

City Manager's Weekly Update June 05, 2015

Town Hall Meeting

The SeaTac City Council will host a Town Hall Meeting from 1:00 - 2:30 PM on Saturday, June 6 at Bow Lake Elementary School located at 18237 42nd Avenue S. in SeaTac. The meeting will take place in the cafeteria.

Attendees at the meeting will have the opportunity to write questions for the SeaTac City Council on note cards. If time limits the number of questions the Council can respond to, the public may choose to be contacted by the City after the meeting. View the flier here.

To sign up for notifications of other City-hosted meetings, please visit the City website at www.ci.seatac.wa.us and choose the "I want to..." pull-down menu and choose "Sign up for..." to reach the eNotifications page.

Citizen Advisory Committee Vacancies

The City has immediate vacancies on the Library Advisory Committee, Human Services Advisory Committee, and Hotel/Motel Tax Advisory Committee. These committees serve in an advisory capacity to the City Council, assisting in decision-making and the setting of City policies. Terms of service varies between 2-3 years. It's a great opportunity to make a positive impact.

The Library Advisory Committee

- Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of every other month at 5:00 PM at various locations
- Engages with the Board of Trustees of the King County Library District and the local library official

The Human Services Advisory Committee

- Meetings are held the third Monday of the month at 5:30 PM at SeaTac City Hall
- Make reports and recommendations on concerning human services issues
- Review City actions which may affect the accessibility or quality of human services available to the City's residents

The Hotel/Motel Tax Advisory Committee

- Meetings are held the second Wednesday of the month at 3:00 PM at SeaTac City Hall
- Members represent the lodging industry or associated tourism-related enterprise, including notfor-profit organizations
- Insight on the City Council annual budget development and adoption process

Applications will be accepted until Friday, June 19, 2015. If you are interested in serving on these committees, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 973.4660 or download an application from the City's website www.ci.seatac.wa.us. All positions are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council.

Road Closure

Beginning on Friday, June 5 at 7:00 p.m.PM and continuing until Saturday, June 6 at 1:00 AM (6 hours total) all lanes of S. 188th Street will be closed at the intersection of 28th Avenue S. No east/west traffic will be permitted through the intersection. The road will be closed to install grout on the elevated trackway over S. 188th Street.



Recommended Detours:

- Eastbound traffic on South 188th Street will be detoured right on 28th Avenue S., left on S.
 192nd Street and left on International Boulevard to return to S. 188th Street.
- Westbound traffic on S. 188th Street will be detoured left on International Boulevard, right onto S. 192nd Street, right on 28th Avenue S. to return to S. 188th Street.

Construction Alert

A Message from the Kent Fire Department Regional Fire Authority Warning – Door to Door Sales

Over the last week, the Kent Fire Department Regional Fire Authority (RFA) has received several calls concerning door to door salespeople that are offering residential duct/vent cleaning as well as "other services".

According to residents, these salespeople are either claiming association or implying that they are part of, or are soliciting on behalf of, the Kent Fire Department RFA. This is absolutely NOT true. In at least two cases, the residents said the sales person had on a dark blue shirt with a badge or logo that said "KFD". In another, the person said they claimed to be a volunteer firefighter.

The Kent Fire Department RFA does not solicit anything door to door. Our funding comes through the methods established when the RFA was formed, not through "sales". In addition, any department personnel that knock on a door will be in a uniform and have department identification with them.

At this time it is not known if the people going door to door are part of a legitimate company possibly misrepresenting themselves, or a scam to get into the homes of residents for theft. We are working with the Kent Police Department to get more information.

Up to this point the sales tactics have been reported in the Panther Lake areas between SE 192nd Street and SE 208th Street, but residents should be wary regardless of where they live. In addition, consider taking these precautions:

- Never let strangers in unless you called them for a service and have proven their identity.
- Any door to door sales are required to carry ID identifying themselves and their organization.
- Any suspicious activity or persons should be reported to the police by calling 9-1-1.
- Warn your neighbors of possible scams especially the elderly who are more likely to believe a scam.

Please call the Kent Fire Department RFA at any time if you are concerned about a suspicious contact or if you have questions concerning whether someone works for us or not. You can reach us 24 hours a day at 450.8400.

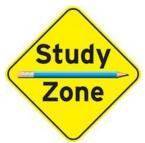
Valley View Library Programs for June 2015

Children & Families

Spanish Story Times

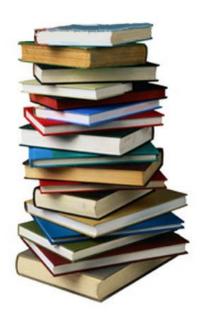
Monday, June 22 and 29, 7:00 PM Family program, all ages welcome. Join Xiomara and Julie for a bilingual Story Time in English and Spanish. Stories, songs and rhymes! Cuentos, canciones y rimas!

Teens



Study Zone

Monday, June 8 & 15, 6:00 PM
Tuesday, June 9 & 16, 6:00 PM
Wednesday, June 10 & 17, 6:00 PM
Thursday, June 11, 6:00 PM
Grades K-12.
Drop in for free homework help from trained volunteer tutors.



Adults

Citizenship Preparation Classes

Wednesday, June 10, 10:00 AM

Learn how to become a United States Citizen. Study for the naturalization test, including civics questions, reading and writing English and practicing your interview skills. Classes are free, join anytime!

One-on-One Computer Help

Saturday, June 6 & 20, 12:30 PM

Have computer or software questions? TechTutor Volunteers are here for you. You may bring your own laptop, but TechTutors cannot provide hands-on or hardware assistance.

Knitter's Book Club

Wednesday, June 10, 7:00 PM

Bring your current knitting project and share what you've been reading in this casual monthly gathering. Hear about some of the latest new titles and meet other knitters. Knitting needles, yarn, basic lessons and plenty of encouragement will be on hand for beginning knitters.

Computer Class: Microsoft Excel 2013 - Level 1

Tuesday, June 16, 6:30 PM

Discover Excel 2013 for work or home. Learn how tools are organized and put them into action. Must be able to use the mouse and keyboard.

Valley View Library Book Club

Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor's memoir, My Beloved World

Tuesday, June 30, 7:00 PM

Join the Valley View Library's monthly book group for lively literature discussion. All are welcome!



Website Links

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Event Calendar

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More from Valley View Library

Talk Time

Wednesdays, 1:00 PM

Practice speaking English with other English language learners. Learn about American culture and meet people from around the world. Classes are free, join anytime!

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