

# Landover/Sharmel

Neighborhood Association

September 20, 2010



## Neighborhood Newsline



### **NEXT NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING**

Monday October 4, at 7pm

Our next general neighborhood meeting will be until October 4<sup>th</sup>. It will be in the Evergreen School District offices, 13501 NE 28<sup>th</sup> St., Tan Complex, in the Clark Room



### **Remember the Children**

Hello Neighbors, looks like summer is over and school is upon us. I would just like to remind everyone that we are in the walking zone of both Cascade Middle School and Evergreen High School so please always remember to slow down and watch for the Children.



### **New to the Neighborhood?**

**Welcome!** We are happy you chose to live in the Landover/Sharmel Neighborhood. If you are new to the neighborhood, or have new neighbors on your block, please email your "new neighbor information" to Jaime Manriquez [jmanriquez66@gmail.com](mailto:jmanriquez66@gmail.com) so we can welcome them to our neighborhood in our newsletter and at our neighborhood meeting.



### **EMAIL-TREE**

We frequently send out e-news updates containing important information of specific interest to our neighborhood. The

email tree is a great way to stay informed. If you are not already signed up and receiving E-News updates email [jmanriquez66@gmail.com](mailto:jmanriquez66@gmail.com) with the word "SUBSCRIBE" in the subject line. All email addresses will be kept private and notices are sent using the blind copy.



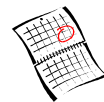
### **Our Neighborhood's Website**

On our website, you can find the copies of our newsletter, list of Board members contacts, our calendar of neighborhood events, a neighborhood discussion forum as well as other resources of interest to neighbors on our website.

You can email any suggestions about our website to the email link you will find on the left side of the web page under Questions and Comments, click on "**Email Your Neighborhood Leader**".

To visit our Neighborhood's web page, go to: <http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/vancouver/landoversharmel/>

### **2010 CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**



DATE	EVENT
<b>October 4</b>	<b>Neighborhood Meeting</b> 7 p.m. @ Evergreen School District Admin. Offices 13501 NE 28 <sup>th</sup> St., Tan Complex.
<b>October 16</b>	<b>Chipper Day</b> 8 a.m. to Noon @ NE 129 <sup>th</sup> Ave (NE 22 <sup>nd</sup> St)
<b>December 7</b>	<i>Quarterly</i> Board Meeting 7 p.m. Evergreen School District Admin. Offices Tan Complex, <b>Neighborhood Meeting</b> 7 p.m.
<b>January 10, 2011</b>	@ Evergreen School District Admin. Offices 13501 NE 28 <sup>th</sup> St., Tan Complex.



## SECRETARY NEEDED

The neighborhood association board is in need of a new secretary. The current neighborhood secretary was not able to continue in her position and that leaves us without one. If you like to take notes and would be interested in the position or just learning more about it, please contact our chairperson, Jaime Manriquez (503) 449-6642 or e-mail [jmanriquez66@gmail.com](mailto:jmanriquez66@gmail.com)

## This Year's Picnic

Many of you appeared to have been enjoying yourselves at our annual neighborhood picnic this summer. We would like to thank everyone who attended and all the great food dishes you so graciously shared with your neighbors.

We had great weather this year, not too hot and definitely not raining like last years picnic. We would like to give a huge thanks to all those who were gracious to lend a hand or two with the setting things up and later loading up the tables, cans, Bar-B-Que grill, etc. for the return trip back to the City of Vancouver. We would not be able to have such a nice neighborhood picnic without your help. THANK YOU!

Every year Dennis and Trisha Bunnel do a fabulous job of entertaining everyone with the face painting, airbrush tattoos, etc. They have been such a great asset to our fun at the picnic that word is getting around to other neighborhoods who are hoping to convince the Bunnels to entertain at their neighborhood picnics as well. It looks like we started something...



## Neighborhood Clean Up Day ...Success!

During the winter months or while doing spring-cleaning many of you discover items around your house that you no longer wanted or thought you got rid of them long ago. That's why we have our annual Neighborhood Clean Up day each year! This year was again a great success as the truckloads of unwanted items left our neighborhood courtesy of City of Vancouver and Waste Management. As a matter of fact, we did such a great job of organizing, running, and

overall clean up that our neighborhood association received an unexpected clean up bonus check from the city. In addition, we were able to add another \$153 to the treasury from all the scrap metal that was recycled instead of ending up in the landfill.

We also had successful "Treasures" yard sale with the donations adding \$239 to our neighborhood treasury.



## CHIPPER DAY IS COMING

Nevertheless, we are not done yet, in October will be our Annual Chipper Day and we are looking for volunteers to help. If you can maybe help with a shift, please let Pam Nordick know (360) 896-7172 or by email: [ladypn@comcast.net](mailto:ladypn@comcast.net).



