you would like to contribute to our book drive or if you have questions, please contact Ron Green at 732-4481. We ask simply that your donations be appropriate for public school. Community generosity has been overwhelming to requests in the past. Please consider a donation for our new library.

Here's wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year as we head into the third millennium."



Robinsons Will Collect Books

As Principal Green said, they need your lonely, forgotten books. Now is the time to clean out those book shelves and start anew. Help fill the library shelves with any reference, fiction and non-fiction books that would be acceptable for their students. Appropriate paperbacks also gladly accepted. If you have books you would like to donate, they may be dropped off at the Chimacum High School office.

As an added convenience for the Port Ludlow community, books also can be dropped off at the Robinson's, 210 Dunsmuir Road (by the golf course). Bernie or Robbie will pick up your donations if you call them at 437-0703.

Garden Club to Visit NW Garden Show

The Port Ludlow Garden Club will meet at the Bay Club parking lot at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, **February 17th** to attend the Northwest Flower and Garden Show in Seattle. (Please note this is not the usual meeting date.)



We will travel by charter bus at a cost of \$32.00 per person, including entrance to the show and all transportation costs. In the event that we have 40 or more participating there will be a \$4.00 rebate per person. Lunch will be on your own. Reservations must be prepaid by Friday, **February 12th**. Please call Program Chairman Bonnie Curtis at 437-9694 or Myrdelle Teaford at 437-0349 to reserve a seat.

Garden Tip for February:

Spring is around the corner. Enjoy the Flower Show and get new gardening ideas for 1999.

Timberton Loop Trail:

The **3rd Wednesday** of every month.

Meet at 9 a.m. at the parking lot on the left side, half-way up Timberton Road. Bring water and wear hiking boots. This is an easy 4.5 mile walk that takes about an hour and a half. Call Doris Monti if you have never walked this trail before for some important information. Call 437-0716

Another Option for the Seattle Flower & Garden Show

Olympic Bus Line is offering four trips to the Seattle Flower and Garden Show being held Wednesday through Saturday, **February 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th**. The cost is \$31.00, which includes entry fee plus transportation and ferry. The pickup is at the Park and Ride lot at the junction of Highways 19 and 104, at 8:00 a.m., for 9:45 a.m. arrival at the show. (Doors open at 10:00 a.m.). Return departure at 3:00 p.m., to arrive Port Ludlow at 5:00 p.m., (or special arrangements can be made for a later return via Greyhound.) For reservations phone 1-800-550-3858. Send payment to Olympic Bus Line, P.O. Box 2201, Port Angeles, WA 98362.

Note: This is NOT a Garden Club event.

North Area Emergency Planning Meeting

The next North Area Emergency Planning Meeting for North Bay will take place on Friday, **February 5th** at 2:00 p.m. at the Beach Club. This meeting will be chaired by Marie Lytal. Group leaders are urged to attend. All North Bay residents are also encouraged to come to this open meeting.

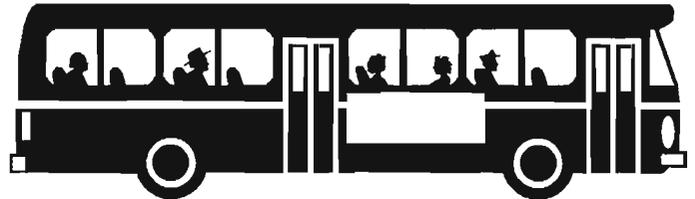
The North Area Emergency Planning effort has been recently reorganized with Howard Morse as North Area Coordinator and Marie Lytal as North Bay Prolonged Support Center Coordinator.

The North Area includes the following Response Centers: Communications (Base Station, FM, VHF, Radios, Ham Stations), Telephone Tree, Medical Response (Triage, Safe Transportation), Prolonged Support Center, Damage Assessment, (Utilities, Structure), Assistance Areas (Location, Shelter Management, Person Location and Messages), Prolonged Support (Utilities, Gas, Electrical, Shelter, Security) and Problem Solving and Response.

For further information call Marie Lytal, 437-7745.

Shopping in Seattle

Also FYI: The Olympic Bus Line also picks up daily at the Park and Ride lot to take you to Seattle, drop you off at Nordstrom for a day of shopping, or at various hospitals for \$26.00 including ferry and return. Or choose a one-way trip for \$13.00 if you want to meet your spouse for dinner. For a group of four or more, you can make arrangements for pickup and delivery at the Bay Club. There is no parking or ferry line wait as the bus has priority lane status. Call 1-800-550-3858 for schedule.



Free Spirits Welcome 1999

More than 100 people welcomed in the New Year at the **Free Spirits Gala Dinner Dance** held in the Bay Club. The festively attired celebrants were entertained by Vince Pace at the piano on arrival, and then danced well into the New Year to the music of "The Most Notables." The musical side of the evening ended with the sounds of the bagpipes played by Bob Moss. Many thanks to Ann and Bob Radwick who "produced the show."

Everyone rehearsed the magic moment itself by toasting friends and relatives on the East Coast at 9:00 p.m., in the Midwest at 10:00 p.m. and somewhere in the mountains at 11:00 p.m. For their own midnight, they counted down the seconds with the aid of a computer-generated clock projected on a large screen. We are glad to report that the computer did not crash at the key moment, and so all bodes well for Y2K next year.

