



# PORT LUDLOW VOICE

## Too Much Water A Major Problem For Our Village

By *Ralph Thomas*

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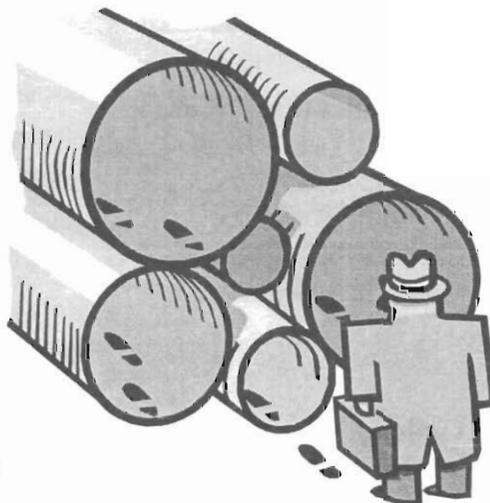
The rain is on its' way and we are heading for another bad winter. We have a big problem with storm water control in our Village and it is not getting any better. Currently we have major flooding in homes on Montgomery Lane and Montgomery Court. One resident of Montgomery Court has already spent over \$5,000 to move storm water off his property without causing any more damage to the bluff. Another one of our neighbors has a property for sale on Montgomery Court and has expressed concern about a possible building moratorium and the effect on the sale of his property if the problem of storm water control is not settled. This situation would of course be the same for anyone who is contemplating the sale of any home or lot.

The issue of a building moratorium was first mentioned at a CLOA meeting by County Commissioner Glen Huntingford. He was contacted and stated that he does not contemplate a moratorium at this time, but was merely addressing the seriousness of the problem and the fact that if it is not addressed a moratorium was a possibility. Currently the three big players, ORM, LMC and the county are meeting to come up with a solution. These meetings have been ongoing for the past few

months and it is hoped that some progress will be made. Meanwhile word of additional drainage problems, (on the hill) has been coming up. Apparently water is coming out of the greenbelt and is causing drainage problems for the hillside residents.

At a recent LMC meeting ORM stated a willingness to assist in repairing a corroded out-fall pipe in order to take care of an immediate short term need if LMC would address future and longer term storm water issues. After thirty years it can be expected that other pipes may fail from wear and LMC needs to be prepared for such possibilities. Some solutions have been discussed but not agreed upon by the three parties at this time.

Meanwhile we look forward to another wet winter with our storm water problem still with us. Many residents have suggested that the proper way to proceed would be to address the immediate problem now and determine liability later rather than do nothing for another winter. The Voice feels that this is an issue of community concern and will provide space to the three players to publish their views on the problem. We are aware there is a fourth player and that is the residents. We are



*What size pipe do we need for an La Nina storm?*

the problem is primarily on the north side of the Village, the south bay must also address the issue. Currently some of our south bay neighbors pay for storm water maintenance as part of their Association dues.

Some residents feel the county should form a Storm Water Management District for the entire Village, collect a fee as part of property taxes and provide long-term management and maintenance. It would be more economical than the present system in the south bay villages where residents pay their homeowners association to control storm water.

Another solution to the immediate problem advanced by a resident was to have all of the homeowner associations work together to control the problem in the Village. This idea does not seem to be as economical as having the county maintain storm water control. As more homes are built the impervious surface increases and the control problem increases. This problem will not go away it must be addressed and sooner rather than later. Next month we will hear from the County as to what they expect to happen to resolve this problem.

The Voice has learned that the county has taken steps to repair the culvert on Montgomery Lane near Libby Court. Unfortunately the drainage system that is not on the county right of way will not be repaired by the county.

## First Annual Port Ludlow Wine Tasting

Don't miss the first annual Port Ludlow wine tasting to be conducted on Sunday **December 6th** from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the Bayroom of the Beach Club. David Brockavich, wine steward/buyer for Fred Meyer, Inc. will take us through a blind tasting of ten medium priced wines from the major wine producers. Bernie Robinson will provide hot and cold appetizers.



Everyone will receive an imprinted wineglass to use during the evening and keep as a remembrance.

Tickets, are \$15.00 each and are available at the Bay Club or Beach Club. This promises to be a lot of fun.



## Chimney Maintenance For a Warm and Safe Winter

In 1996, chimneys were the second highest area of origin for residential structure fires in Washington State and accounted for 12% of all structure fires.

The Chimney Safety Institute of America reports that creosote accumulation is the leading cause of chimney fires. A chimney that is dirty, blocked or is in disrepair can inhibit proper venting of smoke up the flue and can also cause a chimney fire. Nearly all residential fires originating in the chimney are preventable. An annual chimney inspection by certified chimney sweep can prevent fire or carbon monoxide poisoning. The Chimney Safety Institute of America recommends the following chimney safety tips:



- Have your chimney checked every year.
- Burn only well seasoned dry wood.
- Install a chimney cap.
- Have your chimney waterproofed.
- Install a carbon monoxide detector in your home.
- Have your chimney flashing inspected and maintained.
- Have a sealing damper installed in your wood-burning system.
- Have your chimney sweep ensure that your chimney has an appropriate liner.
- Following a violent storm, earthquake, flood or lightning strike, have your chimney inspected for damage.
- Hire a certified chimney sweep.

## Book Signing, by Our Local author



Evelyn Wooton will be on hand at the Bay Club Friday, **December 4th**, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. to sign her book, *The Gourmet Afloat – Tips From A Galley Slave.*

## Happy Holidays



From the staff of your paper our most sincere wishes for a happy holiday season. May your New Year be just great!

## Excerpts From The LMC Strategic Planning Report

By Dave Graham

*Dave Graham, chairman of the LMC Strategic Planning Committee, suggested that those LMC members who have not had a chance to read the committee's report might be interested in reading a few excerpts from the report here in the Voice.*

### Dave's' Excerpts

The LMC Board of Trustees commissioned an ad hoc committee, named the Strategic Planning Committee, in January of 1998 to look at the future of LMC within the Port Ludlow community. Something similar had been done about eight years ago and in light of the present rapidly developing changes in the Village, that previous study needed to be updated.

The LMC Strategic Planning Committee's report was presented to the LMC Board on May 24, 1998. Subsequently, the LMC Board had a study of the report made by several standing committees. No questions were ever referred to the Strategic Planning Committee by the LMC Board, nor was any contact made with the Committee on the subject after submission of the report.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Committee who worked so hard on this report for four months, donating hundreds of hours of their personal time to detail the future problems faced by LMC and to highlight potential solutions to those problems. Your effort, as I view it, produced a highly successful documentation of the facts as we face them—a documentation which will certainly stand the test of time.

If LMC members have further interest in reading about this subject, the five page Summary Report and the twenty-three page Adjunct Report are available to you from the LMC at the Beach Club. If you are an LMC member who doesn't live in the area and would like to receive a copy by mail, please send \$2 to cover printing and mailing; and the report will be sent to you. In the following, there are some excerpts from the report and some additional comments or clarifications by me which are underlined.

### PROBLEMS FACED BY LMC

Loss of resort revenue totaling approximately \$82,000 per year from around mid-year 2000 forward. This is due to the

fact that the Resort will no longer be making use of LMC facilities for reasons outlined in the Committee's Adjunct Report. There could be an additional loss of revenue as well from the Admiralty Condominiums depending upon future negotiations between ORM and Admiralty owners (and LMC).

Continued aging of the club requiring increasing amounts of maintenance money. ORM is recognizing the obsolete and deteriorating nature of their resort facilities and we should take heed that our club is a part of that operation.

Potential for a major capital drain on the LMC membership for repair and maintenance of failing storm drain systems. If the situation isn't properly resolved, a future moratorium on construction in North Bay by the County could result, with a major impact on the real estate market, including making unbuilt lots unsaleable, and probable subsequent class action suits.

Club is far from modern in its functionality. Functionality as used here means the amenities which it presents for the enjoyment of the membership. It presents more of the personality of simply a building without attributes of a club as the term is used today, being further defined by a breakdown of its operating cost, as primarily a very good swimming facility.

Inability to compete with the Bay Club or Resort for the patronage of outside groups who could provide revenue -- unless improvements are made.

Future dependency on the Bay Club or Resort to handle certain large-size functions.

Future need of the Bay Club to charge LMC members for use of their club as their membership grows and their facilities become crowded -- or even restrict certain uses.

