

City Manager's Weekly Update May 5, 2017

May is Puget Sound Starts Here Month

Puget Sound Starts Here (PSSH) is a public awareness campaign connecting more than 750 organizations across the Puget Sound region's 12 counties. Partners in this campaign include federal, state and local governments, tribes and non-governmental organizations dedicated to protecting Puget Sound. Puget Sound Starts Here is a campaign to unite efforts throughout the Puget Sound region with the goal of improving the health of Puget Sound. When people work together, small actions make a big difference.



Pollution in Puget Sound threatens our food, our water, and our livelihoods. When it rains, water flows over hard surfaces like house roofs, parking lots, driveways, lawns where the soil has packed down, and streets, picking up animal waste, lawn chemicals like fertilizer and pesticides, oil and car leaks, and many other pollutants along with the rain flow. This polluted water than flows through ditches or storm drains and into our local streams, rivers, lakes, and wetlands that eventually empty into the Puget Sound. Most runoff is not treated.

Together we have the power to fix our local waterways and Puget Sound. Just a few simple changes will make a significant difference.

- In your yard: use fertilizers and pesticides sparingly, or just use compost.
- With your car: take your car to a commercial car wash and have oil leaks fixed.
- Around your dog: pick up dog waste, double bag it and place it in the trash (not in the yard waste bin).
- At home: from cleaning products to septic tank maintenance, be aware of how you care for your home and how it affects the environment.

Puget Sound Starts Here Night at the Mariners! Sign up for the Mariners Game Sunday, May 21 at 1:10 PM, White Socks vs. Mariners. To purchase tickets (\$37 Main Level) or for more information, please call 206.346.4519 or <u>visit the website</u> and enter the promo code: SALMON. Deadline to purchase tickets: Friday, May 19 – 5:00 PM.

For more information regarding the problems facing the Puget Sound, along with workable solutions to reduce pollution in our waters, visit www.pugetsoundstartshere.org



Highline SeaTac Botanical Garden

May Plant Sale

Saturday, May 6th, 2017 10 am – 2 pm

13735 24th Avenue South · SeaTac, WA 98168 www.highlinegarden.org

206-391-4003

Proceeds from this sale will benefit the Highline Botanical Garden Foundation, Puget Sound Daylily Club, Puget Sound Fuchsia Society, King County Iris Society, Western Species Fuchsia Society, Rhododendron Species Garden, and Seattle Rose Society display gardens at the Highline SeaTac Botanical Garden.



The Highline SeaTac Botanical Garden Foundation is a successful partnership between the City of SeaTac, the SeaTac Parks and Recreation Department, and the nonprofit Highline Botanical Garden Foundation.

CULTURE

Entertainment at The Plaza at Angle Lake Station



Come visit the new light rail station in SeaTac!

The City of SeaTac is partnering with Sound Transit to provide free entertainment on the second Wednesday of each month at the Plaza at Angle Lake Station, 19955 28th Avenue South, SeaTac.



Wednesday, May 10, 5:30-7:00 PM

The Seattle Steel Pan Project

The project is dedicated to creating a space for women and girls in music through arts education. The talented women who currently make up the group come from a variety of musical and artistic backgrounds.



Wednesday, June 14, 5:30-7:00 PM

Scott Lindemuth

"One of the Pacific Northwest's greatest instrumentalists." A master of many styles, Seattle guitarist Scott Lindenmuth is one of the few guitarists in the world today that can easily transition from jazz to electric blues, classical to rock, funk, and fusion displaying fluid technique and virtuosic ability in all genres.



Wednesday, July 12, 5:30-7:00 PM

Kevin Jones

Kevin Jones is a multi-instrumentalist, singer/songwriter. Kevin's original lyrics are well crafted, and his guitar playing is innovative and precise.



Wednesday, August 9, 5:30-7:00 PM

Duo Finelli

This pair of lady vaudevillians specializes in the ridiculous. Weaving accordion-powered, ukulele-flavored musical sets into a backdrop of classic clown and circus antics, their performances amuse audiences of all ages.

Wednesday, September 13, 5:30-7:00 PM

Jeff Evans

Interactive magic! Jeff's blend of clean comedy and interactive magic is honed to perfection. He performs over 250 shows a year throughout the Pacific Northwest.



Performances are funded by the City of SeaTac.







