



NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association



Trick or Treat!



**Make a Difference in our Community on
October 24, 2009.**

*For more information about how you or your group can
get involved and help make a difference in Vancouver or
Clark County for make a difference day and everyday,
call Volunteer Connections at 735-3683*

**Community Youth Holiday Event -
December 17, 2009 at Sarah J. Anderson
Elementary School from 6-8 PM.**

Our Meeting Schedule for Fall 2009 is:

October 20, 2009	Clark County Operations Center, Community Room 4700 NE 78th Street
November 17, 2009	Clark County Operations Center, Community Room 4700 NE 78th Street
December 17, 2009	Sarah J. Anderson Elementary School 2215 NE 104th Street

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NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association Monthly Meeting

**Tuesday, October 20, 2009
7:00 PM**

3rd Tuesday every month

Location: Clark County Public Works,
Community Room
4700 NE 78th Street

Meeting Agenda: Special guest speaker will
attend and present a local topic of interest.
Several announcements and general
information in this newsletter will be shared
and discussed.

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NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association Web Page

Check out our neighborhood association web page at <http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/clarcco/nehdna/>.

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1,000 Volunteers Sought for "Make A Difference Day"

October 24th is "Make a Difference Day", which is the most encompassing national day of service -- a celebration of neighbors helping neighbors. The purpose is to improve our community and connect neighbors through service, helping with much needed community projects. This year several organizations are uniting to make this the biggest "Make A Difference Day" project and service day ever in Vancouver/ Clark County. The goal is to mobilize 1,000 volunteers of all ages, including families, church groups, and civic clubs from 8:45 am to 1:00 pm on Saturday, October 24th.

Everyone can participate and millions of people in their communities across the country will be volunteering that day, accomplishing thousands of

projects in hundreds of towns. You can join projects going on right here in Vancouver Clark County. Help revitalize neighborhoods by helping with planting shrub, cleaning up alleys, helping seniors and our food bank.

Volunteer Connections is partnering with local organizations for the following projects:

- City of Vancouver Watersheds Council: Planting trees 10,000 trees and bushes in Arnold Park.
- Americans Building Community: Cleaning up vegetation and garbage from selected alleyways in the Rose Village Neighborhood.
- Catholic Community Services: Helping senior citizens remain independent by mowing yards and clearing debris from their homes.
- Clark County Food Bank: Harvesting carrots to be distributed at local food banks.
- Clark County Watershed Stewards Program will be planting trees in the Salmon Creek Watershed.
- Disability Resources of Southwest Washington will sponsor a food Drive, collecting canned and non-perishable food, and other items such as toilet paper, toiletries, etc., to go to local food banks.

"Make a Difference Day" activities will take place at various locations beginning 8:45 or at 9:00 a.m, and ending at 12:00 or 1:00 p.m, depending on the location. After the service projects are completed, volunteers will come back together for food, fun and a celebration of the day's activities. Help us reach our goal of 1,000 volunteers. For more information about how you or your group can get involved and help make a difference in Vancouver or Clark County for make a difference day and everyday, call Volunteer Connections at 735-3683 or e-mail volunteerconnections@hsc-wa.org.

You can get more information by going to our website at www.hsc-wa.org.

Community Youth Holiday Event Planned for December – Donations needed

Area neighborhood association's in the Hazel Dell and surrounding area in association with Vancouver School District, Clark County Sheriff's Department, Clark County Fire District #6, and local businesses are sponsoring a holiday event for youth and their families in this community.



The event this year will be held at SARAH J. ANDERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AT N. E. 104 TH ST AND N. E. 23 RD AVE. ON DECEMBER 17TH from 6:00 pm. until 8:00 pm. All are welcome and we would never turn a kid away. To help make this event a success we need your help. Both cash and wrapped gift donations are appreciated. If you chose to make a wrapped gift donation please indicate gender and age group appropriateness on the gift.

Please let us know how you can help. Contact one of the following neighborhood association leaders:

NE Hazel Dell NA - Bud Van Cleve, 695-1466; bsvanc@aol.com

West Hazel Dell NA - Ila Stanek, 573-7376; ilastanek@hotmail.com

Felida NA - Milada Allen, 573-4030; gaudeamus@earthlink.net

North Salmon Creek NA – Barbara Anderson, 573-2240; barbara.anderson@msn.com

THANK YOU!