Likely inability of LMC Board to gain approval by vote from the membership of appropriations for improvement of the club. This is due to the diverse makeup and interests of the LMC membership as explained in the Adjunct Report.

Unlikelihood of ever finding a party other than ORM with an interest in our property. In fact, it may be impossible, since the deed restrictions make it prohibitive for the

property to be used, for commercial, residential, or industrial purposes, without ORM's consent.

Potential loss of aid from ORM or loss of ability to gain agreement with ORM or others on important matters by not pursuing issues in a timely manner and missing the presently open window of opportunity. No action has ever been taken to my knowledge on two recommendations, not mentioned here, which our Committee made in writing, and several times orally in LMC meetings, concerning negotiations which should be made with ORM for the benefit of the members of the LMC.

#### COST CUTTING MEASURES

Close the club on certain days and/or half-days. The Bay Club does this now.

Renegotiate insurance policies.

Institute additional fees for members who use the swimming facilities. Promote changes to the Bylaws for this purpose if that is necessary. A maximum of 20-percent of LMC members use the swim facilities (10-percent on a regular basis).

Consider discontinuing the operation of the outside pool. This option was estimated to save approximately \$20,000 per year.

Consider closing the club completely for daily use. Maintain grounds and club in good condition and open only for defined special occasions such as LMC meetings, potlucks, etc. Members who wish to participate, swim either at the Bay Club or at the new resort under special memberships arranged with those organizations. This option was estimated to save on the order of \$200,000 per year (45% of LMC's total costs for all activities)

Investigate possible economies of a cooperative arrangement with the Bay Club for the reduction of management, greenbelt, gardening and security expenses. This could include single management of both clubs, but even in a partial arrangement savings should still be available in areas such as accounting, procurement, and any bid-upon activities.

Pursue opportunities to combine the Bay Club and Beach Club into a one facility operation. Operating costs for one

facility versus two are dramatically lower. A savings of over \$200,000 per year to the residents of the combined club areas.

#### REVENUE RAISING MEASURES

Sell the property above the adjacent parking lot and invest the funds for capital needs.

Market the club facilities to outside groups for their functions (need improved facilities to be competitive with Bay Club and Resort). Institute guest fees for members' guests use of the facilities.

Provide a new membership category for those outside LMC who would like to use the facilities — there can be several levels depending upon restrictions.

#### RELATIONSHIP WITH BAY CLUB

Irrespective of the cost cutting possibilities of joint operation, as a minimum, benefit could be derived from some type of binding agreement on the mutual use of both facilities by all the residents of Port Ludlow, incorporating whatever restrictions would be agreeable to both parties.

#### RELATIONSHIP WITH A NEW RESORT

At an appropriate time, negotiations should proceed with ORM to gain assurance that the major (550 capacity) meeting room in the new resort will be made available to the membership of LMC. Through negotiations we should try to gain use of the room for a specified number of events per year: at a very nominal use rate— hopefully, even a certain number gratis.

#### MANAGEMENT'S ROLE

We believe that as important as the other items outlined in this report is management's role in changing the approach to guiding the Corporation.

We believe that the Trustees must look toward building income along with accommodating the desires of the membership. And, that they should do this with an aggressive approach, bypassing the staid rules where necessary and changing the Bylaws, if that's what it takes to obtain the desired results.

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# Beach Club Update

## Annual Holiday Tree Cutting

The Explorers Club Annual Holiday Tree Cutting trip will be held Thursday, **Dec. 3rd.** ORM allows us to cut a tree of our choice on Pope land every year so bring your trucks and chain saws or what ever you need to bring down a tree for the holidays.



We will meet at the Beach Club at 9:00 AM for coffee and rolls. After tree cutting we will meet back at the Club for glugg and mulled cider to be enjoyed with your own sack lunch.

Sign up at the Beach or Bay Club and pay \$1.00 to cover refreshments. Call Bernie Robinson at 437-0703 for further information.

## North Bay Annual Holiday Gala

Mark your calendars for Saturday, **December 12th** for the North Bay Annual Holiday Gala. A catered dinner with a choice of prime-rib or baked halibut will be served.

Indicate your preference when you buy tickets which will be \$20.00 per person including wine with dinner.

Cocktails will be served between 6 and 7 in the Cove Room. Bring your own bottle.

This festive occasion will feature special Christmas music. Sign up at the Beach Club. Remember, this occasion is always a sell out.

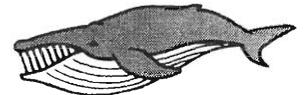
## Cruise Club News

Let's get ready for '99 cruising. Kick off the season on Thursday, January 21st. Gather at the Bay Club from 3 to 5 p.m. for refreshments and a surprise program that is sure to get you excited. Come prepared for extra fun — please bring a photo you have taken on one of your voyages and see what happens!

RSVP Lee & David Barnes 437-0567

## Humpback Whales Visit The Beach club

The Village was treated in November to an interesting presentation on the Humpback Whale. The Alaskan Whale Foundation, a non-profit group, has its' boat anchored in Mats Mats Bay the home of its chief researcher Fred Sharpe. The Alaska Whale Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to marine mammal research, education, and conservation. Mr. Sharpe is a Ph.D. candidate doing research on the whales.



AWF founder Fred Sharpe's interest in humpbacks stems from his work as a naturalist, author, and wildlife illustrator. Mr. Sharpe presented a great whale slide show complete with whale songs and an interesting and informative talk.

The audience was very enthusiastic and kept the speaker answering questions for an hour after the presentation was complete. We also had the pleasure of going on board the research boat that the foundation uses in its Alaskan whale research. This boat, the Evolution was a gift of Harold and Mariann Moe of Port Ludlow. The boat is a former Navy launch vessel fifty feet in length and powered by a diesel engine. The boat has proven to be quite an advantage in the foundations research. Frank Mullholland, one of the founders of Port Ludlow, was a former owner of the boat.

For more information call Vicki Beaver at 206 726-2501 or Fred Sharpe at 604 291-4374.

OOPS: Last month we ran an article about our local medical care. It has since been brought to our attention that we neglected to mention:  
Kim Wright, LMP, 437-9566  
Piper Diehl, LMP, 437-0602 AND  
We misspelled Kerry Lyn Pessin, LMP of Ludlow Bay Body Care, plus her wedding day is really Dec. 12th and not the 17th. Sorry 'bout that. *Editors*

# Bay Club Update

## COMING ATTRACTIONS

All events are at the Bay Club unless otherwise indicated.

- Dec. 1st**, Tues., 10:30 a.m. Christmas Cookie Exchange
- Dec. 4th**, Fri., 6:00 p.m. Free Spirits Christmas Dinner
- Dec. 5th**, Sat. 5 p.m.-10 p.m. PLYC Change of Watch
- Dec. 6th**, Sun., 6:00-9:00 p.m., Beach Club Port Ludlow First Annual Wine Tasting
- Dec. 10th**, Thurs. 5 p.m.-10 p.m. Hiking Club Dinner
- Dec. 11th**, Fri. 5 p.m.-7 p.m. Member Cocktail Party
- Dec. 13th**, Sun., 3:00 p.m. Arts Council Peninsula Singers
- Dec. 16th**, Weds. Noon-10 p.m. Denise Nielson Wedding
- Dec. 18th**, Fri. 4 p.m.-8 p.m. Bridge Club Christmas Dinner /Dance
- Dec. 19th**, Sat. 6 p.m.-12 p.m. ORM Christmas Party
- Dec. 25th**, Fri. Bay Club closed
- Dec. 31st**, Fri., 7:30 p.m. Free Spirits New Year's Eve Party. Don't forget the Bay Club is now closed on Sundays.

## CARLA'S CARING CHRISTMAS TREE

Keep an eye out for Carla's Caring Christmas Tree in the lobby of the Bay Club. Take a tag from the tree and replace it with a gift for a needy child. This tree is a traditional community Christmas giving event which encompasses the whole county and is designed to give some cheer to kids who normally "fall through the cracks." Carla was a wonderful lady who started this tree several years ago, and the tradition is still being carried on in her memory.



## ADDITIONAL (since last month) SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

There are signup sheets at the Bay Club to see how many people are interested in:

Chicago-style Bridge **Thursdays**, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Pairs are needed to get a group together for a different style

bridge than is normally played here.

Middle Eastern Dance **Tuesdays**, 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Here is a chance to have fun AND get in some great exercise.