Free Spirits takes a short winter break now, but mark your calendars for the **Spring Fling** on Friday, **March 26th**, and the **Mexican Fiesta** on Friday, **May 21st**.

Power Lines and Hazardous Trees

by Kate Madson

Falling tree limbs can disrupt both electrical service and our lives. To try and avoid outages, Puget Sound Energy (PSE) has an ongoing line maintenance program and responds to customer and crew reports of potential problems. According to Don McDaniel of PSE's Corporate Communications office, the utility would rather spend money on prevention than repair.

Right-of-Way Maintenance

In Jefferson County PSE's vegetation management program is implemented by Asplundh Tree Company. Asplundh crews prune or remove the trees and vines in the utility right-of-way which appear to present a hazard to the electrical lines. It usually takes two to three years to cycle through the entire county, unless private or staff reports, rapid growth or outages indicate special needs.



Recent outages in Port Ludlow have prompted PSE to re-examine its local maintenance. Its 1999 budget, to be decided at the end of January, proposes additional attention to our area. Homeowners will be notified in advance if general right-of-way maintenance is planned.

Privately-Owned Trees

A tree on private land adjacent to the utility right-of-way may also become a power line hazard, as happened in December near the Bay Club. (Note that the right-of-way width—often 15 to 20 feet but sometimes up to 60 feet—is determined by local jurisdiction, not by the utility.) With owner approval, PSE will remove or prune such a danger tree *at its own expense*, and may also consult on and assist with an appropriate replacement. When PSE learns about such a tree, the landowner is informed on site or in writing, and is asked to grant permission to remove the hazard.

Failure to give permission may create owner liability in case of power disruption by the tree in question. PSE itself seldom goes after damages, but considers such things on a case-by-case basis.

Contacting PSE

If you observe a possible hazard to power lines, PSE wants to know. Call the toll-free Customer Service and Emergency Response number: 888-225-5773, press "4" and then enter x895148 for the new Tree Watch Hotline. The Hotline also has a direct number: 206-521-5148. A voice mail message asks for your name, address and phone number, and promises a return call within 24 hours. To reach a human being, call the Customer Service number and then press "0."

Upon receipt of details, PSE dispatches a crew as soon as possible to look at the tree. An arborist may also be called in if needed. Next steps depend on the tree's condition and location. Note in your message if you wish a call back on the results of the review. If you have questions about PSE's tree policies or other issues, you can reach Don McDaniel at 360-475-7045.

Port Ludlow Book Club Jefferson's Character Discussed

The Book Club meets Tuesday, **February 9th**, 7:00 p.m. at the Bay Club to discuss "American Sphinx:

The Character of Thomas Jefferson" by Joseph Ellis.

Pat Anderson and Martha Dawson will lead the discussion.

For more information, call Lois Daley at 437-0748. All Port Ludlow residents are welcome.



Activity	Mon.	Tues.	Weds.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
Aquarobics Exercise Program No impact water exercises. No instructor. No fee.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.
Aquawalk Exercise Program Walk your way to fitness. No instructor. No fee.	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	10-11 a.m.
Aerobics Instructed Program Bend, stretch, exercise your way to fitness.	8:30-9:30 a.m.		8:30-9:30 a.m.		8:30-9:30 a.m.	
Rockettes Advanced tap dancing. Instructed. Fee.	9:30-11 a.m.			9:30-11 a.m.		9:30-11 a.m.
Steppin' Out Tap dancing. Instructed. Fee.	11-12:15 a.m.			11-12:15 a.m.	9:30-10:30 a.m.	
Beginning Bridge  Learn while playing.	1-4 p.m.					
Fly Tyers: Feathers, thread and imagination come together in creations that tempt the fishies.		9-12 a.m.				
Therapeutic Exercise: Energize, wake up your spine. Instructed. Fee.					9:45-9:50 10:45 a.m. 1030	
Strength Training Work your way to fitness. Instructed. Fee.		8-9 a.m.		8-9 a.m.		8-9 a.m.
Yoga Excellent non aerobic exercise. Instructed. Fee.		9:30-10:45 a.m.				
Ludlow Liners: All level of dancers welcome. Great fun. Good exercise.	3:00-4:30 p.m.					
Quilters By the Bay Beginners through expert.			1-3 p.m.			
Arts and Crafts Meet to share techniques and ideas.				10 a.m.-12 p.m.		
Tappercize Dance exercise without the pressure of performing.	12:30-1:30 p.m.					
Overtricks Chicago-style bridge in the afternoon.					1-4 p.m.	
Computer Club  Topics vary bring your questions and problems.						11 a.m.-12 p.m.

Mama Mia, That's Italian!

The LMC/LOA monthly potluck will be on Saturday, **February 20th**. Social hour begins at 6:00 p.m. with "**Mama Mia, That's Italian**" as the theme for dinner. Bring your own bottle for cocktails, place settings and your favorite dish from sunny Italy.

Sign up at the Beach Club. \$3.00 per person fee includes Vino Paisano!!!

Direct questions to Peggy Smith at 437-2464.



The Healing Nature of Good Nutrition

The LOA is sponsoring a talk on the healing nature of good nutrition on Saturday, **February 6th**, 7:00 p.m., at the Beach Club. All Village residents are invited and there is no charge.