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FREE SHREDDING EVENT

MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

From 10 AM to 1 PM

STOCKFORD VILLAGE BUSINESS
SSOCIATION SPONSORS FREE
SHREDDING EVENT

Combat ID Theft - bring your personal documents to be shredded safely and securely. Keep your personal information private.

LOCATION- Bortolami's parking lot- corner of NE 99th St and NE 9th Ave. Bring up to 3 boxes of paperwork to be disposed of. FREE- no charge - donations gladly accepted.

Stockford Village Business Association proudly joins in Make a Difference Day, an annual, national event encouraging volunteerism to help improve communities. We supply the shredder, you bring the documents to shred. Protect your privacy and guard against ID theft. Volunteers will be available to help and answer questions.

Special thanks to Pam Carey of Columbia Credit Union for coordinating the event. Thanks to CINTAS for discounting their services.

Contact Vicki Fitzsimmons of Edward Jones Investments for information on the event at 360-573-6604.

Weekly Information from Clark County Government

You can now get the latest information regarding Clark County Government and important news that neighborhood leaders have been receiving each week. You can find it at this website, including newsletters for neighborhood associations from throughout Clark County.

<http://www.clark.wa.gov/neighborhoods/weeklyupdate.html>

This site is updated every Friday morning. Questions regarding this information can be directed to Joni McAnally, Administrative Assistant,

Clark County Public Information and Outreach, (360) 397-6012
jonimc@clark.wa.gov

Community Garden at Hazel Dell School

At a recent Open Garden, Master Gardener Judi Mayfield and "Wind in the Woods" provided music while students, parents and community members had a look at the Hazel Dell School and Community Garden. Garden prizes won included salsa and garden jewelry donated by WSU Food Sense Coordinator Jodee Nickel, an Adult Garden Basket donated by Discovery Park Apartments, a Kids Garden Basket, and Eugene Nordstrom's novel, Reflections in Gold. Garden sessions are held weekly with children from the adjacent Boys and Girls Club. Community members garden individual raised beds and a communal bed with the harvest shared by the school staff and nearby homeless shelter. Additional beds are available through Clark County Homegrown Gardens. For more information or to reserve a bed, contact Kris Alexander, 397-6118 x5654 or kris.alexander@clark.wa.gov. To volunteer in the garden, contact Jodee Nickel, 397-6060 x 7708 or jodee.nickel@clark.wa.gov.

Hazel Dell School Open Garden

Enjoying the bounty of the Hazel Dell School and Community Garden were Homegrown Gardens Coordinator, Kris Alexander, Master Gardener Barbara Nordstrom, WSU Food Sense and 4-H Coordinator Jodee Nickel, Master Gardener Bobbi Bellomy and WSU Master Gardener Coordinator Carolyn Gordon.

The garden is located at Hazel Dell Elementary, 511 NE Anderson Rd, off Hazel Dell Ave. between 78th and 63rd Streets.

Highway 99 Sub-Area Plan Design Standards

Team 99, a group of residents, businesses, and property owners, and

Clark County developed a sub-area plan to revitalize Highway 99 and neighborhoods nearby. The plan includes a vision for the area and targeted projects that can be built in the next six years.

County planners have been working on several projects connected to the sub-area plan including proposed design standards. This draft Hybrid Form-Based code reflects the goals and policies of the 2008 Highway 99 Sub-area Plan, community input from various public workshops, and insight from other form-based codes throughout the United States.

Hybrid form-based codes combine conventional zoning codes with graphic urban design standards that typically address setbacks, parking placement, building bulk, materials, and architectural features.

The proposed design standard code is ready for Planning Commission review. The Planning Commission and the Board of Clark County Commissioners will review the draft code and hear your views before taking formal action. If adopted by the board, the new code language would become part of the county's Unified Development Code Title 40 in January 2010.