## NEW FACES TO WELCOME

Inner Harbor Village: 

Dave and Sue MacFarlane Fay and Bob Kerr

Edgewood Village: Don and Sandy Haas, Mona Edfeldt

South Bay Estates: Loretta and Ken Close

## PERSONALITIES OF THE MONTH:

### Loretta Close

Loretta is a new member of the South Bay community along with her husband Ken, but is better known as the smiling face behind the reception desk at our Bay Club. Loretta and Ken moved here in July from Northern California after taking early retirement--Ken from AT&T and Loretta from Clorox where for seven years she was the Administrative Assistant to the Manager of Insect Research and Development (ever hear of Black Flag?). She was originally from Washington and then they spent time in Portland, OR, so this area was a natural for them. They are currently renting white building on their lot here in South Bay I.

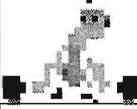
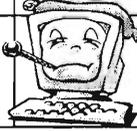
They have two married daughters, are both interested in golf, and Loretta's particular pastime is making porcelain dolls, including all the clothes. Anyone with granddaughters out there? She sells them, too.

Anyway, one day about six weeks ago, Loretta came into the Bay Club for their membership cards, and casually

asked Mike if they ever needed secretarial help. Mike said: "Are you an angel?," hired her on the spot as Office Manager, and the rest, they say, is history. He and Art can probably assume there won't be any bugs in the office either. Loretta: We're all glad you're here. You, Mike and Art are one terrific tri!



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Activity	Mon.	Tues.	Weds.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
<b>Aquarobics</b> 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.
<b>Aquawalk</b> 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.	8-9 a.m.
<b>Aerobics</b> 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.	
<b>Rockettes</b> Advanced tap dancing. Instructed. Fee.	9:30-11 a.m.		9:30	9:30-11 a.m.		9:30-11 a.m.
<b>Steppin' Out</b> Tap dancing. Instructed. Fee.	11-12:15 a.m.			11-12:15 a.m.	9:30-10:30 a.m.	
<b>Beginning Bridge</b> Learn while playing. 	1-4 p.m.					
<b>Fly Tyers:</b> Feathers, thread and imagination come together in creations that tempt the fishies.		9-12 a.m.				
<b>Therapeutic Exercise:</b> Energize, wake up your spine. Instructed. Fee.					9:45-10:45 a.m.	
<b>Strength Training</b> Work your way to fitness. Instructed. Fee.		8-9 a.m.		8-9 a.m.		8-9 a.m.
<b>Yoga</b> Excellent non aerobic exercise. Instructed. Fee.		9:30-10:45 a.m.				
<b>Ludlow Liners:</b> All level of dancers welcome. Great fun. Good exercise.	3:00-4:30 p.m.					
<b>Quilters By the Bay</b> Beginners through expert.			1-3 p.m.			
<b>Arts and Crafts</b> Meet to share techniques and ideas.				10 a.m.-12 p.m.		
<b>Overtricks</b> Chicago-style bridge in the afternoon.					1-4 p.m.	
<b>Computer Club</b> Topics vary bring your questions and problems. 						11 a.m.-12 p.m.

## Bill Goes Bosnian

Actually Bill Schoenemann went to Bosnia for the month of October. Why?, you might ask. There is a US non-profit organization called IESC (International Executive Service Corps) that provides volunteers for USAID.

They recruited Bill to help an emerging company (actually a sawmill selling beechwood to furniture companies) in a village outside of Sarajevo. He was to assist with the standardization of their quality control so they subsequently can become "certified" (much like the UL seal on electrical products).

What he found in Bosnia was a country struggling to get on its feet after its infrastructure had been torn apart. Of course, most people he came in contact with had lost family members, many of them shot down right in front of their wives and children. Bill sensed the despair which pervades throughout a truly beautiful country, and the hatred that has prevailed between peoples for thousands of years.

He hopes to have contributed in some way to a rebuilding of confidence and hope, by improving the growth and development of an industry that is providing much needed jobs to a populace that has 70% unemployment. While Bill is glad he went, being back home in Port Ludlow sure feels like Paradise.

## First Wednesday Monthly Luncheon

Wednesday **December 2nd** - 11:00 a.m. at The Bay Club Lunch (no charge) served at 11:30 a.m. All Port Ludlow residents & guests are welcome. After a brief meeting at noon, The Choral Belles will spread Christmas Cheer with their music. If you've heard them before, you'll be there. If you haven't heard them, you're in for a Real Treat!

Donations for the Tri Area Food Bank (cash and food) always welcome. Share Christmas this year by bringing an unwrapped toy for a child – 6 months - ? Last year 377 children benefited by the Village's generosity.

### "SNEAK PREVIEW"

Carol Saber will spice up our Wednesday **January 6th** luncheon!

Questions: Call Shirley Johnston at 437-2695.

## Free Spirits

Free Spirits is a membership organization open to members of the South Bay Community Association. Its mission is to provide social gatherings for its members, generally with dinners and entertainment at the Bay Club. There is an annual fee, and members are expected to volunteer their services from time to time. To the extent that space is available, non-members, be they in the SBCA or not, are invited



to attend its events. There are two events scheduled for December — the Christmas Party on Friday, **December 4**, and the New Year's Eve Gala Dinner Dance on Thursday, **December 31**. Both of these are expected to be sell-outs, so make your plans early to avoid disappointment.

Reservations may be made now at the Bay Club by Free Spirits members for themselves and their houseguests (friends and relatives who do not normally live in this area and who will be temporarily staying with them or at a nearby hotel or campsite during the time of the event). When capacity is reached, members may place their names on a wait-list. Non-members may place their names on the wait-list at any time. After November 28 (for the Christmas Party) or December 1 (for the New Year's Dinner Dance), any unsold or returned tickets will be offered to those on the wait-list, with priority to members.

Friday, **December 4**. Free Spirits Christmas Party. Cocktails and appetizers at 6 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m.



Thursday, **December 31**. Free Spirits New Year's Eve Gala Dinner Dance. Cocktails and appetizers at 7:30 p.m. Dinner at 9:00 p.m. Dancing to "The Most Notables" until 1999.

REMINDER: There is a wreathmaking machine available in the Bay Club craft room. Just sign up at the front desk before using it. Ann Radwick

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## LMC Report Continued

In line with promoting activities which will generate income, we recommend that the Trustees should redefine the role of the Club Manager, empowering him to reflect a culture of innovation and change to the end that he seeks out and promotes sponsorship of events and activities that will generate funds for the Corporation. Note that virtually all activities of this type take place today at the Bay Club. Our Club is presently being managed by volunteers from the LMC Operations Committee with significant paid assistance from retired manager, Mike De Renzo.

We see the approach as being one of running a Profit Making Organization, for the purposes of reducing dues and increasing the benefits provided for the enjoyment of the membership.

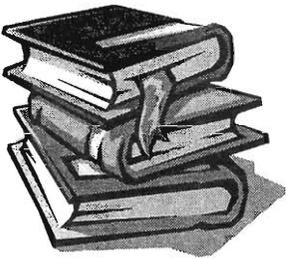
*Editor's Note: **The Port Ludlow Voice** will print any additional information on this subject when and if it is available from an official organization in Port Ludlow that has something to contribute.*

### 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

## Book Club Holiday Dinner Party



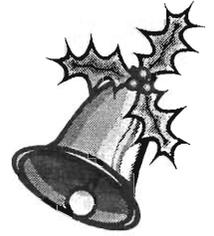
The Book Club will get together Tuesday, **December 8th**, at the Heron Beach Inn for a holiday dinner party and discussion of Diane Kearns Goodwin's book, 'Wait Until Next Year.'

The meeting will begin at 6:00 p.m. Bring a book for a gift exchange. For more information, call Lois Daley at 437-0748.

## Port Gamble Country Christmas

Join in the celebration of an old fashioned Christmas at Port Gamble on Saturday and Sunday **December 12th & 13th** from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Santa arrives by haywagon both days at 10:00 a.m. and will be available for photos from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Walker Ames house. Santa's haywagon will then be available for rides. A grand old tree in the seaside park by the post office will be lighted for the festivities at 10 a.m. Saturday. Many crafts will be offered in the village. The historical homes will be open for touring, and cookies and hot cider welcome you at the visitors center. St. Paul's Episcopal Church, the beautiful gem of the Northwest, will have docents to show you the church. A candlelight Christmas music program will be presented Sunday from 4:00-5:00 p.m. at St. Paul's. Strolling Carolers around the romantically decorated Village will set the scene for a truly memorable Christmas from the past. Call Port Gamble Visitors Center for additional info. 360-297-8200.

