

Lakewood Seward Park Neighborhood

COMMUNITY NEWS

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Wine Tasting Party

May 12th

Saturday

6:30-9:00 pm

\$25

wine, cheese, dessert
at the clubhouse
adults only

reserve your glass
today!

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What's New?!!

Just in time for the annual wine tasting, *SonaSpray* will be applied to the ceiling allowing us to preserve the integrity of our nearly 100 year old building while providing maximum sound absorption. The building's echo has long been considered an annoyance and we are pleased to have found a solution. As always, the community support through membership, donations and rentals of the building is critical for planned upgrades and your support is greatly appreciated. *Sheila Harvey*

Dear Friends,

Spring has sprung! And your community club is springing into action! It all started with the very necessary replacement of the furnace after oh so many years. A rebate for energy efficiency turned into new shades, window treatments and padded comfy chairs! A huge thanks to neighbor and community member Chuck Adams for following up on the rebate – kudos to Chuck for all he does for us.

You should be happy to know that those old metal chairs that we have had forever will be recycled, with proceeds benefitting our local Windermere Foundation and Rainier Community Center's Youth Scholarship Program.

What else is new?
SOUNDPROOFING!

The best time to accomplish this five day project without a huge interruption included the regular day of our bi-monthly community meeting. Remember that these meetings occur on the alternating third Tuesday of each month with hiatus during July and August. The clubhouse will be closed for the five days between April 16th and April 20th.

We do have a great April community meeting planned, with help from our friends with the South Seattle Crime Prevention Council. Pastor Jeff Barker and the Columbia Lakewood Community Church have graciously agreed to allow us use of the sanctuary for our meeting. The church is located just south of the Lakewood Playfield at 50th and Ferdinand. Please join

Pat Murakami, Mariana Quarnstrom, SPD's Mark Solomon and others to learn about CPTED: Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design and about how to create an effective Blockwatch. CPTED sounds more complicated than it is – it can be as easy as cutting back a few shrubs or installing timers on lighting – and our presenters will be able to describe simple steps to create safer homes and streets.

Keep your eyes out for new Lakewood Seward Park Neighborhood Watch signs springing up all over the place. Like what you see? Contact us at lswpna@gmail.com and we'll be happy to help you get some.

Hope to see you soon,
Jeannie O'Brien



**May 27th
3rd Annual
Lakewood-Seward
Park Community
Garage Sale!**



Mark your calendar for the 3rd Annual Community Garage Sale at the Clubhouse on Sunday May 27th. Stuff to sell? Reserve a 10x10 space inside the clubhouse for \$20 and take the opportunity to clear out some space (and maybe find new treasures too). We will provide tables and chairs. \$5 will give you space outdoors.

Rather have a garage sale at your home? Great idea – the more sales the more buyers are attracted to the neighborhood. For \$5.00 we will publish your sale on our neighborhood sale map and help you spread the word.

Reserve your space by May 15th—space is limited: if you are interested in reserving your spot - please email Sheila at: lsppcmanager@gmail.com for a registration form and with any questions or download the form off the website:

www.lspcc.org

Don't want to sell but still want to help? Contribute a bake sale item and come by just to say hello to your neighbors and have a cup of coffee and a treat.

A Party to Celebrate Franklin's Centennial

Franklin High School turns 100 in 2012. The Franklin Alumni Association and Foundation is planning a fabulous party. This gala event will be fit for kings, queens and former Quakers! We are planning a wonderful evening with fine food and music, great company, a chance to celebrate our incredible past and to support our current students. John Keister ('74) will entertain and Deems Tsutakwa ('70) will provide music.



FRANKLIN ALUMNI
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**Franklin's Centennial
Celebration
Saturday, April 28,
2012
6 -11 pm
At the historic Arctic
Club Dome Room
700 3rd Avenue
Seattle**

Details are available on the FAA&F website – www.franklinalumni.net

Need more information? Contact Molly Thompson '72 – 206/255-7085 mollyjane54@aol.com

Or visit our **FaceBook** page: Franklin Centennial Celebration



Lakewood Seward Park Community Achievement Award

2 Awards of \$1000 each will be granted to high school seniors who are college bound and live within the geographic boundaries of the Lakewood Seward Park Community, as described on www.lspcc.org. The grant will apply toward tuition for the 2012-2013 year, and award recipients must provide a letter showing proof of college enrollment and student identification number.