Guest speaker is Susan Yake, Clinical Dietician, Certified Diabetes Educator and Certified Lifestyle Counselor. Mrs. Yake will talk about how important nutrition is in alleviating certain afflictions (i.e., arthritis) as well as preventing illnesses.

Learn about the newest nutritional supplements which can increase your well-being and have a positive effect on your present life style. Call Bernie Robinson at 437-0703 for further information.

Real Estate Update

By *Kathie Larkin*

Mortgage rates are at an all-time low and interest in recreational and resort properties (especially among the baby boomers) appears to be growing.

1998 sales for the Port Ludlow community according to Jefferson County MLS:

- 32 residential sales
- 21 condo sales
- 18 lot sales

This number does not include properties sold outside the MLS.

Major developments in Port Ludlow real estate include the new Woodridge and Rainier Lane segments being developed by Pope Resources.

Easy & Moderate Hikes Set for February

Two hikes are scheduled this month by the Port Ludlow Hiking Club. The first, rated Easy, is a 5.0 mile hike along the Trails of Fort Flagler on Friday, **February 5th**. Enjoy the serenity of the forest and the beach. For specific hike information, call hike leader Bob Linrothe at 437-0407 or assistant leader Connie Abang at 437-7628.

A moderate 7.0 mile hike of Lower Gray Wolf is planned for Friday, **February 19th**. This hike features a 1,250 foot elevation gain. The Hiking Club's adopted trail runs along the Gray Wolf stream. Walt Cairns at 437-0503 is the leader, assisted by Ron Garton at 437-2022.

Hikers meet at 8:00 a.m. at the Bridge Deck for all trips unless otherwise specified. All distances quoted are round-trip miles. Each hiker should carry extra water and food and wear appropriate clothing and shoes.

Monthly Timberton Loop Hike

The Hiking Club's monthly third Wednesday hike along the Timberton Loop Trail is set for **February 17th** at 9:00 a.m. Meet at the trailhead on Timberton Road. For further information, call Doris Monti at 437-0716.

Another Old Duffer

"How was your golf game, dear?" asked Jack's wife, Tracy.

"Well, I was hitting pretty well, but my eyesight's gotten so bad I couldn't see where the ball went."

"But you're seventy-five years old, Jack!" admonished his wife, "Why don't you take my brother Scott along?"

"But he's eighty-five and doesn't even play golf anymore," protested Jack.

"But he's got perfect eyesight. He could watch your ball," Tracy pointed out.

The next day Jack teed off with Scott looking on. Jack swung, and the ball disappeared down the middle of the fairway. "Do you see it?" asked Jack.

"Yup," Scott answered.

"Well, where is it?" yelled Jack, peering off into the distance.

"I forgot."

Arts and Entertainment

Barbara Wagner-Jauregg, Editor

This section features news on Port Ludlow art and entertainment events as well as a performing arts calendar of events for Jefferson, Clallam and Kitsap Counties. Submit news and calendar items to the editor at bwagnerj@olympus.net or call 437-9726 by the 12th of the preceding month.

Vancouver Wind Trio Performs in Chimacum

This is a world-class trio that repeatedly amazes audiences with a fullness of sound almost rivaling an orchestra. The program ranges from pre-Bach to post-Brubeck with inspired flashes of comedy. With a repertoire constantly increasing in scope and variety, it includes jazz and rock arrangements, Canadian and American contemporary works and virtuoso fantasies by composers of the Romantic era. Presented by the Port Townsend Community Concert Association, they'll appear at Chimacum High School Auditorium on Sunday, **February 7th**, at 3:00 p.m. For tickets, call 385-3082.

"The Unexpected Guest" plays in Bremerton

A cast of 10 appear in Bremerton Community Theatre's production of an Agatha Christie thriller and puzzler on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays through **February 20th** at 8:00 p.m. "The Unexpected Guest" is set in a foggy estate in Wales. The mystery opens as a stranger walks into a house to find a man murdered and his wife standing over him with a gun. But the woman is dazed and her confession unconvincing. So the unexpected guest decides to help her and blame the murder on an intruder. For ticket information, call 360-373-5152.

In Poulsbo, see "Five Tellers Dancing in the Rain"

Sass, tears and charm emerge as five bank tellers speak their hearts and brew lots of coffee. Set in the break room of a small bank in northern Mississippi, this warm and gentle play eavesdrops on conversations of women who have for too long defined themselves in terms of their relationships—recently ended or in the process of falling apart—with the men in their lives. Presented by the Poulsbo Players on Fridays and Saturdays through **February 20th**, this is a play about broken hearts and finding strength and self-respect through friendships with those who have been down the road before. Dinner 6:30 p.m., Show 8:00 p.m. Call 360-779-6946 for ticket information. (For PL Village Theatre Party, see related story on page 7)

"Our Town" begins Bainbridge Run

Thornton Wilder's classic play, "Our Town," depicts small town Grover's Corners, New Hampshire around the turn of the century and follows two of its' inhabitants, George Gibbs and Emily Webb, throughout their lives. This play has it all—humor, truth, poignancy and warmth. Opens **February 19th** at the Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse and runs Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. with Sunday matinees at 3:00 p.m. through **March 6th**. For ticket information, call 206-842-8569.