SeaTac Parks, Community Programs & Services 206.973.4680 ♦ www.ci.seatac.wa.us/SpecialEvents



And the City of SeaTac present

Music from Spain and South America

Featuring: Members of the Ladies Musical Club and The Studio of Michael Partington

Saturday, May 13, 2017 at 7:00PM

SeaTac Community Center 13735 24th Ave S, SeaTac, WA 98168

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Felicidade(happiness)

Antonio Carlos Jobim (arr. Roland Dyens)

Connor Ritchie (guest artist), guitar

Cuatro Madrigales Amatorios (Four love madrigals)

Joaquin Rodrigo (1901-1999)

Meg Daly, soprano Yuliya Minina, piano

From Ten Serenade Waltzes for Solo Oboe: Soberana (Your Excellency) & Linda (Lovely)

lency) & Linda (Lovely) Lenir Siqueira (b. 1922)

Gail Perstein, oboe

Imagens do nordeste (Northeast Images)

Celso Machado (b. 1953)

Connor Ritchie and Max Shaffer (guest artists), guitar

A próle do bébé (A baby's family) : Book One: As Bonecas (The Dolls)

Heitor Villa-Lobos (1887 - 1959)

Geisa Dutra, piano

Evocacion y Joropo (Evocation and Joropo)

José Luis Merlin (b. 1952)

Lucas Victor (guest artist), guitar Elise Kim (guest artist), flute

l'Evasion

Astor Piazzolla

Lucas Victor, Max Shaffer and Connor Ritchie (guest artists) guitars

Suite española, Op. 47

Isaac Albéniz (1860-1909)

Yuliya Minina, piano

From Ten Serenade Waltzes for Solo Oboe: Ila (Cousin)

Lenir Siqueira

Gail Perstein, oboe

Fin de Siglo (End of the century)

Maximo Diego Pujol (b. 1957)

Lucas Victor, Max Shaffer and Connor Ritchie (guest artists) guitars

Canciones clásicas españolas (Classical Spanish songs)

Fernando J. Obradors (1897-1945)

Born in Barcelona, Spain

Regina Thomas, soprano Joan Lundquist, piano

The audience is invited to join us for reception and light refreshments following the concert

All LMC concerts are free and open to the public.

For the most current information on all our concerts and/or to sign up for the mailing list, go to our website: www.lmcseattle.org





EVENT DETAILS:

Join us at Safeco Field for Puget Sound Starts Here Day as the Mariners take on the White Sox. Receive a Mariners Puget Sound Starts Here hat when you purchase through this special online offer.

PRICING:

• \$37 Main Level

Deadline to purchase: Friday, May 19 - 5:00 PM



Public Works Project Updates

Connecting 28th/24th Avenue S.

Project extends new roadway and non-motorized improvements from the intersection of S. 200th Street and 26th Avenue S. to the intersection of S. 208th Street and 24th Avenue S. It completes the gap in the 28th/24th corridor and provides an alternate north/south arterial to SR 99. It mitigates congestion and improves multi-modal access to the Angle Lake Light Rail Station in lieu of widening SR 99. The project is a regional partnership between SeaTac, Sound Transit, Port of Seattle, WSDOT and Des Moines. Access will enable development of adjacent properties.

Update:

- Removal of bridge deck false work continues.
- Relocation of utility poles on S. 208th Street/24th Avenue S continues.
- West bridge barrier and luminaire foundation poured.
- Forming east bridge barrier and luminaire foundation for pour on 5/5/2017.
- Backfilling area south of the tunnel.
- Prepping driveways and 24th Avenue for paving.
- Sidewalk grading on north end.
- Erosion and sediment control continues.

2017 Overlay Project

The following roadways will be included in the 2017 overlay: 12th Place S. and 13th Avenue S. between S. 200th Street and S. 207th Street and S. 207th Street between 12th Place S. and 14th Avenue S. Highline Water District (HWD) will be replacing all of their water lines and services within the project limits. An ILA is being drawn up between the City and HWD to incorporate the water line replacement work into the 2017 Overlay project plans.

Update:

 An Open House was scheduled for this project on May 3; a number of interested residents were in attendance.

S. 168th Stormwater System Improvements

 Project survey is complete and preliminary design has begun. Project is anticipated to bid in August.

ADA (American Disability Act) Transition Plan

 Transpogroup and the City will be working together over the course of the next few weeks to develop a scope of work, which is scheduled for council review on June 6.

Permit Parking Program

 Transpogroup has been selected to develop the Permit Parking Program. A scope of work is in development and is scheduled for council review on May 23.