## Treasurer's Report

Beginning balance	\$605.80
Interest received	+ .08
Check order expense	- 14.47
Proceeds from Picnic donation	+ 27.00
City of Vanc. Recycling workshop	+ 120.00
City of Vanc. Clean up bonus	+ 100.00
Donations Treasures yard sale	+ 239.13
Donation from scrap metal recycle	+ 153.45

Ending balance as of August \$ 1,230.99

*Information submitted by Doug Jones, Treasurer*



## Traffic Hotline

To better address, the needs of our community the traffic hotline has modified to include options for citizens to have their complaints handled. A person can call the hotline at **(360) 487-7402** and press **1** for parking issues, **2** for code enforcement, **3** for Citizens complaints/suggestions for the city in general, **4** for road repair or signal repair issues and **0** to leave a message in the voice mailbox. The voice mailbox for messages (when you dial 0) is ext 3330. If you receive a call that needs to leave a message for traffic complaints please use the 3330 voice mail number.

As always any traffic issues occurring now or reckless driving should be sent to 9-1-1, not the traffic complaint line. Submitted by Sergeant Patrick Johns, Vancouver Police Department – Traffic Motorcycle Unit

## Focus on Fitness THIS FALL

Focus on fitness this fall with Vancouver-Clark Parks and Recreation! **Become a new member** of Marshall Center, Firstenburg Center or the Vancouver Tennis Center in September or October, and you will get one month free! Whether you want to make a splash in the pool, shoot hoops in the gym, play tennis with a friend or try a new fitness class, you will find plenty of fun options at these three recreation destinations.

Interested in having access to more than one community center? You can purchase an all-access pass to use at Firstenburg, Marshall and four community pools for just a couple dollars extra a month. For more information: [http://emailer.emailroi.com/users/vanparksrec/ParksandRecreationALL\\_Fall\\$promotion.html](http://emailer.emailroi.com/users/vanparksrec/ParksandRecreationALL_Fall$promotion.html), or contact:

**Marshall Community Center**, 1009 E. McLoughlin Blvd., 487-7100

**Firstenburg Community Center**, 700 N.E. 136th Ave., 487-7001

**Vancouver Tennis Center**, corner of 18th and Stapleton Rd., 696-8123

### Make a Difference to a Child:

#### Volunteer Opportunities at VPS

Do you want to make a difference in the life of a child? Volunteer in our schools. You can help. Attend the Vancouver Public Schools Volunteer Training and/or the Lunch Buddy Information Session.

**Volunteer Training** for current and prospective volunteers in Vancouver Public Schools. **When:** 10 to 11:30 a.m., **Wednesday, September 29**

**Where:** Bates Center, 2921 Falk Road (south side of Roosevelt Elementary School)

**What:** Be an effective tutor or classroom volunteer with information on how students learn and how to motivate students.

#### Lunch Buddy Information Session

**When:** Noon to 1 p.m., **Thursday, October 14**

**Where:** Bates Center, 2921 Falk Road (south side of Roosevelt Elementary School)

**What:** Find out about being a Lunch Buddy to an elementary school student. After lunch play a board game, share a hobby or craft, or just talk with a child who needs a friend. The need for male buddies is particularly urgent.

Questions about the Volunteer Training or Lunch Buddy Information Session? Contact Barbara Nordstrom, VSD Foundation at 313-4725 or [LunchBuddy@vansd.org](mailto:LunchBuddy@vansd.org).

### OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS

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**NON-Emergency crime reporting, E. Precinct**  
487-7500  
<https://crimereports.clark.wa.gov/>

**To check crime statistics for our neighborhood:**  
<http://gis.clark.wa.gov/imf/imf.jsp?site=crimestats>

#### Neighborhood Policing Officer

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#### Neighborhood Web Site

<http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/Landover-Sharmel/home>

#### 18<sup>th</sup> Street Project Web Site

[www.cityofvancouver.us/18tStreet](http://www.cityofvancouver.us/18tStreet)

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Landover-Sharmel Neighborhood Association  
Concern Identification/Suggestion Form

This purpose of this form is to give neighbors a way to let the executive board know about any concerns or suggestions you may have. Please feel free to complete this form and bring it to the general meeting of the Neighborhood Association. They will be collected from you there, if you cannot attend the meeting then contact Chairperson, Jaime Manriquez to arrange to get it to him.

**Contact  
Information**

Please provide your name and contact information, should more details be needed about this subject:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Concern/Suggestion
Please provide specific details about your concern or suggestion. <b>Please address only one subject per form.</b>
If applicable, please provide address(es) related to this specific concern:
Address: _____
Address: _____

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Follow-up Assigned to: _____	Date Received: _____
Notes: _____	