Origins of Opera at Bay Club in March

The **Arts Council** presents an Inquiring Mind lecture by Perry Lorenzo, director of education for the Seattle Opera, on Tuesday, **March 16th**, 2:00 p.m. at the Bay Club. Lorenzo will explore the ideas and music of early opera and the colorful and profound delights of its historical context. Known for his writings and lectures on opera, he is

dedicated to making opera exciting and accessible to a broad public.

Light refreshments will be served. There is no charge for admission.

Fast-Paced Revue Features Barnes Family

Three generations of a musical family hits the boards at the Bay Club on Saturday, **March 27th**, at 8:00 p.m. when the **Barnes Family Players** present "*Together Wherever We Go*." This performance is the third offering in the popular **Arts Council Mainstage Series**.

The Barnes family's musical roots go back to the early 1900's in England on one branch, and mid-20th century Canada and the U.S. on two others. These branches will come together in a fast-paced revue format containing selections from Broadway musicals, the classical repertoire and the movies. Features will include comedy, theater, dance, instrumental and vocals from several genres. This is a family who firmly believes that those who play together stay together, and this will be demonstrated in depictions of both the serious and the funny sides of family life.

The cast includes Bronwen Barnes, dancer; David Barnes, Jr., oboist; Gwen Hylton Barnes, singer and dancer; Jeff Barnes, singer and dancer; and Lee Barnes, singer. They will be joined by Gwen's mother, Angela Haw, singer, who has directed and performed in several musicals. There'll be special cameo performances by Alexandra Barnes, Dave Barnes, Sr., Emma Barnes and maybe a couple of surprises. The **Barnes Family Players** will be accompanied by Rose This, a talented professional musician who has performed extensively in the Olympia/Seattle area.

Tickets are \$12.50 each and are available now at the Bay Club Box Office.

Ludlow Little Theatre Stages Agatha Christie Mystery

"The Hollow," a three-act mystery featuring a cast of 12 has been selected by the Ludlow Little Theater for this spring's theatrical offering at the Bay Club. Under the direction of Peggy Smith, the Agatha Christie play will play on Thursday through Saturday, **April 15th-17th**.

In classic Agatha Christie style, a delightful early fall weekend at the English country estate of Sir Henry and Lady Angkatell results in murder and mayhem. What else can be expected to ensue when a collection of eccentric people who don't all get along are forced into togetherness at the Angkatell's bidding?

Tickets will be available in March.

The Learning Exchange at WSU

Winter Class Schedule

Attend the **Armchair Traveler Series** and discover the world! Enrollees may attend any or ALL of the classes in this series for \$10!! Classes began in January with "The Sights and Sounds of India and Sri Lanka" instructed by William Schoenemann on January 19th. "Kayaking the Baja Peninsula" was presented by instructor John Reseck on January 26th. The series continues in February with:

West Africa

Instructor: Karen Page, **Feb. 2nd**, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Where the Forest Meets the Sea - Southeast Alaska

Instructor: David Deardorf, **Feb. 16th**, 10:00 a.m.-12 noon

The Solomon Islands:

From the Stone Age to the Space Age

Instructor: Marjorie Last-Rogers, **Feb. 23rd**, 10:00 a.m.-12 noon

The Inside Jefferson County series:

This series of lectures and field trips will emphasize some key economic and environmental presences in our county. Enrollees may attend any or ALL of the classes in this series for \$10!!

Sustaining the Sea: the Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary (NMS)

Instructor: Robert Steelquist and staff, **Feb. 2nd**, 10:00 a.m.-12 noon, **Feb. 9th, 16th, 23rd**, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

The Million Dollar Mollusk: the Oysters of Quilcene Bay

Instructor: Edward Jones, **Mar. 2nd**, 1:00-3:00 p.m.
Location: Taylor Industries (Quilcene)

Salmon of the Heart

Instructor: Thomas Jay, **Mar. 9th**, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Ecology lecture **Mar. 16th**, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Culture lecture **Mar. 20th**, 10:00-12 noon

All lecture series will be held at the WSU Learning Center, in Port Hadlock. To register, call 360-437-5610.

Performing Arts Calendar

February, 1999

Thurs., Fri., Sat., Feb. 4th, 5th, 6th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 18th, 19th, 20th

"The Unexpected Guest" by Agatha Christie, Bremerton Community Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 360-373-5152.

Fri. & Sat., Feb. 5th & 6th

"Squabbles," The Roving Players, Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse, 7:30 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Fri. & Sat., Feb. 5th & 6th

"They Came From Mars and Landed Outside the Farndale Avenue Church Hall in Time for the Townswoman's Guild Coffee Morning," Bay Street Playhouse, Port Orchard, 8:00 p.m., 360-876-6610.

Fri. & Sat., Feb. 5th & 6th, 12th, 13th, 19th, 20th

"Five Tellers Dancing in the Rain," Poulsbo Players, Liberty Shores, Poulsbo, Dinner 6:30 p.m., Show 8:00 p.m., 360-779-6946.

Sat., Feb. 6th

Bremerton Symphony Orchestra with guest violinist, winner of the Naumburg International Competition Gold Medal, Bremerton High School Performing Arts Center, 8:00 p.m., 360-373-1722.