Submitted by Mary Lee Pabst 437-0244.



## Port Ludlow Computer Club

### Hard Drive Horrors!

So you think you're private? Will the IRS ever subpoena your Hard Drive? What will they find that you think you deleted??? Bernie's December Vignette will explore this scary subject along with some possible solutions! Quicken users may not want to miss this one!



### PLCC Beginner's Computer Classes

Classes are forming for the New Year to help remove the mystery from your idle computer or possibly your new Xmas gift. There's help for you beginning on Tuesday, **January 26th**, from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. at the Bay Club. These Classes are open to all residents and it is not necessary to be a PLCC member. If you are interested in learning Windows 98, sending & receiving Email, easy Letter

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# 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](mailto:bwagnerj@olympus.net) or call 437-9726 by the 10th of the preceding month.*

## An Afternoon of Carols & Handel's "Messiah"

Dressed in holiday finery, the halls decked with boughs of greenery and holly, the Bay Club comes alive with the sounds and scents of Christmas when the Arts Council presents the **Peninsula Chamber Singers** in a two-part program, Sunday, **December 13** at 3:00 p.m. The first half of the concert features traditional Christmas carols including "Do You Hear What I Hear?," and a zither carol arranged by music director and conductor Dewey Ehling, and "The Three Kings" by Peter Cornelius with a solo by Janice Crist. Kate McDermott is the accompanist.

The scent of cinnamon and cloves fill the air throughout the performance as **Arts Council** members prepare to serve a hot spiced beverage and cookies during intermission.

This season, the **Peninsula Chamber Singers** will present George Frederic Handel's "Messiah" in three different concerts. Part I will be presented in Port Ludlow as the second half of the **Occasional Sunday** holiday program. An established string quartet from Port Angeles will provide accompaniment. The group plans to present Part II in March and Part III in May of 1999 elsewhere on the peninsula.

The Peninsula Chamber Singers have been together for 12 years, and for the past 10 years under the direction of Ehling, who also conducts the Port Townsend Orchestra. Musicians come from all over the north Olympic Peninsula

including Chimacum, Nordland, Port Angeles, Port Ludlow, Port Townsend, and Sequim. While the goal of the group is to sing mostly classical music, they occasionally sing show tunes and folk music.

Individual tickets for this performance can be obtained at the Bay Club for \$6.

## Choral Belles Provide Holiday Music

Port Ludlow's **Choral Belles** have a new repertoire of Christmas music and a full calendar with four performances booked in December. They'll be performing at the **First Wednesday Luncheon, December 2nd**, at the Bay Club. Then, Friday evening, **December 4th**, they'll provide entertainment at the **Free Spirits Christmas Dinner** at the Bay Club.

Sunday, **December 13th** at 5 p.m., the **Belles** have been invited to participate in the holiday program at **St. Paul's Episcopal Church** in Port Gamble. The following Sunday, **December 20th**, at 7 p.m., they can be heard at the **Port Ludlow Community Church**.

Sopranos include Lee Barnes, Joan Gard, Marian Pace, Janet Stark and Bonnie Van Allsburg. Second sopranos are Annette Koch, Harriett Journey, Vi Simos and Carol Thomas. Altos are Val Durling, Dorothy Foust, Louise Timmis and Barbara Wagner-Jauregg. Accompanist is Grace Prussing.

The **Choral Belles'** Christmas repertoire includes such favorites as "A Quintet of Carols," "An Old-Fashioned Christmas," "Gesu Bambino," "O Sing With Celebration," "One Star," "The First Noel/Pachelbel's Canon," "We Wish You a Merry Christmas," and "White Christmas."



## Village Caroling Set for December 17th

Remember how much fun it was to bundle up in warm clothes and venture out in the evening to serenade neighbors and friends with Christmas carols? The Choral Belles invite everyone in the community who likes to sing to join them for an evening of caroling, Thursday, **December 17th**. Carolers are asked to meet at the Bay Club at 6:00 p.m. to get the itinerary and arrange carpooling.

The **Choral Belles** would like names and addresses of Port Ludlow residents who are confined to their homes. Hopefully a visit by the Port Ludlow Carolers will brighten their holiday season. To submit names and addresses of shut-ins that would enjoy hearing the carolers, or for further information, contact Grace Prussing at 437-2986.

### Applause Broadway Review Coming January 23

The New York stage comes to life at the Bay Club on Saturday, **January 23rd**, at 8 p.m. when the dynamic vocalists of the **Applause Broadway Review** present an unforgettable performance of Broadway's greatest hits. Part of the **Arts Council's** four-concert 1998-1999 Mainstage Series, the performance promises rich four-part harmony, vibrant duets, moving solos, elaborate costumes and exquisite staging.

Plan to see moving tributes of the best "the great white way" has to offer including "*Less Miserables*," "*Phantom of the Opera*," and "*Miss Saigon*" mixed with the lighter side of Broadway with show tunes from "*Guys and Dolls*," "*The Will Rogers Follies*" and many more.

Due to limited availability of seating, advance ticket purchases are strongly advised. Individual tickets are \$12.50 each at the Bay Club.

## Audiences Raved, Loved

### "Broadway Goes Hollywood"

A complete sell-out, last month's "*Broadway Goes Hollywood*" was the best show ever staged in Port Ludlow according to enthusiastic fans. Co-produced and directed by Peggy Smith and Choreographer/Dance Director Gary McCurdy, with Peter Mercer at the piano and keyboard, the fast-paced show featured a cast of 44 in 32 acts!

Costuming for the **Rockettes** and **Steppin' Out** dance groups was outstanding. Special thanks to Yvonne Stowe and Nel Winningham for the Rockettes costumes while Carol Saber's design talents were apparent in the **Steppin' Out** costumes. The Las Vegas-style showgirl headpieces worn by the **Rockettes** in "Begin the Beguine" were the handiwork of McCurdy and his assistant Bryan DaSilva with Lois Comella and Terry Freeman responsible for the **Showtime Chorus** costumes. Wardrobe assistance was provided by Dorothy Butler. To see the wonderful handiwork, check out the display of pictures at the Bay Club.

In addition to the production numbers performed by dance groups, the chorus performed several numbers. A number of vocal solos and individual vignette performances rounded out the program. Port Ludlow is lucky to have such a wealth of talent in our midst, it's no wonder the "Broadway" show is so popular with audiences. Planning is already under way for next year's show, "Broadway Salutes America."

Ward Lawler on lights, Bob Force on sound plus the Bay Club staff including Mike Morgan, Bob Buck, Art and Elizabeth Clement and the office staffs of both the Bay and Beach Clubs provided much-needed assistance.

## Broadway Series Beginnings

Five years ago, a lovely lady named Doris Davis suggested to Peggy Smith that they join forces to produce a variety show displaying the multi-talents of the Port Ludlow community. Peggy "of course" agreed, and thus were sown the seeds of what was to become an annual and ever more popular event.

It was decided to add pizzazz to the initial production by giving it a New York format; The first show was called "Hello Broadway" and each succeeding show has included "Broadway" in its title.

Doris had been dancing since childhood (she still is, in Seattle) and had moved to Port Ludlow from Hawaii. It was she who gathered together a few local friends, dance "wannabees", who in short order named themselves the "Port Ludlow Rockettes". Their first routines were introduced as part of "Hello Broadway". Now under the exciting direction of Gary McCurdy, they and their

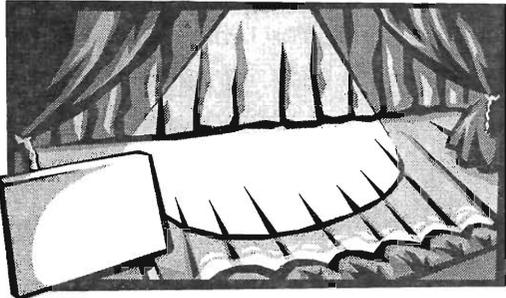
costumes improve with each show. They've "Come a long way, baby"!

Peggy Smith's "Showtime Chorus" also experienced its infancy during the planning of, and rehearsing for, the first production; "Seventy Six Trombones" was that year's show stopper! The chorus remains to this day open to all who enjoy singing and who want to have FUN performing showtunes and familiar American folk music.