Please mark your calendars and encourage neighbors to attend a Joint Planning Commission/Board of Clark County Commissioners Hearing. The meeting will be held at the Clark Regional Wastewater District office, 8000 NE 52nd Court, Monday, Nov. 16 at 6:30 p.m.

The Highway 99 Sub-Area is in unincorporated Clark County between the cities of Vancouver and Ridgefield. The planning area includes about 2,400 acres and extends from the Chelatchie Prairie Railroad Bridge near Northeast 63rd Street to Northeast 134th Street, between Interstate 5 and the Bonneville Power Administration Transmission Line Right-of-Way (east).

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For more information contact Colette Anderson at ext. 4516 or visit the project web site at <http://www.clark.wa.gov/hwy99/>.

Calling All 8th Graders and Their Families

Coordination efforts of the annual 8th grade Washington D.C. trip are underway. Enjoy a safe, fun and educational trip designed with 8th graders in mind. This private student travel opportunity has been an annual favorite in our community for years. If you are an 8th grader, have an 8th grader in your family or just know an 8th grader that would be interested, I can get them in contact with the coordinator for their area. Amy Martin 360-513-2568

amy.martin1@century21.com

"Growing Pains"

The History of Hazel Dell

For sale by the NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association. Only \$8!!

Sample Excerpt from Growing Pains-

"There has been considerable evidence of Indian habitation in this region. Mattie and Joe Davidson found signs of underground ovens built of rocks on their property overlooking Vancouver Lake backwaters. There were a number of these ovens in a small, smooth clearing."

Call Bud Van Cleve to order your book at 695-1466!!

FREE Thanksgiving Day Brunch at the Eagles Aerie

The 4th Annual FREE Thanksgiving Day Brunch at the Eagles Aerie will be Thursday 11/26/2009 from 8 AM to 1:30 PM. The address is 107 East 7th Street Vancouver, Washington 98660. Menu will include Breakfast items such as: biscuits & gravy, sausage, pancakes, hash browns, and oatmeal. Traditional dinner items will be served as well including turkey and ham.

Hats, gloves, scarves, coats, and blankets will be given away to those

who need them, while supplies last. Meal will be delivered for those who are homebound and send in a request to Dianna Bronkhorst. Request made before Thanksgiving Day please call (360) 326-3964, Thanksgiving Day request please call (360) 693-8119.

For the past four years the Eagles have provided over 2800 meals to those in the community who are experiencing economic hardship or simply have no place to go on Thanksgiving Day. Volunteers have donated countless hours to facilitate this event.

We are expanding our community partnerships. The Eagles Aerie is accepting donation of food, clothing, or money. Donors will be publicly acknowledged and thanked.

If this is a partnership in which you would like to participate or if you have any questions regarding this event, please feel free to contact Dianna Bronkhorst at (360) 326-3964 or e-mail bradfordw2@comcast.net.

Fundraising Event Fresh Wreath Sales

Get your fresh holiday wreath delivered right to your door garnished with holly berries and a red bow. The Thomas Jefferson Middle School 8th graders are selling the holiday wreaths to raise money for their Washington D.C. trip. We will be delivering the wreaths on December 5th and for \$25 come in standard 22" wreath, candy cane wreath, door charm or swag. Call Amy at 513-2568 to order and schedule your delivery.

Support Local Businesses in Hazel Dell

Small and locally owned businesses are the mainstay of our community's economy. The owners of these businesses live and work in our community and have a vested interest in our community's quality of life. Local businesses provide jobs, are a key source of tax revenue to support public services, support our schools, our parks, and are instrumental to the quality of life in our community. They

have a vested interest and provide important goods and services to all of us living here in Hazel Dell.

From time-to-time we feature Hazel Dell businesses in our neighborhood newsletter. We want you to know who your local businesses are and what they have to offer. We urge you to do business with them, support them and in so doing support your local community. Everyone benefits from a strong and solid local economy. Your neighborhood association supports local business and we hope you will, too.

For more information about local businesses, contact the Hazel Dell-Salmon Creek Business Association at <http://www.hdscba.org/> or Stockford Village Business Association at 10000 NE 7TH AVE STE 105, VANCOUVER, WA

Be a Lunch Buddy!

