



Duvall News

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Community:

The weather is improving and we can feel that spring has arrived. A couple of weekends ago I took a walk on the trail from Depot/McCormick Park. It was a sunny day and many of our neighbors were out walking their dogs or running. Depot/McCormick Park has a new addition. An amazing couple in the community donated a comfort station that was recently delivered. Ray and Tove Burhen have done so much for Duvall. This is just another great example of how generous they have been to our community. The City plans to open the facility in late April once we install the concrete, message board and, of course, the shower. When it is completed it will be a great addition to our parks.

On a different note, one of our service providers, WAVE Broadband will be opening a retail store in Copper Hill Square. The retail store will be a convenient way for residents to talk with someone in person about their service. WAVE will also be attending a City Council meeting in the near future to share an update on their service with the community. Please check the website for an announcement of the date. If you have any questions or concerns about WAVE, please let me or the council members know so we can communicate them to WAVE.

Speaking of council meetings, I want to thank all of the citizens who showed up to share their thoughts on Initiative 502, better known as the Marijuana Initiative. I have heard from a few residents wanting to know if there will be other opportunities to share their thoughts on the issue. At each council meeting there is an opportunity for public comment. This is a great time to share your thoughts on this issue and others.

Finally, this summer's community events are in their planning process. If you wish to participate as a volunteer or donate any money to support one of the events, please reach out to the City and we will put you in touch with the right organizer.

Enjoy the nice weather!

Sincerely

Will Ibershof



DRUG TAKE BACK DAY

SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH

10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

**DUVALL POLICE DEPARTMENT LOBBY
26225 NE STEPHENS ST**

The Duvall Police Department aims to provide a safe, convenient, and responsible means of disposing of prescription and non-prescription drugs. Officers will be on hand to dispose of drugs and to provide educational materials to the general public about the potential for abuse of medications.

This annual event is in partnership with the Department of Justice and Drug Enforcement Administration.



For more information contact Sergeant Lori Batiot at 206-391-3306 or email at lori.batiot@duvallwa.gov or visit our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/Duvall.Police.Department.

IRWIN GROUP PRESENTS:

ANNUAL EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH - 2:00 P.M.

MCCORMICK PARK



DCC SPEAKER SERIES:

THE LIVES OF THE HONEYBEES

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9TH - 7:30 P.M.

DUVALL VISITOR CENTER, NO CHARGE!

Backyard beekeeping is an important hobby that adds environmental benefit to all home gardeners and home grown honey is delicious! Beekeeper and educator Lauren Montgomery will bring the life of a honeybee into focus as she talks about beginning bee keeping organic methods of raising bees and colony collapse.

JOE "METAL COWBOY" KURMASKIE

SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH, 11:00 A.M.

DUVALL LIBRARY - 15508 MAIN STREET NE

Joe "Metal Cowboy" Kurmaskie shares stories and images from his latest book, *Guide to Falling Down: Stories about Finding Balance On and Off the Bicycle*. Experience Joe's travel adventures by bicycle in Australia, Africa, Italy, Costa Rica, Mexico and Canada.



LOW INCOME RATE REDUCTION FOR CITY OF DUVALL UTILITY CUSTOMERS

City of Duvall Ordinance #1121 allows for a reduced base rate for our low-income residents. To see if you or someone you know may qualify for the reduced rates, please see the table below.

No. of People in Household	20% Discount on base rate for utilities	15% Discount on base rate for utilities	10% Discount on base rate for utilities
1	\$18,200 or less	\$18,201 - \$30,350	\$30,351 - \$45,100
2	\$20,800 or less	\$20,801 - \$34,700	\$34,701 - \$51,550
3	\$23,400 or less	\$23,401 - \$39,050	\$39,051 - \$58,000
4	\$26,000 or less	\$26,001 - \$43,350	\$44,351 - \$64,400
5	\$28,100 or less	\$28,101 - \$46,850	\$47,851 - \$69,600
6	\$30,200 or less	\$30,201 - \$50,300	\$51,301 - \$74,750
7	\$32,250 or less	\$32,251 - \$53,800	\$53,801 - \$79,900
8	\$34,350 or less	\$34,351 - \$57,250	\$57,251 - \$85,050

Income is based on your gross combined household income. If you would like an application or more information on the reduced rates go to www.duvallwa.gov under Finance Department. Applications also available at City Hall, 15535 Main Street NE.

**“SISTERS IN TIME: STORIES SET IN THE
PUGET SOUND REGION, CIRCA 1855”
MONDAY, APRIL 7TH, 7:30 P.M.
DUVALL VISITOR CENTER, 15619 MAIN ST**

The mid-1800s was an era of great change as people of diverse ethnicities settled in the region. Storyteller and musician Karen Haas brings this time to life in her portrayals of four women of very different backgrounds and circumstances. Through their stories and songs, we gain a more personal perspective on the challenges, opportunities and prejudices of that era.

Karen Haas is an accomplished storyteller and living history performer. She has performed at many Northwest historic sites. Drawing on her experiences as a music educator, Karen incorporates music into many of her presentations.

This is a free program for all ages co-sponsored by the Duvall Historical Society and funded by Friends of Duvall Library.

**EARTH DAY EVENT
SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH
10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
DEPOT & MCCORMICK PARKS**



What is Earth Day?

Earth Day is a Birthday!! Just like a birthday is a special day to celebrate a person, Earth Day is a special day that celebrates the Earth. Every year, America and over 100 different countries join together in the celebration of Earth Day. On Earth Day, we remember to appreciate nature and learn ways to protect our environment.

The City is holding an Earth Day Event on Saturday, April 26th that will include an educational walk with stops for birds, mammals, stormwater, plants, geology, fish, and composting. There will also be free tree seedlings and a drawing for you to win your very own rain barrel!

Elected Officials

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS



April 10th & 24th: City Council Meetings - 7:00 p.m. in the Duvall Visitor Center, 15619 Main Street NE** (Committee of the Whole begins at 5:30 p.m.)

April 2nd & 16th: Planning Commission Meeting - 7:00 p.m. at the Duvall Visitor Center, 15619 Main Street NE**

**Please Note: New Locations