Sat., Feb. 6th

Port Angeles Symphony Orchestra with Reinhart Naumann, guest conductor, and Cheryl Landry-Swoboda, viola, Port Angeles High School Auditorium, 8:00 p.m., 360-457-5579.

Sat., Feb. 6th

"Tales of Hispania," Olympic College Theatre Department, Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse, 11:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Sat., Feb. 6th

Christine Lavin, comedian, Admiral Theatre, Bremerton, dinner 6:30 p.m., performance 8:00 p.m., 360-373-6743.

Sun., Feb. 7th

Vancouver Wind Trio, Chimacum High School Auditorium, 3:00 p.m., Port Townsend Community Concert Assoc., 360-385-3082.

Sun., Feb. 7th

Aletha Barnes, soprano, sings opera arias and Broadway tunes, with Lisa Lanza, pianist, benefits Ravenscroft Youth Music Fund, Ravenscroft Inn, Port Townsend, 4:00 p.m., 360-385-2784.

Mon., Feb. 8th

Les Ballets Trockadero, Bremerton High School Auditorium, 7:00 p.m., Bremerton Community Concerts, 360-373-4850.

Fri., Feb. 12th

Oh Dear...Not Shakespeare presents "Macbeth," appropriate for ages 5 and up, Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse, 7:30 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Sat., Feb. 13th

Oh Dear...Not Shakespeare presents "Macbeth," appropriate for ages 5 and up, Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse, 11:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Sat., Feb. 13th

HA! Comedy Improv!, Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse, 7:30 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Sat., Feb. 13th

Pandora's Vox, vocal ensemble, Admiral Theatre, Bremerton, dinner 6:30 p.m., performance 8:00 p.m., 360-373-6743.

Wed., Feb. 17th

"Language, Communication and Power," by Angela Gilliam, Inquiring Mind lecture sponsored by Soroptimist of East Jefferson County, Jefferson County Library, 2:30 p.m., 360-385-6544.

Fri., Sat., Feb. 19th, 20th, 26th, 27th

"Our Town" by Thornton Wilder, Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse, 7:30 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Sun., Feb. 21st, 28th

"Our Town" by Thornton Wilder, Bainbridge Performing Arts Playhouse, 3:00 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Sat., Feb. 27th

Kokon Taiko, Japanese drums, Admiral Theatre, Bremerton, dinner 6:30 p.m., performance 8:00 p.m., 360-373-6743.





Boating Classes Scheduled for Spring of 1999

The Coast Guard Auxiliary has four classes scheduled for this spring.

The first, ***Boating Safely***, will be held on two Saturdays, **February 20th and 27th**, from 12:00 noon until 4:00 p.m. This is a short class that gives all the basic safety information and meets state requirements. A very good first class or review class.

In **March**, starts a five-Saturday class (***Basic Skills and Seamanship***) that is quite comprehensive and meant for the boater that cruises. It meets from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. You bring your own lunch.

In **May**, the ***Basic Coastal Navigation*** class starts and meets on Mondays and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. When the ***Basic*** course ends, the ***Advanced*** portion of the course continues for six additional sessions ending in **June**.

All classes are free except for books and are being held at the Bay Club. To register for any of the classes, call Patricia Ryan at 437-0214. Be a smart boater and register now.

The Port Ludlow Flotilla has a team that will teach the Boating Safely class (8 hours) to any group that would like to have it. We will travel to you, on your schedule for either a long one-day session or two half-day sessions. Fishing clubs, hunting clubs or schools are obvious possibilities but any interested group is welcome. Contact Patricia at the above number for more information.

Deadline

We have a deadline that we must keep to ensure that you get your newsletter before the first day of the month. Please keep this in mind. If you do not get your input to us by the 12th of the preceding month it probably will not be published. Our editors and readers need time to plan their schedule. You must plan ahead. We want to work with you but must have your cooperation. Thank you!



Out With the Old! John Reseck receives a "thank you" plaque for two years of service as the Port Ludlow Flotilla Commander from Don Millbauer, the Vice Flotilla Commander for 1999. Seated is Senior Chief William Sheretz, the commanding officer of the Point Bennett Coast Guard Cutter stationed at Port Townsend.



In With the New! Dan Johnston (left in light shirt), the new Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla Commander for Port Ludlow, meets with representatives of the other Coast Guard Flotillas on the Olympic Peninsula to coordinate their plans for 1999.

Something's Always Happening at Heron Beach Inn

Dear Friends,

As the new Innkeeper of Heron Beach Inn, it is my responsibility and pleasure to provide the services, amenities, accommodations and dining experiences that our guests and the local community find appealing. Since starting in November 1998, I have not yet had a chance to meet many of our friends and neighbors. I would like to start the New Year by taking the opportunity to gather ideas and suggestions from the local community, so that when enhancements are made to the Inn, they are ones that you are excited about! The staff and I would like to see everyone in our community become a regular, frequent visitor of the Inn and we invite you to take advantage of our cozy atmosphere and fabulous dining!

In our effort to create a more welcoming environment, we are asking you for your advice, suggestions and ideas. I would like to personally invite you, as a member of our community, to participate in a Heron Beach Inn Focus Group. We will organize two different teams, one at the end of February and the second at the beginning of March. Each group will consist of 15 people. A Team Leader will guide the group through a discussion that will help us gather as many suggestions as possible during the two-hour session.