Since "Hello Broadway" in 1994, each successive show has followed the original format:

- 1995 "Broadway on Tour"
- 1996 "Broadway Goes International"
- 1997 "Broadway Celebrates Tin Pan Alley"

Each year has seen attendance grow and enthusiasm increase. The full company of



"Broadway Goes Hollywood" is deeply grateful to the extended Port Ludlow community for its support of this year's show. All three performances were sold out well in advance and the response has been music to our ears, prompting the decision to perform next year for two successive weekends, November 5 and 6 and November 12 and 13, 1999. The theme will be "Broadway Salutes America", a rousing, patriotic, pre-millennium celebration with something for everyone!

Broadway Loves You, Port Ludlow!

### South Bay Potluckers Need Help

The next potluck is scheduled for Monday, **January 18th** at the Bay Club. Only three people have signed up for the committee and several more are needed!

Call Pat Lohrey at 437-7760. They really need your help.



### Olympic Music Festival

The Olympic Music Festival completed a very successful fifteenth season at the Barn in Quilcene. The Festival has grown from three or four concerts the first season to twelve weekends of outstanding chamber music featuring members of the original Philadelphia Strong Quartet and other outstanding musicians from all over the world.

Alan Iglitzin, Executive Director of the Festival and one of the founders of the Philadelphia String Quartet, has plans for an expanded sixteenth season totaling twenty-eight concerts over thirteen weekends. The first concert is scheduled for **June 19th** and the last for **September 12th**. Three days of music are planned for the **July 4th** and Labor Day weekends. This will make the Olympic Music Festival the biggest chamber music festival on the West Coast.

By popular demand the New Zealand String Quartet will start the season with concerts the first two weekends. More than two dozen artists, including violist Aian Iglitzin and the all time favorite pianist Paul Hersh, will perform during the 1999 season.

The Chamber Music Institute will again provide three weeks instruction for promising young musicians selected by audition and an opportunity for the students to give several concerts for the public. The final concert free to the public will be given 10 a.m. Sunday, **July 25th** at the barn.

The Friends of the Philadelphia String Quartet, a non-profit organization, provides fiscal support to the Olympic Music Festival. Jim Watson, a Port Ludlow resident active in

***Congratulations  
Jim Watson new  
President of the  
Board.***

many community organizations, has been selected as the new president of the Board of Trustees after serving two years on the board. According to Jim, the Trustees face a formidable challenge in raising funds to offset an existing debt and to

supplement the ticket sales to cover operating expenses. After fifteen years a new ten-year plan will be developed and effort is underway to establish an endowment to preserve the Festival well into the future. The Board is also seeking new members who can bring additional expertise to the effort.



Upper left: **Peggy Smith**, Production Director—Next left: **Peter Mercer**, Music Director  
Upper right: **Peggy and Doris Davis** founder of Broadway series. Bottom right: **Gary McCurdy** Dance Director  
and some of the many lovely ladies who entertained us in such fine fashion.

# Marinas News

## Port Ludlow Lighted Boat Parade

“Deck the Boats!” is the theme of the third annual Port Ludlow Lighted Boat Parade. Decorated boats will parade in Ludlow Bay on December 12 beginning at 7 p.m. This traditional holiday gift to the community is sponsored by the Port Ludlow Marina, the Heron Beach Inn and the Port Ludlow Resort. Host for the parade is the Port Ludlow Yacht Club. This year’s parade judges are Pam Grove and Karen Best.

The boats will leave their slips about 6:45, form up in the west end of the bay, then parade past the judges who will be viewing the parade from the marina’s A-dock. The public is invited to see the parade on the beach at Burner Point. The marina staff will build a bon fire on the beach and the Resort will provide coffee and cocoa for the community. Parking is in the marina parking lot.

Once past Burner Point the boats will parade past the resort and parallel to Montgomery Lane. Then the Cruise Captain will turn the parade south to cruise past the south shore of the bay, before returning to the marina.



Once all the boats are tied back in their slips the skippers and their crews will meet at the Inn for an after parade party and the awarding of the prizes for the best decorated boats. First prize is a month’s moorage in the marina.

Registration forms for the Lighted Boat Parade are available at the marina store.

## Holiday Shopping

Holiday shopping begins in earnest at the marina store on Sunday evening, **November 29**. That’s the night of the annual Holiday Open House. The marina store is full of stocking stuffer ideas and lots of Port Ludlow logo clothing.

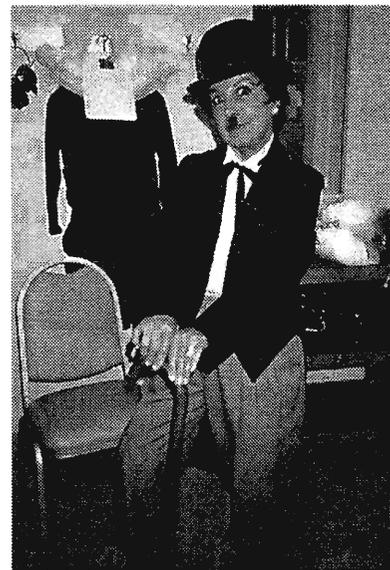
The Open House runs from 7 p.m. to 9. Shoppers will be treated to hot cider and holiday treats. The event will feature the lighting of the marina’s holiday lights and coincides with the Open House at the Heron Beach inn.

New this year is the opportunity to take up to a 100% discount on purchases that evening. Shoppers will select an ornament off the tree. Each ornament contains a discount that could be as high at 100%.

## Spirit Of Glacier Bay

Marina visitors have been curious about “The Spirit of Glacier Bay” from Anchorage that has been seen at our docks for the last couple of weeks. The boat is under contract to the underwater cable laying operation that is operating in the Puget Sound. The Glacier Bay functions as the hotel boat, providing cable crews with room and board while on the job. Periodically the vessel returns to Port Ludlow to change crews, take on provisions and water. They expect to finish the cable project around December 1.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM THE STAFF OF THE MARINA! GOD BLESS US, EVERYONE!



Who is this strange person?

## Performing Arts Calendar

**December, 1998**

**Fri., Dec. 4, Sat., Dec. 5, 8:00 p.m.**

**Sun., Dec. 6, 3:00 p.m.**

“The Traditional Nutcracker,” Peninsula Dance Theatre),  
Bremerton High School Performing Arts Center,  
360-377-6214.

**Fri., Dec. 4, 11, 18, Sat., Dec. 5, 12, 19, 7:30 p.m.**

**Sun., Dec. 6 & 13, 3:00 p.m.**

“The Little Prince,” holiday family musical, The Playhouse  
(formerly BPA Cultural Center), Bainbridge Island,  
206-842-8569.

**Fri., Dec. 4 & 11, Sat., Dec. 5 & 12, 4:00 p.m. Sun.,**

**Dec. 6 & 13, 6:00 p.m.**

“Mr. Scrooge,” Central Stage Theatre of County Kitsap  
(CSTOCK), Silverdale Community Theatre, 360-692-9940.

**Sun., Dec. 6, 4:00 p.m.**

Larry Curtis, Port Townsend Woodwind Quartet & Olympic  
Saxophone Quartet, Ravenscroft Inn, 360-385-2784.

**Sun., Dec. 6, 6:00 p.m.**

Northwest Boychoir, St. Paul’s Episcopal Church,  
Bremerton, 360/377-0106.

**Wed., Dec. 9, 7:00 p.m.**

Navy Band Seattle, Bremerton High School Auditorium,  
free admission, send self-addressed envelope to Bremerton  
Sun, P.O. Box 259, Bremerton 98337.

**Thurs., Dec. 10, Fri., Dec. 11 & 18, Sat., Dec. 12 & 19,**  
**8:00 p.m. Sun., Dec. 20, 2:30 p.m.**

“Amahl and the Night Visitor,” BCT & Kitsap Opera,  
Bremerton Community Theatre, 360-373-5152.

**Fri., Dec. 11, Mon., Dec. 14, 7:30 p.m. Sat., Dec. 12, Sun.,**  
**Dec. 13, 6:00 p.m. Sat., Dec. 12, 2:00 p.m.**

“The Christmas Post”, 1940’s-style dramatic musical, Christ  
Memorial Church, Poulsbo, 360-779-5515.

**Sat., Dec. 12, 8:00 p.m.**

Port Angeles Symphony Orchestra with Jonathan & Stephe-  
nie Shames, piano, and the women of the Peninsula Chamber  
Singers, Port Angeles High School Auditorium,  
360-457-5579.