Bicycle Sunday Schedule is here!

May 6, 13, 20 June 3, 24 July 1, 8, 15
August 12, 26 September 2, 23



Seward Park will remain open for events and other park uses on all Bicycle Sundays. Lake Washington Boulevard is closed from S Orcas Street to Mt. Baker Boulevard.

NW ORCHID SOCIETY 2012 SHOW & SALE

NORTHWEST

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Sat., April 14 **Sun., April 15**
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 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm

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\$25 per person

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Lakewood Seward Park Community Club Annual Wine Tasting Event

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CNN Hero of the Year at Lakewood-Seward Park Community Club



Crooked Trails, a Seattle based non-profit, hosted the 2010 CNN Hero of the Year Anuradha Koirala in Seattle in January. One of the events was at our own LSPCC. An internationally recognized humanitarian, activist and lecturer, Koirala has dedicated her life

to combating the sexual exploitation of women and children in Nepal.

The 62-year-old spent most of her life teaching primary school English until an abusive relationship compelled her to dedicate part of her \$100 monthly teacher's salary to open a small shop employing and supporting victims of domestic violence and sex trafficking. This began a 17-year crusade that has saved the lives of more than 12,000 women and children.

Koirala is the founder and executive director

of Maiti Nepal, "mother's home," which rescues, rehabilitates, houses and educates approximately 500 women annually at its Kathmandu campus. Her efforts have led to the arrest of numerous sex criminals, while her prevention programs have saved thousands from unfathomable inhumane circumstances. She has strengthened border programs which in 2010 alone intercepted 3,400 girls in the process of being trafficked.

Koirala has received 31 prestigious international awards for her extraordinary work including CNN Hero of the Year in 2010 and The United Nations Women's Organization Prize.

Crooked Trails enjoyed the LSPCC space so much that they are hosting their next Nepal School Fundraiser at LSPCC on May 5th. For more info:

www.crookedtrails.org



The clubhouse is available for classes, meetings or private celebrations at affordable rental rates—check out your member discount below!

For Information about renting the Lakewood Seward Park Community Clubhouse please contact Sheila Harvey at lspccmanager@gmail.com or call (206) 722-9696 The clubhouse has a seating capacity of 150 persons, your tables and chairs or ours.

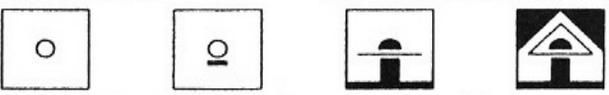
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Friday and Saturday Rental Rates:** Standard Rate: \$75 per hour, 4 hour minimum (member Rate: \$65 per hour, 4 hour minimum)

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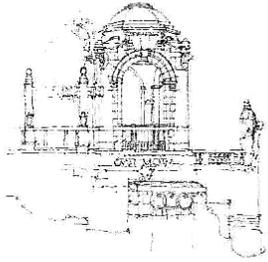
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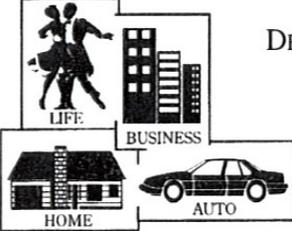