Military Road and S 152nd Street

Improvements for this road reconstruction and safety project include construction of buffered bike lanes; curb and gutter; sidewalks; new pavement; installation of street lighting; upgraded and interconnected signalization with pedestrian crossings; construction of a right turn lane on eastbound S. 152nd Street; and the elimination of the skewed intersection at Tukwila International Blvd. and Military Road S. This project is scheduled for construction in the summer of 2018.

 A scope of work has been developed and the project will be presented to the City Council on May 9 for design approval.

Valley View Library

17850 Military Road S., SeaTac, WA 98188 ~ 206.242.6044

One Day Library Closure

Tuesday, May 16, all day

The Burien, White Center, Greenbridge, Boulevard Park, Foster and Valley View Libraries for staff training. Go to the Find a Location page to find an alternative library near you, or call Ask KCLS with your questions at 425.462.9600 or 1.800.462.9600.



Children

Family Story Times

Monday, May 8 & 15, 7:00 PM Thursday, May 11 & 18, 10:00 AM Family program, all ages welcome with adult. Stories, songs and fun!

Study Zone

Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
No Study Zone on May 16 & 29.
Grades K-12.
Drop in for free homework help from trained volunteer tutors.

Spanish Story Times

Thursday, May 11, 6:00 PM Family program, all ages welcome with adult. Stories, songs and fun!

KING FM's Instrument Petting Zoo

Saturday, May 20, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Presented by KING FM Radio.
Family program, all ages welcome with adult.
Curious what it's like to hold a violin bow or try a clarinet?
Now you and your family can find out! Through this interactive program touch, hear and play many instruments and be introduced to the world of music.

Adults

Valley View Library Book Club

The Dragon Variation by Sharon Lee & Steve Miller

Tuesday, May 30, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Citizenship Classes

Wednesdays 10:00 - 11:30 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!

Computer Class: Microsoft Excel Level 1

Tuesday, May 9, 6:30 – 8:00 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.

Please register.

Talk Time Classes

Wednesdays, 1:00 - 2:30 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!

One-on-One Computer Help

Saturday, May 13 and 27, 3:00 – 4:00 PM Have computer or software questions? TechTutor Volunteers are here for you. You may bring your own laptop, but TechTutors cannot provide handson or hardware assistance.

Assistance is also available in Arabic and Amharic.

Drop In to Learn about eBooks

Saturday, May 27, 3:00 – 4:00 PM

Learn how to download eBooks, magazines, comic books, movies and other online services from KCLS! Bring your eReader, tablet, phone-or just your questions.

POLICE NEWS

April Guns, DUIs, and Warrants

During the month of April, SeaTac Deputies removed from the streets:

Guns 24* DUIs 5 Warrants 57

Prolific Pharmacy Robbery Suspects Arrested in SeaTac

On May 2, at about 11:30 PM, Deputy Bugosh was patrolling the parking lot of a local motel when he saw an occupied, parked car that matched the description of one used in a rash of pharmacy robberies around King County, including the City of Kirkland about 3 hours earlier. Deputy Bugosh's investigation led to the arrest of two of the main suspects. Kirkland Police Officers came to SeaTac to take custody of one suspect, a second was booked on an outstanding warrant. They are believed to be responsible for over (70) pharmacy robberies. It is not yet known what exact charges will be filed against these suspects, but this is a great example of an alert and well-informed Deputy, patrolling hot spots to fight crime.

National Drug Take Back Day - Results

On April 29, SeaTac participated in a National Drug Take Back event, intended to give residents a place to dispose of unwanted prescription medications. During the four hour collection event, two boxes of prescription narcotics, weighing about 20 lbs. each, were collected and submitted for destruction.

May Day Demonstrations/Protests - Update

Many local law enforcement agencies including SeaTac and Port of Seattle, planned for the possibility that May Day demonstrations would be focused on the airport and surrounding areas. As often happens, the planning and preparation equaled great low-risk/low-cost practice for all involved as the demonstrations in our area did not materialize.



Save the Date – Mail Theft Prevention Meeting

Please join members of the SeaTac Police and United States Postal Inspectors in a prevention-oriented community meeting to discuss the realities of mail theft, identity theft and mail fraud. The meeting will be held at SeaTac City Hall, Council Chambers on Monday May 22 between 6:00 PM and 7:30 PM. The event is open to anyone who wishes to attend.

^{*}Seventeen of these weapons were seized from a man who, apparently suffering from a mental health crisis, fired multiple rounds inside his own apartment, endangering other residents.

Website Links

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Event Calendar

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City Council Actions



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