Do you have 45 minutes, once a week, to spend eating lunch with a child? To make a difference? Possibly even to change a life?



Jay Leo enjoys a weekly lunch with his buddy at Marshall Elementary.

Consider becoming a Lunch Buddy to a local child. The need for Buddies is great, the need for male buddies is particularly urgent, the rewards are huge, and you — yes, YOU, my friend — are the perfect person for the job.

Come and find out more-
Information session:
Thursday, October 29th
12:00-12:45 pm
Bates Center formerly the CEL
2921 Falk Road

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(south side of Roosevelt Elementary School)
Lunch available, \$5 preorder

Questions/RSVP/lunch orders: Barbara Nordstrom, VSD Foundation Lunch Buddy Program Coordinator
313-4725 or email barbara.nordstrom@vansd.org

Local theater company invites clue sleuths to solve the Case of D.B. Cooper this Halloween!

"Mystery on Main," an interactive theatrical event where participants will be thrust back into time in order to solve the missing whereabouts of D.B. Cooper, the most infamous skyjacker in American history. The show features a hilarious cast of goofball characters including the cheesy detective, Harry Fettuccine, an afro-clad and leisure suit touting private eye from 1971. He will swear everyone in and have the participants organize into teams that will compete against one another as they search the entire building.

Tickets are \$10 and must be purchased in advance by calling the Magenta Box Office at (360) 635-4358. Tickets available online, also. Seating is general admission and is limited. Shows at 7:00pm & 9:00pm October 30th & 31st.

SALT Times Newsletter

There is a free newsletter geared toward seniors called SALT Times (Seniors and Law Enforcement Together).

The latest issue talks about Crime in your neighborhood, tax rebate scams, senior expo, and eating healthy on a budget.

If you would like to receive this newsletter call the Clark County Sheriff's Office Outreach Unit at 360-397-2211 x3380.

Financial Support Needed

We need your continued financial support more than ever. To send out this newsletter to those on our mailing list each month costs about \$55 in postage alone. Please consider providing financial support to your neighborhood association.

Yes, I can help with the mailing costs of this newsletter and other miscellaneous administrative costs associated with operating a Neighborhood Association!

Enclosed is my gift of \$_____ to help cover mailing costs. I cannot make a monetary contribution, but can make an in-kind donation for use at your Kid's Christmas Party or other events throughout the year. I have _____ that I would like to donate. Please call me to arrange for pick-up.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

Please mail this form with your donation to:
NE Hazel Dell Neigh. Assoc.
3109 NE 96th Street
Vancouver, WA 98665

Newsletter Publication

In an effort to save money for Clark County the NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association has voluntarily cut back on the number of newsletter issues each year. We have reduced from 10 issues per year to 6. Here are the dates we will be publishing newsletters this year:

1. Oct/Nov	October 12
2. December	November 23
3. Jan/Feb	January 15, 10
4. March/April	March 15
5. May/June	May 15
6. September	August 25

The dates listed above are deadlines for submitting newsworthy items for publication.

Thanks!

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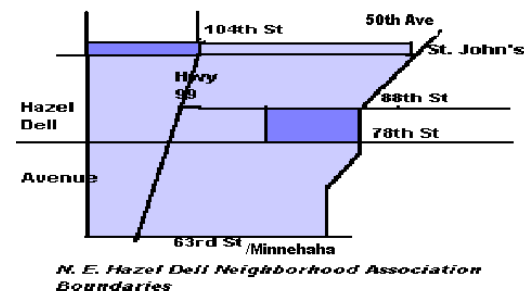
Neighborhood Association Mission:

The residents of the Hazel Dell area established the NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association (NEHDNA) in order to unite the common interests and promote the welfare of the area. The association is involved with a variety of matters, which affect the livability of the neighborhood and community in general.

All residents within the neighborhood association boundaries or neighboring areas

not within an existing neighborhood association are welcome to attend and participate in the association.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact one of the officers or board members listed on this page. The NEHDNA does not subscribe to any religious affiliation or political party. Our desire is to work together for the



common good of the neighborhood in which we all live. You don't have to live in the area to be a member or to come to the meetings! All are welcome.