If you would like to participate as a volunteer in one of these Focus Groups, please call the Heron Beach Inn before Monday, **February 15th** and give the Front Desk your name and phone number. After that date, we will place all the names received in a hat and randomly select 30 individuals. We will contact all those who were selected and inform you of the meeting date for your group.

Thank you for your continued support of the Heron Beach Inn. I look forward to meeting you and hearing all of your suggestions and ideas on how we can create a place you want to visit frequently and call your home away from home.

Lisa Gilbert

Innkeeper, Heron Beach Inn

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Upcoming Events

Sun., Jan. 31st

Super Bowl in the Fireside Lounge
12:00 noon-10:00 p.m.
Great time to try our new
Expanded Fireside Lounge Menu!

Fri.-Sun., Feb. 12th-14th,

Valentine's Day Weekend

Why celebrate for one day? Take advantage of our Romance Package, starting at \$180.00 on Fri./Sat. nights, including an overnight guestroom, champagne, truffles, a long-stem red rose and bath oils. The very Special Queen guestroom rate of *\$89.00 for our friends and neighbors* will be extended for Valentine's Day. A dinner special will be offered for \$19.00, and dessert special for \$5.00 will also be offered in the Main Dining Room.

Fri., Feb. 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th

Wine Tasting in the Fireside Lounge, 5:00-6:00 p.m.
Through February, we will continue offering wines from our cellar to taste. \$5.00 per person.

Everyday - Don't Miss Our New Gift Shop

Be sure to stop by our new gift shop and discover all of our new merchandise. 1998 Closeout Sale on all Heron Beach Inn merchandise! An incredible way to take your Heron Beach Inn memories with you!

Come Experience our EXPANDED Menu for the Fireside Lounge

The Fireside Lounge at Heron Beach Inn is more than just a romantic, quiet spot to sip wine by the fire while catching a quick bite. This is the ideal place for groups of friends, family and couples to come together and enjoy each other's company. With our expanded new menu, served daily beginning at 3:30 p.m., we're sure to have just what you're looking for.

With a more relaxed, casual atmosphere, Heron Beach Inn will always be what you've known it to be: a cozy, contemporary, waterfront Inn with the best dining in the Northwest. But now, our expanded menu items, priced to reflect our new informal atmosphere, call to mind more casual, bistro fare with featured selections such as gourmet

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Dining Out

by Gene Carmody

While on our way to Victoria for the Christmas holidays, we stayed overnight in Port Angeles. Looking for a place to have dinner, an Italian restaurant called the **Bella Italia** was recommended to us.

The **Bella Italia** was established two and one-half years ago. It is located at 117-B East First Street and sits below a Natural Health Food store. Neil Conklin is the owner and the chef is Patrick Allen, who received his training at Greystone in Napa Valley, California. Chef Allen uses only fresh ingredients, getting his vegetables from local organic farmers.

The **Bella Italia** features daily specials along with its extensive menu. This particular evening we started with an appetizer, the bruschetta, grilled Tuscan bread with garlic, olive oil, fresh basil and Roma tomatoes. Next we had a Caesar salad made with crisp romaine and freshly grated Parmesan cheese with anchovies optional. Our main dishes included a Pizza di Mar that had large gulf prawns and mixed seafood, sauteed spinach with fresh herbs and Parmesan cheese. Also from the daily special menu, sauteed and caramelized scallops, prawns and Hood Canal mussels tossed with fresh basil, lemon zest and angel-hair pasta with a red pepper olive oil glaze. For dessert we shared a fresh piece of tiramisu cake. We accompanied all of this with a bottle of Clos Du Bois merlot which was reasonably priced.

We thoroughly enjoyed the meal. The recommendation was a good one. And we feel quite comfortable recommending this fine Italian restaurant to anyone going to Port Angeles. The **Bella Italia** is open seven days a week. They serve both lunch, 11:00-3:30 p.m. and dinner, from 4:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 2:00 p.m. on Sundays. Their phone number is 360-457-5442.



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We will feature restaurant favorites of Port Ludlow diners and urge food lovers to share their dining experiences. Preferably restaurants will be in our local area and won't require more than a ferry ride or short drive.

Your review should consider atmosphere, price of the entree, keynote dish, etc. or anything special.

Keep word count to 300-375 and submit articles to the Voice at ralphi@olyphen.com or fax to 437-2085.

Amateur Radio Club Offers License Class

The Port Ludlow Amateur Radio Club (PLARC) will soon be offering a class that can result in the student receiving a Technician Class amateur radio license issued by the FCC. The classes will be held every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon starting **February 16th**, 1:00 p.m., at the Bay Club for the 4 to 6 week training period. An FCC examination will be held and your license should arrive within a few weeks.

No Morse code will be required. The technician class license will permit the operator to transmit messages in the VHF and UHF bands and is particularly useful for communicating in the local area and from boat to boat.

This course will be offered at no cost to all those interested in attending. There will be a nominal charge for the training manual and approximately \$7.00 for the examination. Call Jerry Jensch at 437-2722 or Roy Kraft at 437-2086 to sign up. Space will be limited so hurry and call!