**Sat., Dec. 12, 6:30 p.m. Dinner, 8:00 p.m. Show**

The Applause Broadway Review, Admiral Theatre,  
Bremerton, 360-373-6743.

**Sun., Dec. 13, 3:00 p.m.**

Sounds of Christmas, Peninsula Chamber Singers, Port Lud-  
low Arts Council, Bay Club, 360-437-2208.

**Sun., Dec. 13, 3:00 p.m.**

Carols of Christmas, Bremerton Symphony Orchestra,  
Bremerton High School Performing Arts Center,  
360-373-1722.

**Thurs., Dec. 17, 2:30 p.m.**

“Livingstone, Darwin, and Tocqueville: Eyewitnesses on  
Global Frontiers,” by Donald Holsinger, Inquiring Mind  
lecture by Jefferson County Library, 360-385-6544.

**Sat., Dec. 19, 7:00 p.m. Dinner, 8:30 p.m. Show**

Glen Yarbrough, “The Forgotten Carols,” Admiral Theatre,  
Bremerton, 360-373-6743.

We have lots of good entertainment this holiday season.  
Enjoy!

## Christmas Activities at Port Ludlow Community Church

**Sun. Dec. 6, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** A Gingerbread Decorating  
Party is planned for children ages 5-11. Parents are wel-  
come. Younger children are also invited if  
accompanied by an adult. RSVP to Sandy  
Cooney at 437-0796.

**Sun. Dec. 13, 10:30 a.m.** A Children’s  
Christmas Program will be part of the  
worship hour. Everyone is welcome to  
attend a Christmas potluck following the  
service.

**Sun. Dec. 20, 7:00 p.m.** The Port Ludlow Choral Belles  
Christmas Presentation will include a selection of Christmas  
music.

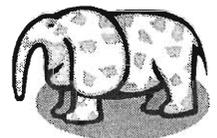
**Thurs. Dec. 24, 7:00 p.m.** A Christmas Eve Candlelight  
Service will celebrate Christ’s birth with an evening of mu-  
sic and worship. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday morning service times are 8:15 and 10:30 a.m.

For more information call Port Ludlow Community Church  
at 437-0145.



Check out our Classified  
section, you may be able to  
sell that white elephant you  
got for Christmas last year!



## Reprint Of A Letter To Sally Smith, CLOA

### OLYMPIC RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

A Pope Resources Company

November 5, 1998

Dear Sally:

We would like to take an opportunity to thank you and all the individual supporters and participants in the long battle for a favorable outcome to the Comprehensive Plan, Zoning Regulation and Subdivision Ordinance approval process. Just two short years ago our company could not have envisioned such broad support. In particular, the meeting at the County Courthouse on October 26th was a highlight of my own career. It was moving for me and the other ORM representatives to have all the support. I know that Mr. Tucker was quite delighted and recognized that one of his own important objectives was achieved. Please accept our gratitude for the determination and energy you and CLOA and many others have demonstrated so well.

As you know, our expectation that the Interim Zoning Regulations, which we hoped to have completed by today, will now very likely take several more weeks to resolve. The purpose of my letter is to attempt to put a timeline on several unresolved issues which have been delayed by this process.

ORM recently announced the formation of a new set of companies we call the "Baby Oly" companies. The developed lots still owned by Pope Resources such as those in Timberton and Teal Lake Village will soon be transferred to Olympic Real Estate and Development (ORED). The undeveloped parcels within the Port Ludlow planning boundary such as Ludlow Cove and Creekside will be transferred to the Olympic Property Group (OPG). With these transfers we hope to record a set of development standards that will encumber the properties.

At the time we initiated the Planning Forum we heard many concerns with regard to the certainty of development standards for these undeveloped properties. ORM agreed that if the community, through CLOA, and the developer could agree on development standards and meet other business objectives identified in the Planning Forum, then ORM would record covenants on the properties. Accordingly, regardless of who the developer is, the community could be assured that future development would be consistent with the agreed upon standards.

ORM and CLOA recently did agree on a set of development standards which we refer to as Appendix A. Although Appendix A may have to be revised somewhat based on the outcome of the Zoning Regulations, we hope to record those agreed upon standards as we move the various properties into the new "Baby Oly" companies. It is our expectation that the properties will be transferred prior to December 31, 1998. I would like this information to be communicated to the CLOA Board and then publish an article in the Village Voice on the same topic.

Our consulting agreement with Mike Derrig will expire December 31, 1998. We feel Mike has done a superb job facilitating the Planning Forum. Mike and I will meet next week to wrap up loose ends and prepare a communication to the community on the outcomes. Some issues still need work and we hope to pass the ball where appropriate.

With regard to the Planning Forum, one of ORM's goals was to form community support for a final Port Ludlow development plan. Notwithstanding the political obstacles with Jefferson County, we believe that objective has been achieved. In fact, as noted earlier, a broad consensus exists between ORM and the community for the vision of Port Ludlow's final development phase. Fortunately, the Community also recognizes the value of a healthy and vital Resort in order to maintain a pulse for the Community.

Based on our expectation that final regulations will be completed this year, it is time to begin a feasibility study of the conceptual resort plan. We wish to complete this effort by March 31, 1999. This study should also tell us how the Admiralty I and II condos can best fit into the plan and how to value them. We expect to be able to meet with CLOA and the broader community with a plan to move forward by that time.

We hope you find this information useful. We continue to look forward to the constructive input and leadership you and your organization have provided.

Sincerely,

Greg McCarry

Senior Vice President Real Estate

## Port Ludlow Garden Club

The Garden Club meets at 8:15 a.m. on Wednesday, **December 9th** at the Bay Club parking lot. A Christmas shopping extravaganza at University Village in Seattle will be our program for December.

We will bus over and shop at our leisure at the huge selection of shops and stores including Molbaks. We will again have lunch at the Roasted Pepper. Time permitting we plan to stop at Wight's Garden center in Lynwood.

When making pre-paid reservations with Bonnie at 437-9694 or Myrdelle at 437-0349, specify your choice of entree. The choice will be either a chicken or eggplant course along with soup or salad, beverage and dessert. The bus transportation is \$20.00 and the lunch \$12.25.

**Garden Tip:** At month's end after you've pruned and groomed perennial and shrub beds, spread a layer of mulch around plants.

Also don't forget that container plants suffer in winter because their roots can freeze easily and require protection. If you can not move the container to an

unheated garage or greenhouse, the simplest method is to dig a hole and sink the container and all in the ground in a well-drained spot until spring.



## Port Ludlow Farmer's Market

The Port Ludlow Farmer's Market will be held at the Port Ludlow Firehall on Saturday, **November 28th** for the last market of the season. Anyone wishing to bring vegetables, plants or other items for sale are encouraged to participate. Crafts and holiday gift items also will be offered. Market hours will be 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

The Farmer's Market has been an enjoyable weekly event this past summer and we hope it will continue. Let us support it and attend. Call Mary Noel at 437-0996 to sign up.

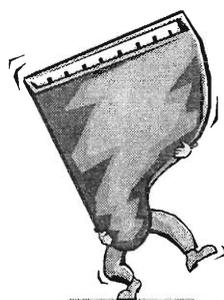


## South/North Cocktail Party

Over 300 Port Ludlow residents turned out for one of the best attended social events held this year. Tasty hors d'oeuvres and cocktail hour piano music highlighted the event. Lynn Thomas, Tom Murray, Joe Hall, and Bob & Connie Wilkinson of the Village Social Committee are planning the next event scheduled for March. Anyone with



ideas or wishing to volunteer to help, please contact a member of the committee. We want to thank Vince Pace for making our evening so memorable. His contribution of talent makes the difference. We are so grateful to have him available. Thank you Vince.



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Writing, & browsing the Internet, please call Bernie Kestler at 437-5102 for more information/registration. These classes are offered to the community on a Pro-Bono basis with reasonable fees that include a comprehensive text book & course materials. They are suitable for anyone new to computer ownership, or contemplating a computer purchase, or desiring a refresher on the fundamentals.

## Bridge Club

On Monday, November 4th, the Duplicate Bridge Club held their Port Ludlow Championship event. Winners were Bob Wilkinson and Bill Schoeneman. Doris and Ian Feltham, Vivian Hayter and Peggy Kramer, and Grace Prussing and Avel Baker all placed.

All members of the community are welcome to play in



regularly scheduled duplicate events which are held at the Bridge Deck on Mondays at 12:30 p.m. and Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

Call Grace Prussing at 437-2986 for details.

