



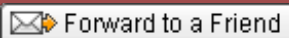
Snohomish County Council News

Councilmember Terry Ryan

March, 2015



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Terry's March Newsletter

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Marijuana Ordinances:

Last October, the County Council passed two temporary ordinances (14-086 and 14-087) dealing with marijuana businesses and marijuana related facilities. Those temporary regulations expire on April 1, 2015.

On March 4 at 1:30 p.m., the County Council will hold a public hearing in the Jackson Board Room, 8th Floor, County Administration Bldg. East, 3000 Rockefeller, M/S-609, Everett, WA 98201 on a new ordinance, 15-009. This ordinance addresses possible changes to marijuana and marijuana businesses in the Clearview Rural Commercial and Rural 5-Acre zones and adds new regulations for medical marijuana facilities.

For detailed information including council options, please go to: <http://www.snohomishcountywa.gov/172/County-Council>. Click on "Council Hearings Calendar." Scroll down to March 4, 2015; 1:30 p.m. Public Hearing.

You will also see two additional ordinances, 15-012 and 15-013. These ordinances, if passed, would extend 14-086 and 14-087 for an additional six months.

It is expected that a public hearing on all three ordinances, 15-009, 15-012 and 15-013, will be held concurrently.

Public testimony is limited to three minutes. Comments can also be submitted in writing by mailing them to the about address or email contact.council@snoco.org.

Courthouse Update:

The County Council is still trying to resolve parking issues with the City of Everett. We are making progress. Negotiations must conclude soon for the project to remain viable. The council is committed to staying within the original \$162 million budget set by the previous council. In addition, we have asked our Council staff to work with the Executive staff to make sure we are all using the same numbers for each one of the courthouse options. We will provide an update to you next month.

Park Improvements:

ADA Improvements made to Twin Rivers Park

ADA compliant parking stalls and walkways to the restroom building at Twin Rivers Park were completed this month. The parking area work was completed by Quilceda Paving and Construction. Interior improvements to the restrooms are also planned.

The City of Arlington has a partnership agreement with Snohomish County to manage and operate Twin Rivers County Park. Arlington maintains and schedules the park, while Snohomish County owns the park and is responsible for major improvements.

Kayak Point Golf Course gets improvements

Recent improvements at Kayak Point Golf Course for visitor enjoyment include leveling and re-sodding the tee boxes, new cabinets, countertops and flooring in the restaurant and kitchen and the roof was replaced. Planned future projects include irrigation, bathroom improvements, pro shop improvements, and deck expansion.

Bobcat Sighting - *courtesy of SnoCo Parks*



Bobcats are seldom seen because they are elusive in nature and cautious around humans. So imagine our surprise when this little guy (or gal) was spotted just south of the entrance to Willis Tucker Park on Sunday, February 15, 2015. Bobcats are not considered a threat to human safety except in rare cases when they have rabies or are extremely aggressive. Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

offices receive hundreds of reports of bobcat sightings each year. Due to time constraints, officers will only respond when there is a threat to public safety. For more information on bobcats visit: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/living/bobcats.html>

New Manufacturing Facility Opening in Everett

Héroux-Devtek, a leading Canadian manufacturer of aerospace products, announced the construction of a new assembly facility in Everett, Washington. The facility, located in the Seaway Center area near Paine Field and the Boeing Everett site, will assemble landing gear systems initially for the Boeing 777, followed by assemblies for the 777X.

"Everett is proud to be at the forefront of aerospace technology and home to the state's largest advanced manufacturing hub. I'm excited to welcome Héroux-Devtek, and I look forward to watching them continue to expand their operations here." -

Mayor Ray Stephanson, City of Everett

- "Snohomish County remains an attractive, rapidly growing hub for aerospace with a highly skilled technical workforce along with access to quality education, training as well as customers. We are honored to welcome Héroux-Devtek to Snohomish County and look forward to continue watching them grow in the region." **Troy McClelland, CEO, Economic Alliance Snohomish County**

Summer "Camping" at the Future of Flight

The Future of Flight Foundation is proud to offer five extraordinary summer camp sessions, based on STEAM, which stands for science, technology, engineering, arts, and math.

Science Camp - Week 1 (July 6 - 10): This session is devoted to exploring the natural flight of birds and insects, weather and the effects of climate change, and how aviation and ecology intersect. Participants can look forward to exploring alternative fuels, solar power, and learning more about how other creatures fly.

Technology Camp - Week 2 (July 13 - 17): For those interested in drones, robotics, 3D-modeling and printing, among other topics, this is your ideal session. Technology Camp will provide unique insights into additive manufacturing, the roles of machines in society, and the tools humans use to create the extraordinary aircraft of the twenty-first century.

