

Parkside Neighborhood Association



Parkside Neighborhood Newsletter April, 2008

Spring Clean Up Day

Saturday, May 31

Location: Burton Elementary School

Time: 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Accepted: Yard Debris; Furniture, Doors, Screens, Lumber, Etc.

Not Accepted: Concrete, Computers, Chemicals, Paint, Household food (garbage), Hazardous waste, Etc.

**Volunteers Needed:
Dumpster and Traffic Attendants**

Please contact: Parkside President
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360-882-0922
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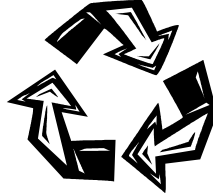
Springtime is sure to arrive after this unusually long winter and once again we will be ready. Dumpsters will be stationed in the parking lot at Burton Elementary School to receive some of that spring cleaning debris. While the dumpsters will be monitored, remember that it is a self-service site--you must be prepared to unload your own debris. However, volunteers will be available to assist anyone with special needs.

If you would like to volunteer, please see contact information provided.

The line will be cut off so that the trucks will leave at 3 p.m. sharp. Please don't wait till the last minute to drop items off.

This is the weekend after Memorial Day and hopefully will be sunny so plan ahead and make sure to write the date down. This clean up has always been a success in our neighborhood.

A Reminder about Recycling



Don't Throw Your Computer

Away!!

Donate your old computer (working or non-working) to the Computer Reuse/Recycling and Marketing program. There is no charge to Clark County residents.

Some Household Hazardous Waste is collected at curbside along with recycle materials.

Empty aerosol cans:

Remove and discard plastic caps.

Motor oil/antifreeze:

Place in an empty milk jug with a tight fitting cap. Do not mix oil and antifreeze together or with any other material.

Household batteries:

Put in resealable, clear plastic bag. Include flashlight, hearing aid and rechargeable batteries (alkaline, ni-cad and lithium). Do not set out vehicle batteries; they may be taken to a HHW collection site. The city also has a service to dispose of common household waste. These products include pesticides, paints, solvents, batteries, and other household cleaners. These items should never be disposed of in the trash. Residents can properly dispose of these waste by taking them to the following collection site.

Central Transfer and

Recycling Center

11034 NE 117th Avenue,

Vancouver, 256-8482

Saturdays and Sundays 8 am to 4 pm.

What were all about

Parkside Neighborhood association interest and welfare. The association deals with a variety of issues and concerns that the quality of life in the neighborhood. It has the authority to study the pertinent issues, collect ideas for solutions, make recommendations for to the civil authorities, organize neighborhood activities, and perform similar services to the people of the neighborhood. The association serves to promote communication between government and the people of the neighborhood.



General meeting announcement

We welcome all to come to our parkside neighborhood association meeting. It will be held at Burton Elementary School on Wednesday, May 7th from 7:00 - 8:30pm. We will be discussing our neighborhood action plan that include items about Diamond Park, Crime Watch, and Traffic and Safety. The members of the board have been discussing these issues and would like your input from the neighborhood about these priorities. The information gathered and talked about at the meeting will focus on issues important to our neighborhood . With this information we can establish a neighborhood action plan which could entitle us to very much needed grant money for these projects or plans. We are sorry but no food or drink (even water bottles are allowed in the media center. We hope everyone will attend.

The Season is the Reason for Yard Debris Service!

Did you know that about 25% of the solid waste stream is composed of compostable materials like leaves, grass and yard waste. For about the price of one matinee movie ticket, you may have up to 96 gallons of yard debris picked up every-other-week ...right at your curb!

Yard debris that is placed in your garbage container is not pulled out at the processing facility; it ends up in the landfill as garbage. Waste Connections' yard debris service is a sanitary way to locally recycle yard waste that you cannot compost or grasscycle yourself. All yard debris from Clark County is processed within the region and is available locally for purchase as compost! Waste Connections' curbside yard debris service is a convenient alternative to self-hauling yard debris, saving you time and fuel.

If you've hesitated to sign up because you don't think that you would utilize the service year around, you don't have to! Waste Connections offers an "on-call" service option that you can switch to during the months when you do not need the service as often. On-call service allows you to keep the cart until you decide it needs to be picked up! Find out more about curbside Yard Debris service at our web site wcnorthwest.com . Starting service today will divert weight from your garbage and possibly help to lower your garbage bill. When you call or email Waste Connections to start service a container will be delivered to you and will be picked up on the next service day in your area!

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Vancouver-Clark Parks & Recreation 360-619-1111
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WA State Sex offender website
<http://ml.waspc.org>

Drug activity 360-256-5711 or 696-8585

Traffic Complaint Hotline: 360-487-7402

Parking complaint hotline: 360-619-1284

Code Enforcement hotline: 360-487-7810

Animal Control: 360-397-2488

Crimes reporting online:
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