*One of the biggest events for the Bridge Club here is the achievement of Life Master by Grace Prussing. That's a lot of bridge playing, and a lot of bridge winning.*

*Congratulations, Grace.*

### Port Ludlow Independents Christmas Party

The Port Ludlow Independents will hold its annual Christmas party on Thursday, **December 17th**, starting at 6:00 p.m. at a member's home. Please read the information in your next newsletter regarding the gift exchange and dinner requirements. This is always a great holiday celebration!



## Self-Governance (Update)

There has been a CLOA Committee for Investigating Self-Governance since January 10, 1994. The mission was, and still is, to determine what the final departure of Pope Resources (ORM) would mean to our community. Also, to look at the best form of self-governance to replace CLOA; one that would be best for all of Port Ludlow, North Bay and South Bay. This first committee met regularly from June 1995 to June 1996 and their thoughts were presented to CLOA in a report dated June 8, 1996.

ORM enlisted the help of the community in their build-out plans for Port Ludlow. Many of us were active on the 24 committees of the Planning Forum that discussed and helped shape the build-out plans for our community. After the ORM presentations to the community and the general approval of the plan, CLOA thought it timely to reactivate an expanded committee to again address self-governance taking into account all of the new developments since 1996.

The new committee was formed officially in May of this year and has met regularly ever since. Committee members come from both North and South Bay. Good progress has been made in this complicated area and at last we have an approved set of Articles of Incorporation and by-laws.

There are a few details to be finalized before our work is completed and our final report is given to CLOA. When the CLOA Board



accepts our report, then a series of meetings are planned to apprise the whole community of what we envisage the Port Ludlow Village Council should be and what the Council will be able to do for us all. You will be notified as to when and where these meetings will occur.

Frank Siler –

Chairman Committee for Investigating Self-Governance

## Message From His Majesty

Sam Bryant the Trash King requests that all his loyal subjects meet with him for a Trash bash on Friday, **December 18th** at 10 a.m. at the Bay Club. Hotdogs and refreshments will follow this royal appearance.



## Holiday Shipping Tips

The month of December is the heaviest shipping month for all carriers, United Parcel Service, FedEx, United States Post Office etc. Getting your Christmas gifts to their location is of utmost importance to all of them. You, the shipper, play a very important role in determining the final result of that shipment. Following are some of the important guidelines you should follow in assuring the best outcome:

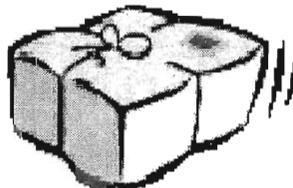
1. Be sure the address is complete. i.e., house numbers, correct spelling of streets, apartment numbers, zip codes (UPS & FedEx require a physical address. they cannot deliver to P.O. Boxes. Telephone numbers are extremely important, in the event they are unable to locate the address UPS and FedEx will call for directions.)

2. Enclose an address label inside your shipment.

3. Use corrugated boxes that are capable of handling the weight and fragileness of the contents. Allow at least 2 inches of packing around the contents of the boxes. i.e. Styrofoam pellets, bubble wrap, etc.

4. Cartons should be taped with a heavy cellophane or filament tape. Duct tape and masking tape do not withstand the handling packages receive during shipping.

5. DO NOT wrap packages in paper or with string. Paper and string wrapped packages tend to catch and tear off, destroying the delivery information.



6. Ship early. Christmas volumes increase the amount of time to move your shipments, you should allow at least 3-4 working days over the normal shipping time,

If you need assistance in packaging or questions on how to pack your shipments I will be happy to assist you in any way I can. Marie Simmons, the Old Mail Bag, 437-2655.

*We have a deadline that we must keep to insure 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 15th it probably will not be published. Our readers need time to plan their schedule. You must plan ahead. We want to work with you but we must have your cooperation.*

## Explorers Club New Years Event

Explorers Club first annual New Year's Eve party will be held on December 31, 1998 at the Beach Club and all residents of Port Ludlow are invited. Party will start at 8:00 p.m. with dessert and coffee. Then at 9:00 p.m., our BINGO session will be held. Twenty-five percent of each pot will go to the Tri-area Food Bank. \$1.00 sign up at the Beach Club or Bay Club. Bring \$\$\$ and BYOB. Dessert donations welcome. Champagne will be served at midnight!! For further information, call Bernie Robinson at 437-0703.

## Auditions For Bainbridge Production

Bainbridge Performing Arts announces two opportunities for actors to audition for upcoming productions.

Auditions for "**Our Town**" will be held Monday and Tuesday, **December 7th and 8th**, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Needed: Fourteen boys/men and eight girls/women, high school age and up. This Pulitzer Prize-winning play depicts life in the small town of Grover's Corners at the turn of the century.

"**Our Town**" runs from **February 19 to March 6th** at The Playhouse (formerly BPA Cultural Center).

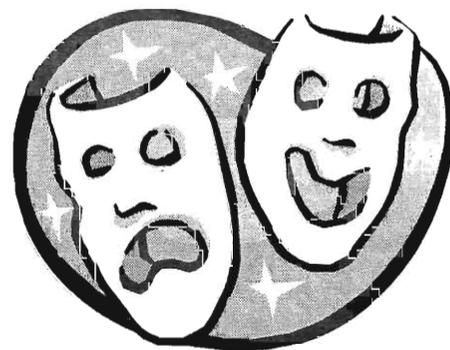
Auditions for "**Oh Dear...Not Shakespeare**" will be held Tuesday and Thursday,

**December 8th and 10th** from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Needed: A cast of 14 people of all ages, 12 years and up. "Oh Dear... Not Shakespeare"

is a local company that adapts Shakespearean plays for families. Productions of **Taming of the Shrew, Macbeth and Anthony and Cleopatra**

will be performed at The Playhouse **January 15, 16, February 12, 20 and March 12, 13.**

Those interested in any of these opportunities should call BPA at 206-842-8569 for audition requirements and to make an appointment.



# TIDE TIMBER TRAIL

## Port Ludlow Men's Golf Association

By Dick Swindler

Thanks for making the 1998 Awards Banquet a wonderful event. I have had numerous members tell me it was the best ever. The Len Hunton Service Award went to a very deserving member, Tom Smith. Tom represents the best of the Men's Association. He has been Tournament Chairman two years and President in 1996. He is always there to help when needed and most of all a true gentleman of the game.



We also honored Wayne Samples as our Club Champion. He has won that title numerous times and represents Port Ludlow at many PNGA events. He is a leader at our club but a strong competitor at these PNGA events.

We also elected a new slate of officers for 1999. President-- Jim Watson; Vice-President and Tournament Chairman-- Jerry Conover; Secretary--Darrell Grything, Treasurer-- Mike Devine; Handicap Chairman--Ray Carlson; Social Chairman--Chuck Wright; Past President Directors--David Graham and Dick Swindler; Director at Large--Warren Petersen. Winter tournaments on Wednesdays will be conducted by the Pro Shop Staff. A sign up sheet will be posted each week and they will decide the game and assign the foursomes. Be sure and watch for the sign up sheet for the Winter Ball Buster.

The Pro Shop has a number of great gifts for the Golfer in your life. Consider doing some of your Christmas shopping with us.

*Golf Club and Marina News is limited by the season. We will be bringing you much more this spring. Both of these facilities are still open and available to serve your shopping needs. We also encourage you to shop at our Village center. These establishments need our support. Please take advantage of their services.*

## Hikers Schedule

Tues., **December 1st** Christmas Party deadline, \$20 prepaid, money must be in by deadline.

Fri., **December 4th** Larry Scott Memorial Trail, very easy 4.0 new Port Townsend trail that partly follows the water. Phyllis Matheny 437-5020 and Bill Prins 437-5063.

Thurs., **December 10th** Timberton Loop Trail, Easy 5.0 Christmas hike and party meet at 12:30 p.m. at Golf Clubhouse parking lot. Cocktails at 5 p.m., dinner at 6 p.m. Bring a wrapped, usable white elephant gift not over \$5.

Doris Monti 437-0716

Doris Monti 437-0716, Bernie Robinson 437-0703

Fri. **December 18th** Spruce Railroad Easy 4.0

Hike around a beautiful lake in Jefferson County. Expect muddy conditions.