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hamburgers, piping hot delicatessen-style sandwiches, salads, Italian pizzas, pastas, and clam and mussel steamers, as well as other seafood offerings.

Special Offer During February

During the month of February, Heron Beach Inn has a special offer for readers of The Voice. Mention this article and receive \$2.00 off a delicious made-to-order appetizer from the expanded Fireside Lounge Menu. We are confident that once you experience the Heron Beach Inn, we will see you again and again. (Offer not valid with any other discount.)

ORM Update

A Letter to the Port Ludlow Community

Gary F. Tucker
President & CEO
Olympic Resources Management

January 9, 1999

To Port Ludlow Residents:

As members of the Port Ludlow community, I wanted to share some information with you regarding a recent change in the ownership of the Heron Beach Inn on Ludlow Bay.

Effective December 31, 1998, Pope Resources acquired the remaining ownership interest in the Inn.

The purchase of the Heron Beach Inn on Ludlow Bay is an opportunity for the company to consolidate its holdings at Port Ludlow. We believe it continues to signify our commitment to the future of Port Ludlow and to the community.

CRG Hospitality, who assumed management of the Inn last February, will continue in this role. CRG has done an outstanding job and we look forward to continuing our association with them.

Thank you for continuing to support our efforts at Port Ludlow and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me anytime.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely,

Gary F. Tucker

Garden Club Awards Scholarship

Shelby Smith is the Port Ludlow Garden Club's scholarship recipient for the year. She is 21 years old and is in her junior year at Western Washington University in Bellingham. Shelby has lived in Port Ludlow for 15 years and attended Chimacum schools.

Shelby's interest is in environmental stewardship and conservation. She plans to earn a B.A. in Environmental Social Science focusing on issues of water quality and conservation, sustainable development, health and integrity of Puget Sound ecosystems. She intends a career in that field along with community education and sociological issues.

The Port Ludlow Garden Club is delighted to have such an outstanding local person as Shelby Smith as the Scholarship Recipient of 1999.



Shelby Smith 1999 Recipient

TIDE TIMBER TRAIL

Port Ludlow Men's Golf Association

By Jim Watson

The 1999 season promises to be exciting thanks to Tony Manznares' suggestion that we have a Ludlow Cup a la the Ryder Cup. Your board-appointed committee consisting of Tom Smith, Ray Carlson and Dick Swindler worked with Jerry Conover to develop the method for earning points and for selecting the 12 members of the Tide and Timber Teams.



Everyone who enters a Wednesday tournament will earn points. Placing in the top five will earn performance points; and, of course, those who do well in the President's Cup and the Club Championship tournaments will earn even more points. You'll learn more about this at our first General Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, **March 10th**.

Your Tournament Chairman, Jerry Conover, has planned a great season of tournaments including home and homes with Canterwood Country Club in May, Wing Point Country Club in July and Dungeness Golf Club in August. The Ludlow Cup will be scheduled after the Club Championship. Our opening day, Wednesday, **March 3rd**, will feature an 11:00 a.m. shotgun and fun day with the ladies followed by a social at the Beach Club. By the time you read this, the tournament schedules should be available in the locker room along with the member list and telephone numbers.

Thanks to our great Pro Staff, we are enjoying Wednesday tournaments that will prepare us non-snowbirds for a fun and challenging season ready to take on our weather-challenged friends. We also will be welcoming new members as the season progresses and your board has adopted a plan to play with new members to assure they get acquainted as soon as possible. If you haven't paid your annual member dues, you can leave a check at the pro shop.



Nine-Holer Cocktail Party

The Nine-Hole Golf League Men and Women plan their opening event on Thursday, **March 18th**, 5:00 p.m. at the Beach Club. This will be a Cocktail Party so BYOB. Plan to attend and get signed up for the year. Annual dues of \$31 will be collected. If you have questions, call Evelyn Fett, 437-0678 or Bob Reasoner, 437-020.

1999 PLMGA Tournament Schedule

March 3rd, 11:00 a.m., Tide/Timber

Fun Day. Women will be joining us. Fourball, mixed. Social to follow at the Beach Club.

March 10th, 9:00 a.m., Tide/Timber

Pick a partner, two-man scramble. Committee will pair if you enter as a single. Handicap will be a factor.



March 17th, 9:00 a.m., Tide/Timber

4-3-2-1 Rotation. Hole 1 BB of the four players, Hole 2 BB of three players. Hole 3 BB of two players, Hole 4 BB of the remaining player. Then around the horn again, same sequence. Team Capt. determines order of rotation.

March 24th, 9:00 a.m., Tide/Timber

"Foursomes." Stroke play. One of the formats played in the Ryder, Walker and Curtis Cups. Two playing against two, each time using one ball playing alternate strokes.

March 31st, 9:00 a.m., Tide/Timber

Individual low net replay. Each player has the option of replaying any four shots in his round. He must declare "REPLAY" and brother ya' gotta take what you get! Capt. marks replay holes.

Niblicks News

The Niblicks Deli staff at the Port Ludlow Golf Course will be serving two Special Dinners in February. The first, on February 15th, will be Curry Chicken. On the 24th, a Prime Rib dinner will be featured. Please call the Deli at 437-8276 for details and information.

