



# MAY 2009 NEWSLETTER

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The nation's finest men and women who volunteer to serve in the armed forces are stationed all around the world to support friendly countries and protect our country's interest in those lands. Please give a moment of your time and say a little prayer for these brave volunteers who are serving in this nation's military.

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## APRIL ATTENDANCE INCENTIVE DRAWING

The \$10.00 April winner would have been Sally Bouillon. We looked over the fourteen members who were eating dinner, but no Sally. We called her name but she did not respond, so the pot goes to \$15.00 for the May meeting. Good luck to all who attend.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

You are receiving your May newsletter a week early because of the **SPECIAL CLEANUP DAY** planned for the club house. We have scheduled Saturday May 9th from 10 AM to 2 PM for some general house cleaning. Tables need repair and cleaning, and windows need washing, are just some of the things that need attention. We will be done by 2. All members are invited.

The Life Line Screening was a big success and they plan to come again, if you did not get a chance to be checked this time maybe you can make the next scheduled event.

The construction crew on the trail project finally replaced our fence so things are getting back to normal in the yard.

Kenmore City Mayor David Baker will be answering your questions in an open forum "What's Up in Your City" on May 28th from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. This will be open to the public and hosted by the Community Club. Club members, here is a chance for you to become updated on current city issues.

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## 2009 NEWSLETTER INPUT DEADLINES

**June 3**

**July 1**

**August 5**

**September 2**

**October 7**

**November 4**

**December 2**

You are invited and encouraged to submit news to help fill the pages of our monthly rag. Give our editor or club president a call - we are still requesting your help in supplying information or informative articles of news or factoids to donaldivanhoe @ verizon.net or Newsletter Editor, Don Ivanhoe at 8805 N.E. 139th Street, Kirkland, WA 98034-1731 or if you wish, call him at 425-823-5112. We really want your input added to the newsletters for all other members to enjoy and be informed.

## MEMBERS CORNER

### TRAVELERS

**Phil and Nancy with Roland and Flo** are on the road and soon to return. We wait for the stories of their adventures and "see if they are still speaking to each other." HEE HEE

### GET WELL SOON

**Bob Dreisbach** said he is feeling much better since his recent surgery. He is a bit frustrated that his recovery was going slower than he wanted even though his doctor told him his recovery would take a least a year. He is getting a little cabin fever but said this sure beats the alternative. Keep at it Bob, and get back to good health so you can get out there on the dance floor again. We are all wishing you a "get well soon".

**Helen Warburton** is feeling very well and hopes to be home in a few weeks. She is now doing quite well with her walker from her room into the hallway for a spell then returning to her room. Way to go Helen, sounds like you will be back among us real soon.

**Russ Evans** update: Jo Ann reports that all went well with his knee surgery. His doctor said that Russ did well both medically and surgically and will be home in a couple days.

**Marlene Rice** has had a slight relapse and is spending a couple of days back in the hospital. When talking to Eldon he said everything is improving and expects her home in a couple of days. Marlene, we are all pulling for you, so get well soon and get home for Mother's Day.

**LuciBelle O'Grady** says she is doing fine. They change her dressing every other day and she still has her "wound vac" attached to her leg. She will either keep the "wound vac" another couple weeks or get a skin graft.

She and Bob got to go up north to the tulip fields last week with her daughter – she could not get out of the car because of the uneven ground, but got to enjoy the flowers and get out to dinner.

Hang in there LuciBelle, and get all healed ASAP, from all at the club.

## HOPELINK

There is still an urgent need for non-perishable food donations or cash throughout the year. You can help at any time if you are able. Please bring donations to the club at our potluck or contact Pat or Marty Askelson at 425-488-1500.

Hopelink suggests a list of items needed to fill a bag with Hopelink's core menu - the minimum amount of food a family of four receives at a Hopelink food bank. This food is augmented with fresh vegetables and items as available, enough to provide a family with 15 meals.

