



TROLLEY TIMES

Pinehurst/Beverly Park Neighborhood Association

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CHAIR'S MESSAGE

I hope you all are getting excited for the Holidays. I know I am. I just love the good feeling you get and the family time. Remember a while back we even had a white Christmas? I loved it snowing during the day. Not saying I want that again though, so many people travel that day. We have my family Christmas party a week or two before Christmas. We have so many people in my family we have to rent a hall. One year we had to change the time because of the snow. The party was in Puyallup. The kids loved the snow. Of course they were playing in it and making snowmen. I hated the drive but loved the party and it was pretty. Hope to see you at the meeting.

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If you have any topics you would like to learn about let me know. I like to have a variety of speakers that interest you. I need more ideas to get more of our neighbors to come to our meetings. Our neighborhood is important. Please contact me with your ideas. Contact info above. Thanks, Barbara

I know we have talked about this a lot but it is such an important topic. Are you ready for an emergency? Our neighborhood has been working on it and I want every neighbor to be prepared. We have a core of neighbors that have been involved in what we can do if we need to help out our neighborhood, but you need to prepare yourself. If we have a major earthquake, fire, maybe a flood, or a major storm that maybe caused a tree to fall on your house, what would you do? Do you have enough food and water stored somewhere? How would you cook your food? Do you have clothing or things you need if you cannot go into your house? These are things you need to prepare for. So that is why I asked the Red Cross to come to help us out with this issue. Come to hear what you can do to be prepared. Don't delay someday you may need this preparedness.

NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING NOVEMBER 25

CASCADE HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY
801 E. CASINO ROAD

DOORS OPEN 6:30PM

*Come swap stories with neighbors
and chat one-on-one with Everett
Police*

POLICE REPORT 7PM

SPEAKER 7:10PM
Chelsea Rowe – Red Cross

**Council of Neighborhoods
Report 7:40PM**

Neighborhood business 7:50 PM

There will be no meeting in December but in January we will continue the topic of emergency preparedness. We will have Eric Hicks from the Fire Department on hand to teach us First Aide. It will be a non-certified class, meaning you don't get a card, but it will teach you what to do in any situation. People get hurt at home all the time in many situations. So mark your calendars for January 27th!

Our City has an awesome website. Check it out... www.ci.everett.wa.us/. An important link on the site I want you to check out is the Police department - their site has a lot of great information. Go to "Jump To:" then click on Police. See the link where they have photos of criminals called "Can you ID me". There also is a link for "Crime Statistics". There you can see what types of crimes are happening in our neighborhood. The Police have a lot more information on their website, so please check it out. <http://www.ci.everett.wa.us/default.aspx?ID=53>

For those of you that don't know, we have a member of our neighborhood who is involved in The Seattle Men's Chorus. If you love music, you will love their upcoming event - the chorus will be holding their annual holiday concert "Our Gay Apparel" in Everett on Saturday, December 20th at the Everett Civic Auditorium, 2415 Colby Ave. The concert starts at 8pm. For tickets, go to The Flying House Productions website at flyinghouse.org or at the door. For more information: Flying House Production Box Office: 206-388-1400, M-F, noon-7pm. If you have never heard them sing, you are missing out. They are awesome. So mark your calendars.

Our neighborhood is a great one. We really would like more of our neighbors to come to our meetings. You don't need to be involved in the projects that we do, but we would love to have your input on how to make our neighborhood better. Our meetings are on the 4th Tuesday of each month. Just look for our postcard to remind you of our meeting dates or look for our street signs. We even have treats! 😊

Do you love Alfred Hitchcock movies? If you do you are in for a treat. *Vertigo* (1957) will be shown on Wednesday, November 26th at 1:30pm and *North by Northwest* (1959) on Wednesday December 31st at 1:30pm at the Evergreen Branch Library located at 9512 Evergreen Way

Our neighborhood's Monte Cristo winners this year are David and Jamie Bergley and Geri J. Taylor in the Rejuvenation and Transformation category. Congratulations all of you!!!

Scam Alert

A group of 4 are working the Everett area claiming to be independent sales contractors for Kirby vacuums. The group consists of 1 female and 3 males using a 1993 maroon ford van for transportation. None are licensed by the city of Everett to sell door-to-door. It is suspected that this group may be getting into homes under the guise of door-to-door vacuum sales and casing homes for later burglaries. Be safe, be alert. Call 911 if you are contacted by this group.

If you see graffiti, please call the Graffiti Hotline at 425-257-URIT (425-257-8748). Let's try to keep our neighborhood clean. When we keep cleaning graffiti, it discourages the continuing problem.

Join in the Wintertide Celebration on Dec 4, from 4-7:30 pm at the Everett Performing Arts Center, 2710 Wetmore Ave - with free holiday activities for the whole family.

Or come see a performance of *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* on Dec 6 at 2pm. For tickets and info - Check it out EverettPerformingArts.org

The Everett Police Dept. has some suggestions on ways to protect yourself when dealing with strangers.

- Never let strangers enter your home
- Verify workers by ID cards and calling their employer
- Never give keys to workers
- Never leave notes for anyone on the door

Don't be afraid or embarrassed to call 911 for emergencies.