D.O.G. Notes by Mike Buss (Director of Golf)

Although we are in the middle of winter, the golf course has seen a lot of activity lately. With periodic breaks between storms a number of players are out tuning up for the season. The drainage on the course has improved over the past two years due to our fairway sanding program and the greens remain in excellent condition, so put on a sweater and come on out. If that does not sound appealing to you, come join us at Niblicks for one of our special dinner events we hold a couple times a month. See the Niblicks article for the next event and get reservations early.

Every Wednesday we sponsor a "Pro's Pick" game that is open to all players who sign up in the golf shop. Each week is a different game, picked out by the Pro of course, hence the name, and everyone pairs up for a day of fun and competition. If anyone is interested in playing, give us a call at the golf shop. On January 14th, we had 33 players with the format being throw out one par three, one par four and one par five and here are the results:

Low Gross

1st	63	Dick Durling	\$25.00
2nd	64	Mike Devine	\$15.00

Low Net

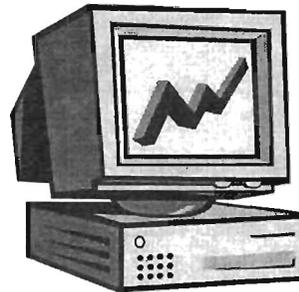
1st	49	Sherman Swanson	\$25.00
2nd	51	Leo Abang	\$22.00
T3rd	52	Stan Larson	\$19.00
T3rd	52	Bob Reasoner	\$19.00
T5th	53	Ray Carlson	\$11.00
T5th	53	Jack Martin	\$11.00
T5th	53	Bill McConlogue	\$11.00
9th	54	Jim Amende	\$ 7.00

See you on the links.



Computer Club News

The Port Ludlow Computer Club general meeting is set for Monday, **February 8th**, 7:00 p.m. Plan to arrive at 6:30 p.m. for cookies, coffee and conversation. The main program is on Voice Recognition. Bernie's Vignette will feature a Multiple Windows Demo. If you're tired of waiting every time you change Internet Websites, or wonder if

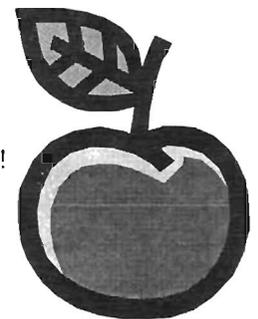


there isn't some way to speed things up for reading newspapers, help is on the way! Come watch some ways to utilize the flexibility of Windows95/98 Multiple Windows feature! If you haven't got all day to wait for the website you want to

appear, you won't want to miss this one!

Beginner's Class

The January/February classes are now underway with several of our residents having received new computers for Christmas. When these classes are completed, the PLCC Educational Program will have trained over 120 Port Ludlow residents in the past year on the fundamentals of Windows95/98, Email, Letter Writing and Internet Browsing. Many of these beginners go on to become PLCC members to learn more and have a friendly support group as they progress. We ask all our members to encourage anyone who is struggling with their computer or who contemplates a new purchase to join one of the future classes. All many people need is a little encouragement!



Attention Apple Users!

Unite, you Apple owners! We know there are quite a few of you out there and, like Windows users, some of you can use help or be of help to other users (even Windows users). Many of you use software nearly identical to Windows applications. Please let us know who you are and if you would like to be part of an Apple Special Interest Group (SIG).

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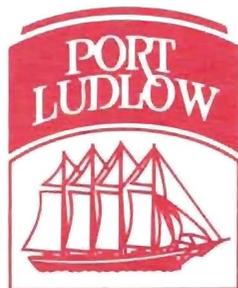
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Shrimp Fettuccini Lg. shrimp sautéed in garlic w/pasta tossed in Alfredo Sauce. \$13.75	3 Grilled Lamb Chops. Served with roasted potatoes, vegetables & house salad. \$14.75	4 Prime Rib Night with all you can eat salad bar. \$10.50	5	6 
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14 Valentine's Day Dinner and Drink Specials in the Harbormaster Restaurant.	15 Monday Night Winter Special in the Wreckroom Lounge	16 Shrimp Fettuccini Lg. shrimp sautéed in garlic w/pasta tossed in Alfredo Sauce. \$13.75	17 Grilled Lamb Chops. Served with roasted potatoes, vegetables & house salad. \$14.75	18 Prime Rib Night with all you can eat salad bar. \$10.50	17	18 Bring your Valentine to the Harbormaster on the 14th for a romantic dinner. Enjoy delectable appetizer, entrée, and dessert specials. Wine & Champagne specials too! Reservations are recommended!
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News, Events, and Classified Input

Your input is encouraged. We will be happy to print your special events and news items if they pertain to the Village, or activities that impact the Village.

The mission of the Port Ludlow Voice is to inform its readers of events and activities within the Village, and close proximity to the Village. The Voice will print news articles that directly affect the residents of the Village. Contact Mary at 437-0268, Bonnie at 437-2583, Myrdelle at 437-0349, John at 437-0351, Barbara at 437-9726, or Kate at 437-5156.

We will attempt to return any photos you provide to us but cannot be responsible for their loss.

A Thank You from the Children

Thank you, South Bay residents for your continued generosity and support of Karla's Caring Tree for Christmas for Children. This year, 40 children each received one "need" and one "wish", thus helping to make their holiday a happy one.



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