### The List:

4 Cans of Soup, 2 Cans of Vegetables, 2 Cans of Fruit, 1 Jar of Juice, 2 Cans of a Tomato Product, 2 Cans Tuna or Chicken, 1 Jar of Peanut Butter, 1 Large Package Pasta or Rice, 2 Boxes Mac & Cheese or Rice Meal, 2 cans of Meals (Chili, Beans, Stew)

We invite you to take this list to your local grocery store, fill a bag with the items above. You may instead opt to make a donation equivalent to the retail value of the listed food which is \$43

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### Answer to April History Quiz (Geography)

Where is Washington's oldest public square?

*Answer: Downtown Vancouver, Washington (Ref: Washington Trivia pg 35)*

### MAY HISTORY QUIZ (History)

What Seattle firm was the forerunner of the United Parcel Service?

*Answer Ref: Washington Trivia pg 79*

Be the first to give the president a correct answer at the potluck and he will give you a Kenmore Flag 4" X 6".

## BRAINSTORM IDEAS

At the April potluck the members present discussed activities and decided on the following two events. Start saving and collecting for the garage sale.

### COMING SOON !

Garage Sale on Aug 21 & 22  
Pancake Breakfast & Car Show, Sept. 12

### More ideas:

• Dance with DJ • Needlework or quilt Show • Adopt a Street • Farmers Market • Casino Trip • Bingo Night • Clean-up party in city park. "OK" these are the ideas now let's see some action!

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*Law of Biomechanics: The severity of the itch is inversely proportional to the reach.*

## MAY 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Cinco de Mayo	<b>6</b> <i>SPECIAL EVENT</i> 7pm at our club "Washington, Then and Now" 7pm	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> <i>Club work party,</i> <i>pizza or</i> <i>sandwiches,</i> <i>10am – 2pm</i> Full moon
<b>10</b> MOTHER'S DAY	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> <i>KCC POTLUCK</i> <i>Meeting 6:30pm</i>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> ARMED FORCES DAY
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Victoria Day (Canada)	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> MEMORIAL DAY	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> <i>KCC BOARD</i> <i>MEETING 5:30</i>	<b>28</b> <i>Mayor Baker's</i> <i>Open Forum</i> <i>7pm at our club</i>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>31</b>						

### CLUB OFFICERS AND TRUSTEES:

- L. G. "Bud" Eaton, President 425-488-8350
- Marty Askelson, Vice President 425-488-1500
- Francie House, Secretary 425-483-7336
- Sheri Baker, Treasurer 425-485-2974
- Don Ivanhoe, Trustee 425-823-5112
- Kathi Straw, Trustee 425-485-3093
- Les Straw, Trustee 425-339-2582
- Ed Straw, Past President, Trustee 425-485-3093
- Annette Eaton, Club Manager 425-488-8350
- Don Ivanhoe, Newsletter Editor 425-823-5112

### COMMITTEES:

#### MEMBERSHIP & ACTIVITIES

- *Hospitality:* Chair, Marlene Rice
- *Entertainment /Promotions:* (position vacant)
- *History:* (position vacant)
- *HopeLink:* Chair, Pat Askelson
- *Pancake Breakfast:* Chair, Annette Eaton

#### ORGANIZATION

- *Nominations:* (position vacant)
- *Manager Contact:* Co-Chairs, Ed Straw & Marty Askelson
- *Constitution & By-laws:* Bobbie DeCoster, Annette Eaton, Don Ivanhoe, Bud Eaton
- *Audit:* Chair, John Hendrickson

If you are interested in serving on a committee please let your president know.

## MAY BIRTHDAYS



*Happy Birthday to:*

**Russ Evans**  
**Angela LaTourette**  
**Joe Loutsis**  
**Brynn Sheridan**  
**Helen Warburton**

and everyone else who was born in May!  
*If we missed you please let us know so we can add you  
to the list*

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*Remember, rides are available to members for our meetings. Just give your Prez a call at 425-488-8350 or Trustee Ed Straw at 425-485-3093 and we will make the arrangements.*