Rich Matheny 437-5020, Linda Eyre 796-4688



## Yacht Club Bulletin

The Port Ludlow Yacht Club recognized its outstanding sailors recently after a series of races held throughout the year. The leading four skippers this year were:

**Dave Harris**, "No Worries": 5 firsts, 1 second and 1 third place.

Jerry Wentworth, "Sail La Vie": 3 firsts, 2 seconds.

Roy Kraft, "Sea Wings": 2 firsts, 1 second, 1 third.

Dick Duoos, "Nordic Breeze": 1 first and 1 second.



Well done!

## Classifieds

### ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES

360 437 7629 gregarch@olympen.com

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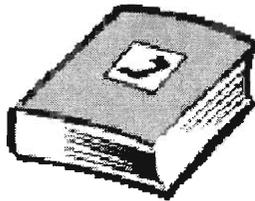
Ivo Gregov, AIA and Lidija Gregov, AIA set up their home/studio in Port Ludlow one year ago after practicing architecture for more than twenty five years in Seattle. Both Principals are licensed and members of the American Institute of Architects.

Examples of Projects: New Residence in Port Ludlow (62 Keller Lane), addition and remodel of Mercer Island Residence, Museum of Flight addition (Catering, Cafe and Banquet Facilities), Museum of Flight Control Tower Exhibit Building recently featured as the Project of the Month in the Seattle's Daily Journal of Commerce.

Current work includes residential remodels in Seattle, Swim and Tennis Club Building in Bellevue, and a three story Office/Condominium Building on Queen Anne, Seattle.

Gregov Architects strive to create simple, elegant and authentic design.

The **99' Port Ludlow Phone Book** (software) program is now available for downloading. To receive your phone book software program send check, (or drop by) \$10.00 to:



**P. Hubbard 365 Montgomery**

**Lane, Port Ludlow 98365** (or call 437-0930) for information.

To read about some of it's capabilities, connect to the Port Ludlow Home Page at <http://www.olympus.net/community/ludlowBeachClub/>

You can also locate the home page on "YAHOO". Type In **Port Ludlow** in the search box then go to:

**Port Ludlow [olympus.net]** - for community information, business listings, activities and more.

There is a demonstration scheduled on Thursday, Dec. 3, 1:00 P.M. at the Beach Club. See you there! *Vaughn*

**Ads** are seven cents per word with a \$3 minimum.  
Fax your ad to 437-2085 or drop off at 103 Cascade Lane.

Call 437-4069 if you have any questions.

We want to help you sell those good garage items and help you locate needed services.

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<http://www.portludlowconnections.com>

**SWITCH !** Did you accidentally take the wrong silver gray car coat at the South Bay Potluck Monday evening? Please bring it back or call Jean Shannon 437-2947

## Emergency Preparedness

The next monthly Emergency Preparedness meeting will take place on December 4th from 2-4 p.m. at the Beach Club. Neighborhood and Block Captains are urged to attend. Bring the issued Family Radios which have been charged for 10 hours. All North Bay residents are encouraged to come to this informative meeting.

Last month's Preparedness meeting featured Bob Hellander, Red Cross Coordinator for Jefferson County. Sally Orsborn 360-437-0670

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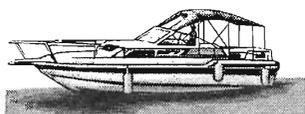
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**COMPLETE BOAT REPAIRS**

As your neighbor I would like the opportunity to do your boat work. My wife Carrie and I have lived on our sailboat Cas-siopeia at the Marina here in Port Ludlow for three years. I have been working on boats for fifteen years. I am a certified marine mechanic and experienced in plumbing and electrical systems, woodwork and fiberglass. Next time you need a job done on your boat, give me a call and ask for Sasha. We can discuss the task and I'll give you a free estimate. I am available night or day, seven days a week for emergency work here or where ever you may be stranded.



*Something to sell?  
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Call Kerry at LUDLOW BAY BODYCARE, before December 15th, to purchase your Gift Certificate at 437-3798.

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- Serve at your party.
- Pick up your dry cleaning.
- Do your typing or filing.
- Pick up prescriptions.
- Stand in line for you at the DMV.
- Organize your mess, or whatever else you don't have time for or don't care to do? We can take care of it. Give us a call at 360 301-0993.

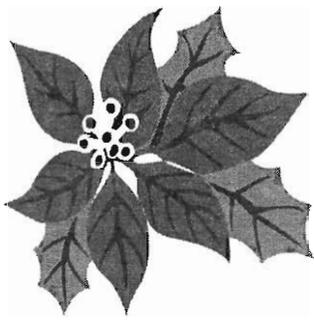
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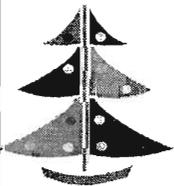
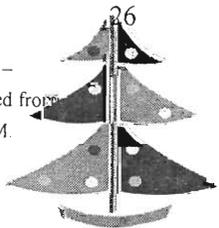


# The Harbormaster Restaurant

**December**

**Fine Dining Every Day!**

Restaurant Hours 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Reservations suggested call 437-2222

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 <b>Grilled Razor Clams</b> , served with roasted potatoes, vegetables \$9.95	2 <b>Pasta Primavera with Chicken</b> , served with House salad and rolls \$9.95	3 <b>Prime Rib Night</b> with "all you can eat" salad bar – \$10.50	4	5 Come down to the <b>Wreckroom Lounge</b> on every Monday for <b>Monday Night Football Specials. \$1.00 Buds</b> (12 oz drafts) and <b>\$2.00 Chili Dogs</b>
6 Champagne Brunch 10AM-2PM	7 <b>Monday Night Football!</b> Green Bay vs. Tampa Bay <b>In the Wreckroom Lounge</b>	8 <b>Grilled Razor Clams</b> , served with roasted potatoes, vegetables \$9.95	9 <b>Pasta Primavera with Chicken</b> , served with House salad and rolls \$9.95	10 <b>Prime Rib Night</b> with "all you can eat" salad bar – \$10.50	11	12 <b>Enjoy the Marina's Parade of Lights</b> from the Harbormaster Restaurant. Incredible views and great dining. So stay warm and still catch the show! Dinner Specials this night. Saturday Night 12/12
13 Champagne Brunch 10AM-2PM	14 <b>Monday Night Football!</b> Detroit vs. San Francisco <b>In the Wreckroom Lounge</b>	15 <b>Grilled Razor Clams</b> , served with roasted potatoes, vegetables \$9.95	16 <b>Pasta Primavera with Chicken</b> , served with House salad and rolls \$9.95	17 <b>Prime Rib Night</b> with "all you can eat" salad bar – \$10.50	18	19 <b>Razor Clams are back on Tuesday Nights</b> for \$9.95! Come down and enjoy.
20 Champagne Brunch 10AM-2PM	21 <b>Monday Night Football!</b> Denver vs. Miami <b>In the Wreckroom Lounge</b>	22 <b>Grilled Razor Clams</b> , served with roasted potatoes, vegetables \$9.95	23 <b>Pasta Primavera with Chicken</b> , served with House salad and rolls \$9.95	24 <b>Prime Rib Night</b> with "all you can eat" salad bar – \$10.50	25	26 <b>Christmas Dinner – Special Menu</b> , served from 5:30 PM to 8:00 PM. Call today for reservations. 
27 Champagne Brunch 10AM-2PM	28 <b>Monday Night Football!</b> Pittsburgh vs. Jacksonville <b>In the Wreckroom Lounge</b>	29 <b>Grilled Razor Clams</b> , served with roasted potatoes, vegetables \$9.95	30 <b>Pasta Primavera with chicken</b> , served with House salad and rolls \$9.95	31 <b>New Year's Eve!</b> - Special Menu. Dinner served from 5:30 PM to 10:00 PM	<b>New Year's Eve Gala!</b> - Special Menu served from 5:30 PM – 10:00 PM. Live Music and Dancing in the Wreckroom Lounge until 1:00 AM. Reservations highly recommended! Call today. 	

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Please submit all of your articles to the appropriate editor. Thank you.

### News and Event 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. You may send articles by e-mail to [ralph@olympen.com](mailto:ralph@olympen.com). We can also accept information on disk and as a last resort we will accept your hard copy text. Mail to: The Voice at 103 Cascade Lane, Port Ludlow, WA 98365.

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**We can be reached by phone at 437-4069, or contact Mary at 437-0268, or Bonnie at 437-2583 or Myrdelle at 437-0349 or John at 437-0351, or Barbara at 437-9726**

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