Engineering Camp - Week 3 (July 20 - 24): This is a session devoted to solving problems and providing solutions to a wide range of challenges. Anyone attending Engineering Camp can expect to find lots of mental exercise as they provide designs for structures and aircraft, and answer tough questions about the best ways to build things.

Arts Camp - Week 4 (July 27 - 31): In the hopes that we can address all types of brains, and all kinds of thinking, Week 4 is devoted to more creative pursuits, using a wide range of media. From pencils and paint to 3D-modeling and photography, Arts Camp provides a unique environment for creative young people who want to explore that passion using every conceivable tool.

Math Camp - Week 5 (August 3 - 7): For a more rigorous mental workout, our Math Camp will focus on the ways numbers work, especially in terms of programming, computer-assisted design, and the engineering of successful flying machines. Proof that math can be fun, available this summer.

Reserve Your Space Today: Small group sizes mean reservations are limited. To reserve your space, please call 800-464-1476. CAMP sessions run Monday - Friday, from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Each session is \$250 for members, \$300 for all others. Extended care is available from 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. and from 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. for \$50 per camper. CAMPerhips are available for applicants in need. For more information, please contact Gus Posey at 425-438-8100 x231 or Gus@futureofflight.org.

District Events

Mill Creek

Free Flashlight Egg Hunt

Please join City of Mill Creek Parks and Recreation and community event sponsors as we put on our annual Free - Flashlight Egg Hunt on Friday March 27, 2015 from 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM at Heatherwood Middle School Cafeteria. We will have tons of prizes. This egg hunt is open to all boys & girls from 6th - 12th grade. Make sure to bring a flashlight and a bag to collect all the goodies. For more information please visit www.cityofmillcreek.com

Saturday, April 4

Please join Parks and Recreation and community event sponsors for the annual Eggstravaganza Egg Hunts on Saturday April 4, 2015 at Heatherwood Middle School Field. Last year we had over 16,000 candy filled eggs. The event will kick-off at 10:30am with face painting, bounce houses, balloon artist and sponsor booths. The first hunt for 1 & 2 year old and 3 & 4 year old will start at 11:00am sharp. At 11:30am on the dot we will have a hunt for Kindergarten through 2nd graders and 3rd through 5th graders. Please bring a basket or bag for collecting eggs. Make sure to bring canned food items for Mill Creek Food Bank. Mill Creek Youth Advisory Board will be hosting a 50/50 raffle and jelly bean guess jars. We are looking forward to this popular event rain or shine.

Mountlake Terrace

The Mountlake Terrace Arts Advisory Commission presents the William Houston Painting Exhibit at the Mountlake Terrace Library, 23300 58th Avenue West.

"Whether I am painting a portrait, a cityscape or an abstract piece, the experience is the same," said Houston. "Every empty canvas holds innumerable possibilities, and each mark I leave is the result of a negotiation with the infinite. Every stroke, whether made with surgical precision or with reckless abandon must make its case to be left where it is," Houston added.

The Mountlake Terrace Arts Advisory Commission oversees the library exhibits as

part of its mission to promote cultural events in the community.

The show runs through March 31 at the Mountlake Terrace Library, Mondays through Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Fridays, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sundays 1 to 5 p.m.

Mountlake Terrace - Spring Festival Hockey Tournament March 13 - March 15, 2015 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM



Spring Festival Tournament is hosted by Seattle Junior Hockey Association. This is a Full-Ice Tournament for MITE and NOVICE 'C' Recreational teams. This is an invitational tournament. All games will be played according to USA Hockey Rules, PNAHA Rules, and any additional rules adopted by SJHA and approved by PNAHA and USA Hockey. USA Hockey sanctioned tournament.

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Mountlake Terrace - Fred Chomos Memorial Hockey Tournament March 20 - March 22, 2015 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Fred Chomos Memorial Tournament is hosted by Seattle Junior Hockey Association. The following youth hockey divisions will compete in this tournament; Squirt REP and Atom 'A'. A maximum of sixteen teams will play over three days. All games will be played according to USA Hockey Rules, PNAHA Rules, and any additional rules adopted by SJHA and approved by PNAHA and USA Hockey.

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Events at the Evergreen State Fairgrounds

- ~ Snohomish Conservation District Tree and Plant Sale: Feb. 28
- ~ Auto Cross racing on the Speedway: Feb. 28
- ~ 24th Annual Model Train Show: Feb. 28-Mar. 1
- ~ Murder Mystery Food Bank Fundraiser, Mar. 7
- ~ March Madness Enduro on the Speedway: Mar. 7
- ~ Spring Carnival & Homespun Spring Bazaar, Apr. 25-26

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Sincerely,

Terry Ryan, Snohomish County Council