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Membership Perks

Besides the discount on clubhouse rentals, why be a member of your community club? So many reasons, so little space. As we all know, the more people we know in our community, the better able we are to spot missing pets and to identify suspected criminals to help protect ourselves, our neighbors and our property. The community club is beyond a Crime Block Watch group or a Pet Rescue service, however. We are a group of individuals committed to working together to create a great neighborhood that we are proud to call home. We have a play group, we have annual parties, we have community meetings (hopefully of community interest), and now we have some extra money for a couple of scholarships. But we could be so much more! With more active members, we could have committees that could take on specific issues that matter to all of us. Changes to Metro Bus Route 39? Relocation status of PCC? New cell phone tower locations? Changes to the Land Use and Zoning Code? Safe and efficient access to Light Rail? All time is valuable, and there seems to be so little, but please consider forming a committee or joining an existing committee and inviting your friends to become active members. You don't need to live within the Club boundaries to belong, just to vote at the annual meeting. We know that many of those that attend our events do not live within our boundaries. And since they are not members, they do not get to take advantage of discounted admission rates to Oktoberfest, free admission to the Halloween Ice Cream Social, open admission to playgroup and other opportunities for members. This neighborhood association has existed for over 100 years, and the strength of it has been due to the committed individuals willing to keep it going. We own the property, we own the building. What we need is more bodies to keep the club vibrant. Please encourage your neighbors and friends outside of the immediate neighborhood to join us and make our community association even better than it is today.

Joining is easy using our website: www.lspcc.org

Important & Useful Phone Numbers



Southeast Seattle Crime Prevention Council

- Emergency** 911
- Non-Emergency** 625.5011, press 2
will provide case number, refer you to online reporting, or determine if an officer needs to be sent to the scene; report parking concerns
- Clue Line** 800.222.8477
can report anonymously; see crimestoppers.com for web report form or info on texting a clue confidentially
- Report Trespassing (SPD)** 386.1850
- South Precinct** 386.1850
- Community Police Team** 386.9184
- Crime Prevention Coordinator** 386.9766
- Detective Unit** 386.1855
- Narcotics** 684.5797
- Nuisance Properties** 386.1393
Sergeant Ann Martin will assist with nuisance properties; all neighbors should start and maintain a log of issues
- DOC Work Crew Assistance** 726.6719
cleanup of illegal dumping, removal of shopping carts left off store grounds
- Abandoned Vehicles on Public Property** 684.8763
- Abandoned Vehicles on Private Property** 684.7899
- Animal Control** 386.7387
- Code Violations** 615.0808
vinyl signs hanging longer than 8 weeks in a calendar year or vinyl sign on residential building (apartment) beyond nine months from the date of initial occupancy certificate; junk stored on private property; illegal business operation in residential zone; unauthorized use of a building or property
- Graffiti Hotline** 684.7587, press 2
- Illegal Dumping on Public Property** 684.7587, press 1
- Park Complaints** 684.4837
- Power or Water Outage** 684.3000, press 1
- Public Nuisance Noise** 625.5011
- Street Repair or Potholes** 386.1218
- Streetlight Outage** 684.7056, press 1
you will need the street name, 7 or 4-digit pole number and description of what is wrong with light (out, cycling on/off, on during day)
- Surface Water Pollution** 684.7587, press 3
liquids, chemicals or solvents near storm drains, ditches or creeks
- Citizen's Service Bureau** 684.2489
will direct you to correct City department, assist in follow-up when another department isn't responding/handling issue

The Southeast Seattle Crime Prevention Council is the oldest crime council in the United States. They are an all-volunteer group of your neighbors. The boundaries match the area of the South Precinct. To **join the email list** send an email to: sscpc@hotmail.com



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Wine tasting 5/12



Garage Sale 5/27

2012 Calendar Lakewood-Seward Park Clubhouse Events

April 17th, 7:00 p.m. Community Meeting, "Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design and Blockwatch Organization" note: meeting will be held at Columbia Lakewood Community Church, 5005 S. Ferdinand Street

May 12th, 6:30 p.m. Wine Tasting Party, LSPCClubhouse

May 15th, 7:00 p.m. Business Meeting, LSPCClubhouse

May 27th, 10-2 p.m. Garage Sale, LSPCClubhouse

June 19th, 7:00 p.m. Community Health Expo, LSPCClubhouse

September 18th, 7:00 p.m. Business Meeting, LSPCClubhouse

September 29th, 6:30 p.m. Oktoberfest, LSPCClubhouse

October 28th, 4:00 p.m. Halloween Ice Cream Social, LSPCClubhouse

December 1st, 10:00 a.m. Holiday Gift Bazaar, LSPCClubhouse

December 11th, 7:00 p.m. Annual Dinner Meeting, LSPCClubhouse

Please join us! Invite your neighbors and friends!